

## General Intercessions for the Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Cycle A

**Celebrant:** With trust in the Lord who calls us all to follow Him, we now present all our needs.

**Deacon/Lector:**

That the Church may foster in the world the spirit of obedience to the commandments of the Lord, and trust in His merciful help, we pray to the Lord...

That the People of God may exercise the love and mercy He desires us to show to the weakest members of our community, the sick and the unborn, we pray to the Lord...

That as Matthew heard Jesus' call, those being called to the priesthood today may hear and answer that call with joy, we pray to the Lord...

That the upcoming meeting of the United States Catholic Bishops may bear abundant fruit in the lives of Catholics and the spread of the Faith, we pray to the Lord...

That all who are ill, especially those who are not visited or remembered, may experience the healing power of the Holy Spirit in mind and body, we pray to the Lord...

That the deceased may be welcomed into the eternal peace and joy of heaven, we pray to the Lord...

**Celebrant:**

Father,  
As we show the mercy you require of us,  
Grant us the petitions we humbly present to You.  
As we trust you for all your needs,  
Give us the joy of your constant presence.  
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.