

General intercessions

The Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Celebrant: We approach the Father through the One Mediator, Jesus Christ, as we present all our needs.

Reader:

For God's Holy Church throughout the world and for all entrusted with the ministry of the Gospel, especially our bishop, Ralph:

Lord, hear us ...

That as St Joseph's School celebrates its 150th anniversary, we pray that its Catholic Faith and identity may be strengthened,

Lord, hear us ...

That the concerns people have about money may never be greater than their readiness to welcome and cherish the gift of children:

Lord, hear us ...

That God may bless the efforts of all governments to ensure a fair and plentiful distribution of the gifts of creation:

Lord, hear us ...

For the sick and the suffering, that they be healed, comforted and know they are close to the heart of the Lord:

Lord, hear us ...

That those who have died may come to share the joys of everlasting life:

Lord, hear us ...

Celebrant:

Let us seek the prayers of Our Lady of Good Counsel, as we say: *Hail Mary...*

Father, all things are of Your making. As you answer our prayers, may we share Your blessings with all our brothers and sisters. Through Christ our Lord.