General intercessions

Maundy Thursday

Celebrant: By offering His Body and Blood for us, Jesus reconciled the world to the Father. Therefore we now pray:

Reader:

That the Church, which draws her life from the Eucharist, may worship this mystery with ever deeper faith and devotion:

Lord, hear us ...

That we may always approach the Holy Eucharist worthily, in full communion with the teachings and practices of the Church:

Lord, hear us ...

That we may learn to say, "This is my body, given for you," as Christ did, and thereby always be willing to help serve others, especially those most in need:

Lord, hear us ...

For all who are experiencing violence and affliction, particularly in Ukraine: that their sufferings may be relieved,

Lord, hear us ...

For all God's children that they may have sufficient bread for their physical life and that the refugees and displaced peoples of Ukraine may be welcomed and supported by those who have received them,

Lord, hear us ...

That all those who are sick or suffering in anyway may know the healing presence of the Cross of Christ:

Lord, hear us ...

That all who have died may share in the eternal life that Jesus promised to those who feed on the Bread of Heaven:

Lord, hear us ...

Celebrant:

Let us seek the prayers of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist, as we say: Hail Mary

Father, may we who worship the mystery of the Lord's Body and Blood always experience within us the power of his redemption. Through Christ our Lord.