

General intercessions

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

Celebrant: We embrace the gentle yoke of the Lord Jesus and, as we serve him, we bring our prayers to the Father through him.

Reader

That we may invite all who are burdened to come to the Lord, for only in him alone may we find true rest:

Lord, hear us ...

For all who are finding life troublesome because of a relationship or situation that they are finding difficult, that they may embrace the Lord and know his strength:

Lord, hear us ...

For all who are facing difficult decisions, especially with regard to their future, that the Holy Spirit may give them wisdom and courage:

Lord, hear us ...

That all who are struggling with addictions, abuse, or neglect may be lead to a new beginning by the prompting of the Spirit,

Lord, hear us ...

That the sick and the suffering may be consoled and healed according to God's will:

Lord, hear us ...

That the Spirit, who raised Jesus from the dead, may purify our departed brothers and sisters and lead them to glory:

Lord, hear us ...

Celebrant:

Let us seek the prayers of Our Lady, Seat of Wisdom: *Hail Mary...*

Father, as you answer our prayers, grant that we may always reject evil and live with the peace that comes from following your Word.

Through Christ our Lord.