Season of Ordinary Time: Sunday 22C

Catholic Trust for England & Wales Collection General Intercessions

Priest

"Father of the orphan, defender of the widow."

Let us pray to God with confidence for the Church and for the world.

Reader

1. For all members of the Church; that we will welcome and support all who are poor, disadvantaged, or who find themselves on the margins of life.

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

Lord, in your mercy. Hear our prayer.

- 2. For the work of our Bishops' Conference, and all who assist the bishops in their ministry.
- 3. For the peace of the world; for an end to conflict and violence; that those who lead nations will be guided by God's holy wisdom.
- For our young parishioners, who have now received their examination results; that God will guide them in the decisions they make.
- 5. For all members of our parishes; that with thanksgiving for God's mercies to us, we will faithfully live the Gospel of love.
- 6. For the faithful departed: members of our families, friends, and fellow parishioners; may they know the fullness of life in the glory of heaven.
- 7. We ask Mary, Mother of the Church, to join her prayers with ours: Hail, Mary ...

Priest

God of hosts, from whom every good gift proceeds, implant in our hearts the love of your name. Nurture within us whatever is good by binding us more closely to you, and in your watchful care tend the good fruit you have nurtured. Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.