## Season of Ordinary Time: Transfiguration of the Lord General Intercessions

## **Priest**

The Lord is high above all the earth, exalted far above all spirits. In Christ, we pray for the Church and for the world.

## Reader

1. For all members of the Church; that we will be attentive to the voice of God's beloved Son, and faithfully proclaim him as our Lord.

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

Lord, in your mercy. Hear our prayer.

- 2. For governments and political leaders; that God will fill them with holy wisdom, and direct them to secure peace, reconciliation, and justice for all peoples.
- 3. For refugees from war, violence, hunger, or natural disaster; for all who are homeless, and all who seek to help them.
- 4. For those on holiday, especially any gathered with us today; that their break will be a time of renewal and peace; we remember, too, those who cannot take a holiday this year.
- 5. For ourselves, our parish, and all who worship with us today; that Christ, the beloved Son, will be close to us in our deepest need.
- 6. For the faithful departed, especially those who have died recently; that they will know the glory of the Risen Christ.
- 7. We ask Mary, Mother of the Church, to join her prayers with ours: Hail Mary ...

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Lord God, in the transfiguration of your only-begotten Son you confirmed the mysteries of faith by the witness of your prophets, and wonderfully foreshadowed our full adoption as your children.

Grant that we, your people, heeding the voice of your beloved Son, may become heirs with him to eternal glory.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.