



THE GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

Thirtieth Sunday of AUTUMN Ordinary Time October 26, 2025

Presider: **Moved with compassion for all who
are on life's journey, let us pray.**

Reader: FOR THE PARISHES OF THE DIOCESE OF HELENA
AND OUR OWN PARISH OF BLESSED TRINITY AND SPIRIT OF CHRIST MISSION:
May we, with the whole Church,
hear the calling of Christ in the cry of the oppressed and forgotten.
We pray:

ALL: LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER.

Reader: FOR THE PERSISTENT PURSUIT OF TRUTH AND FREEDOM, PEACE AND JUSTICE
BY ALL WHO BEAR THE NAME "CHRISTIAN."
Let us *"keep the faith and run the race"* with humility,
as we do the work of rescuing the many from every evil. We pray:

ALL: LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER.

Reader: FOR ALL WHO ARE SERVED THROUGH THE MINISTRY AND CARE
OF THE DIOCESE OF HELENA ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL:
May the Lord *"stand by them and give them strength."* We pray:

ALL: LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER.

Reader: FOR ALL WHO BEAR THE GIFT OF FAITH AND SHARE THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH:
may our shared generosity let *"the prayer of the lowly pierce the clouds."*
We pray.

ALL: LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER.

Reader: FOR THE MANY IMMIGRANTS IN OUR COUNTRY AND IN OUR OWN COMMUNITY:
Let them be rescued from every distress,
and those crushed in spirit be saved.
Let us not be deaf to the cries of those seeking a home
and a caring welcome.
We pray.

ALL: LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER.

Reader: FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED, AND HAVE *"POURED OUT THEIR LIVES FOR US,"*
ESPECIALLY, SUE AND DREW DePUYDT, OUR RELATIVES, FRIENDS, PARISHIONERS,
AND ALL WHO HAVE DIED IN THE VIOLENCE OF WAR TERROR AND HATRED.
Let the *"crown of righteousness"* adorn them for all eternity.
We pray.

ALL: LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER.

Reader: FOR THE PRAYERS AND NEEDS EXPRESSED IN THIS BOOK OF INTERCESSION:
May the prayer of one become the prayer of the whole Church.
We pray:

ALL: LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER.

CONCLUDING PRAYER

Priest: O GOD, WHO ALONE CAN PROBE THE DEPTHS OF THE HEART,
you hear the prayer of the humble
and justify the repentant sinner.

As we stand before you, grant us the gift of humility,
that we may see our own sins clearly
and refrain from judging our neighbor.
We make our prayer through our Lord Jesus Christ,
your Son, who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God forever and ever.

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