

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

Celebrant: With a willingness to do whatever He tells us, we turn to the Lord with our needs.

Deacon/Lector:

That the Holy Father, the bishops, and all clergy may be blessed with gifts of faith, wisdom, and prophecy, we pray to the Lord...

That governments may preserve the common good by upholding God's plan for marriage as the union of one man and one woman, we pray to the Lord...

For deeper unity among all Christians, as they exercise the gifts given to the many parts of the Body of Christ, we pray to the Lord...

That as our nation remembers Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., we may continue to fulfill his dream of equality by advancing the protection of children in the womb, we pray to the Lord...

That the sick may have the grace to accept the Lord's will and may quickly come to healing, we pray to the Lord...

That all who have died may share in the banquet of eternal life, we pray to the Lord...

Celebrant:

Father, as we present our needs to you, fill us with the many gifts of your Spirit, that we may serve you and your people with strength and joy. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.