

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 16/17 – read the coloured type only.

General Intercessions

For the Church, called to be a community of God's unconditional forgiveness and love; and for the spiritual renewal of all God's people through the Sacrament of Confession.

We pray to the Lord.

For those whose lives are shattered by hurricanes, floods, earthquakes and fires, especially in Morocco and Libya; and for the spiritual and economic reconstruction of the communities and individuals affected.

We pray to the Lord.

For all who suffer from hunger, sickness or loneliness; and for reconciliation with those who have left community in Christ.

We pray to the Lord.

For the will and the skill to choose the path of reconciliation over war, the path of justice over exploitation and peace over violence and revenge; and for unity and forgiveness among all disciples of Jesus and family members.

We pray to the Lord.

For our parish as we begin the projects to replace the hall roof and restore the church columns, that God will protect the workers, provide favourable weather conditions, and inspire the generosity of our parishioners and benefactors in raising the funds to support these projects.

We pray to the Lord.

For those who are ill or hospitalized, and those of our parish community and our families; that the Lord may graciously provide for their needs and the consolation of those who surround and support them.

We pray to the Lord.

For the forgiveness of the sins of those who have died, especially Alan Macrobie.

We pray to the Lord.

Remain at the Ambo until the celebrant completes the prayer and then return to your seat.