

General intercessions

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

Celebrant: We ask God to look upon us in mercy as we lift up our prayers for ourselves and all those in need.

Reader

For our pope and bishops; that they may imitate the Son of Man in leading the people of God to the Gospel of Life:

Lord, hear us ...

For our national and local leaders, that they may they foster principles within society upon which true justice may flourish:

Lord, hear us ...

That God, who seeks justice and mercy rather than bloodshed, may strengthen all nations to protect human life, especially at its most vulnerable stages:

Lord, hear us ...

For all who tend the fields and bring food to our tables: that God will strengthen them and protect them in their labours:

Lord, hear us ...

That the sick and suffering may know God's healing touch and not feel alone or neglected:

Lord, hear us ...

That all who have died may be purified of sin and welcomed into the glory of heaven;

Lord, hear us ...

Celebrant:

Let us seek the prayers of Our Lady of the Rosary: *Hail Mary...*

Merciful God, hear the prayers of your faithful people and give us the gift of faith that we may serve one another. We ask this through Christ our Lord.