



General Intercessions

Presider: Aware that God's favor rests on us, we present the prayers of our heart.
Together let us pray:

Response: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

- For world and church leaders (pause):
For the gifts of integrity, right–judgment, and vision that together we may build a just and peace–filled world. We pray to the Lord:
- For married couples (pause):
For the gifts of love, understanding, and fidelity that families may be rooted in Christ and be witnesses of the Gospel. We pray to the Lord:
- For single men and women (pause):
For the gifts of compassion, joy, and dedication that they may proclaim the Good News with their lives. We pray to the Lord:
- For priests, sisters, brothers, deacons, and all Church ministers (pause):
For the gifts of courage, commitment, and passion that they may be a source of hope for our Church as they minister among God's people. We pray to the Lord:
- For those who are discerning their vocation (pause):
For the gifts of openness, generosity, and faith, that they may have a discerning heart to hear God's call. We pray to the Lord:
- For the sick, for those who have died and for their caregivers (pause):
For the gifts of comfort, consolation, and trust, that they may receive the support they need in these difficult times. We pray to the Lord:

Presider: Gracious God,
We thank you for your many gifts to your people. Continue to bless us through Jesus, your beloved son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.



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