30 June 2024

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B Prayer of the Faithful

Priest: 'Go in peace and be free of your illness.' Encouraged by the compassion of Jesus towards all, we turn to him for what we need.

- 1. We pray for Pope Francis, Archbishop Anthony, all bishops and priests. May they be an inspiration to all Christians in their absolute trust in and dependence on the Trinitarian God who rescues his people and consoles them in their time of need. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
- 2. For healing in our lives. May all who are broken or bereaved, alone or in sorrow be comforted by the compassion of Jesus, and the care of those who profess him as Lord and Saviour. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
- 3. For a spirit of generosity and kindness. Jesus taught us by his example to love everyone especially those who are difficult to love. May we always be sensitive to the needs of those in our community, slow to take offense and quick to forgive. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
- 4. For courage to trust in God's mercy. We ask for the grace to help us get through financial difficulties, ill-health, or relationship problems, remaining productive and joyful in the Lord, and offering up all our trials and tribulations for the greater good. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
- 5. Grant patience, healing and comfort to those who are sick and suffering: Carmelita Perez, Laurence Fraser, Lavrice, Antoinette de Leo, Margaret Tse, Mark Halavazis, Henry Chau. (Pause) Lord, hear us.
- 6. We pray for family and friends who have gone before us, may they find eternal peace in the Risen Christ especially Darrell Boesen.

Pray for those whose death anniversary occurs about now: Maritoni Villosan, Catherine McPartlan, Jacqueline McPartlan, John McPartlan.

Pray for the Poor Souls in Purgatory especially those who have no one to pray for them. (Pause) Lord, hear us.

Priest: All-powerful God, our lives rest in your hand. Trusting in your provident care, we bring our petitions before you, through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.