## Season of Ordinary Time: Sunday 32B Remembrance Sunday General Intercessions

## **Priest**

The Lord keeps faith for ever, and so with confidence we can pray for the Church and the world.

## Reader

 We remember all the dead of the two World Wars, and of subsequent and current conflicts; we pray for all who continue to grieve, and those who still bear the scars; that the light of resurrection may dawn brightly upon them.

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

Lord, in your mercy. Hear our prayer.

- 2. For all victims of war and violence; for those who seek to heal, restore, and counsel them; we pray especially for the work of the Royal British Legion.
- 3. For governments, leaders, and the members of the United Nations; that they will work closer together to secure peace, justice, and the end of terror and oppression.
- 4. For all who work far from home to help establish and build peace; that God will keep them safe in his care; we pray, too, for their families and loved ones.
- 5. For all members of the Church; that we will grow strong together in faith, and be filled with zeal for God's kingdom.
- 6. For the faithful departed: members of our own family, friends, and our fellow-parishioners who have died over the last year, that they will enjoy the fullness of life in heaven.
- 7. We ask Mary, Mother of the Church, to join her prayers with ours: Hail, Mary ...

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Almighty and merciful God, drive from us whatever things are harmful, and make us ready in both body and mind to accomplish your will in perfect freedom. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.