

General Intercessions
Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Celebrant: We trust in the Lord above any other source of help or hope and so we pray:

Reader:

That our Holy Father, Pope Francis, the successor of St Peter, may be blessed with health and vigour in proclaiming the Gospel:

Lord, hear us ...

That, despite our hurts, we may pray for our enemies, and the enemies of our families and our Faith:

Lord, hear us ...

That writers, artists and performers may inspire people to be compassionate, kind and respectful of each and every human life:

Lord, hear us ...

For Peace: that God will guide world leaders to resolve conflict, especially in Ukraine and the Middle East.

Lord, hear us ...

That those who are sick or suffering may receive the care and help they need:

Lord, hear us ...

That all who have died may share in the resurrection won for us by the Lord:

Lord, hear us ...

Celebrant:

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

Father, you bless those who are in distress and reward those who trust in you. As you answer our prayers, keep us faithful in your service. Through Christ our Lord.