## Season of Ordinary Time: Sunday 28C

# Harvest Fast Day – Prisoners & their Dependants

### **General Intercessions**

#### **Priest**

The Lord has shown his justice to the nations. Let us pray for the many needs of the Church and the world.

#### Reader

 For all members of the Church; that we will give thanks for all that God has done for us, and be faithful stewards of God's many gifts.

**PAUSE** for silent prayer — at least **five** seconds, please. Repeat after each intention.

Lord, in your mercy. Hear our prayer.

- 2. For victims of terror and violence throughout the world; for all who carry out acts of terror and violence; that the wisdom of God will direct them in the ways of peace.
- For the Catholic Agency for Overseas Development; that through our generosity, the poor of the world will be freed from their plight; we pray, too, for the members of our parish CAFOD group.
- 4. For all who are in prison, and for their families; that God will sustain them during their time of separation; in particular, we pray for those wrongly imprisoned, that justice will be done.
- 5. For all who are sick, and those who look after them: family members, nurses, doctors, and carers; we remember those we know who are ill, or infirm through old age, and commend them all to God's healing grace.
- 6. For the faithful departed; that all who have died with Christ in baptism will live with God for ever in heaven.
- 7. We ask Mary, Mother of the Church, to join her prayers with ours: Hail, Mary ...

#### **Priest**

Let your tireless grace accompany us, Lord God, let it go before us and follow after, that we may never slacken in our resolve, to pursue the practice of good works.

Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.