

General intercessions

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

Celebrant:

We worship a God who hears our prayers. Let us then present to the Father all our needs.

Reader:

We pray that, as Christians, the words we say and the deeds we do may always show that we are seeking to follow the Gospel,

Lord, hear us ...

That our society's social care may leave no one behind or overburdened,

Lord, hear us ...

That we may willingly work together to assist those who are poor and needy:

Lord, hear us ...

That we might have the strength to deny ourselves and put others first,

Lord, hear us ...

For an end to the Covid pandemic: that the virus may be subdued, the sick healed and strength given to all who care for them,

Lord, hear us ...

That all who are sick and in distress may be comforted by those who care for them and encouraged by our prayers:

Lord, hear us ...

That all who have died may rest in God's peace and those who grieve for them may have consolation:

Lord, hear us ...

Celebrant:

Let us seek the help of Our Lady of Sorrows as we say, *Hail, Mary...*

Loving God, in your great mercy and goodness you provide for our spiritual and material needs. Grant the prayers we have offered you today, through Christ our Lord.