Season of Ordinary Time : Sunday 25A

Mission Appeal : Society of African Missions

General Intercessions

Priest

The Lord is close to all who call on him from their hearts.
With confidence, then, let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Reader

1. For the Church;
that all who are baptised into Christ,
will be faithful servants of our Lord.

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

Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

2. For the peace of the world;
that governments and leaders of nations will seek the ways of peace,
and bring an end to violence, terror, and injustice.

3. For all migrants and refugees;
for the work of the relief agencies and the United Nations.

4. For missionaries, for all who have left their home to proclaim the gospel;
we pray especially for the Society of African Missions;
that God will bless their work and make it yield a rich harvest.

5. For those who will soon leave home to go to college or university;
that God will guide, inspire, and protect them;
we pray especially for the members of our own parish.

6. For all who have fallen asleep in Christ;
that the Lord will grant them the reward of their labours.

7. We ask Mary, Mother of the Church, to join her prayers with ours: Hail Mary …

Priest

O God,
it is your will that all should be saved
and come to the knowledge of the truth.
Look upon your abundant harvest
and send workers to preach the gospel to every creature,
so that your people, gathered by the word of life
and supported by the power of the sacraments,
may advance in the way of salvation and love.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Parishes of Garstang & Scorton, 2026