

Intercessions
Fifth Sunday of Lent—April 3, 2022

Cantor: Oyenos. mi Dios....

- For the Church as a healing, reconciling community...that we may be slow to condemn and quick to seek out those whom the world judges harshly. *We pray,*
- For those with unbearable burdens--who yearn for something new; and for those who seek to lessen these burdens through acts of charity or public policy *We pray,*
- For those we have disturbed by our behavior or words; those we may have confused or scandalized; those we may have wounded by bullying or character assassination. *We pray,*
- For those who live with a deep sense of guilt or self-righteousness...that they may come to experience the forgiving and healing heart of God. *We pray,*
- For our Muslim brothers and sisters as they enter the penitential season of Ramadan. *We pray,*
- For those in this community who are sick, dying, grieving or in any kind of need; for the fearful and worried; and for all those who need our ministries—wherever they are. *We pray,*
- We pray now for our own concerns and for hearts filled with compassion and forgiveness (*pause*). *For all these things, we pray.*