

Season of Ordinary Time : Sunday 7C General Intercessions

Priest

The Lord is full of compassion, rich in mercy.
Confidently, we pray for the Church and for the world.

Reader

1. For all members of the Church,
that we who bear the image of Christ
will manifest the compassion and forgiveness of God.

PAUSE for silent prayer — at least five seconds, please. Repeat after each intention.

Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

2. For those who mediate in disputes between nations;
may God fill them with wisdom and energy to secure lasting peace.
3. For civility in public life, respect among politicians,
and for all who work in the media;
for honesty and integrity of heart.
4. For the members of our parish;
that the word of God and the sacrament of the eucharist
will inspire and direct our care of the poor.
5. For all who are ill or infirm, and those who care for them:
that they will know God's healing grace;
we pray especially for Pope Francis.
6. For the faithful departed, and especially those who have died recently;
that they will enjoy the fullness of eternal life with God.
7. We ask Mary, Mother of the Church, to join her prayers with ours: Hail Mary ...

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Almighty God,
fix our hearts on what is right and true,
that we may please you always,
by observing your will in both word and deed.

Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.