

## Second Sunday of Lent - 2/25/2018

### Penitential Act:

Recited Confetior, cantor will sing kyrie

### Intercessions

#### **Presider:**

We pray that our own faith and understanding of Jesus may be strengthened during this Lenten season.

#### **Lector:**

That we may be an ever-learning community, open to God's ongoing, revealing word ..... Pray for all the Church. (5 second pause)

That our faith compels us to act on behalf of the poor and marginalized, the persecuted and the suffering ..... Pray for strength to act for justice (5 second pause)

For contemporary martyrs, courageous witnesses, and all persecuted Christians..... Pray for those whose faith has come at great cost. (5 second pause)

For those preparing to celebrate the sacraments of baptism, confirmation and Eucharist.... Pray for those seeking God. (5 second pause)

For all the church's teachers, preachers and theologians who continue to stretch and challenge our understanding..... Pray for wisdom. (5 second pause)

**[5:00 & 10:30 ONLY]** For those who have Died (including....) (5 second pause)

**5:00 PM** - +Joseph Luc Huynh

**10:30 AM** - +Joseph Chan Nguyen

#### **Presider:**

Gracious God, you revealed yourself to us throughout history and most especially through your beloved Son. Open our hearts and minds to understand you and Jesus even more deeply during this Lenten season. We ask this in his holy name. Amen.