

General intercessions
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Celebrant: With a firm desire to grow in the grace of God we now present our needs.

Reader:

That all Christians may find and hold to the true and lasting riches of Jesus Christ:
Lord, hear us ...

That all may grow in their commitment to securing fundamental peace and human rights for all, especially in Gaza and Ukraine,
Lord, hear us ...

For a greater sense of the common good: that we may recognize God's gifts are for the benefit of all and never allow them to become idols that control us,
Lord, hear us

That our leisure time this summer may help us grow in the grace of God and build up our relationships with one another:
Lord, hear us ...

That all who are sick or suffering may know God's healing presence, especially in the company of family and friends,
Lord, hear us ...

That all who have died may be welcomed at the table of eternal life that has been prepared for them:
Lord, hear us ...

Celebrant:

Let us seek the prayers of Mary, Mother of God: *Hail Mary...*

Father, hear our prayers and grant us mercy. May we see You as our only lasting possession and enjoy life forever with You in Your Kingdom. Through Christ our Lord.