

## **PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL**

27<sup>th</sup> Sunday – Ordinary Time



*Celebrant: ... It is in our families that we first learn about love and also about our failure to love. We bring before the Lord the needs of our families and of the whole family of the Church*

***Reader:** ... We pray for those burdened with a sense of failure and disappointment in the wake of broken relationships: may they renew their trust in Jesus. . . . Lord, hear us.*

***Rd.** ... We pray for the success of the Synodal meeting of 2023. May those who take part in it be directed by the fire of the Holy Spirit. We pray for our parish representatives who take part in it. May they be guided by the Holy Spirit to represent the parish.... Lord, hear us.*

***Rd.** ... We pray for all families, especially those in any kind of need. May the members of families support each other and grow in unity. . . . Lord, hear us.*

***Rd.** ... We pray for all who suffer physical and emotional distress. May they find healing through the care shown them and may the peace of God fill their hearts. . . . Lord, hear us.*

***Rd.** ... We pray for all the faithful departed especially for Michael McBryan, Charles Martin Snr, Lynn Sellers, Gloria Albarico and Eddie Grogan. May they be gifted with the everlasting kingdom. .... Lord, hear us.*

*Celebrant: ... Loving Father, give us strength to do your will, gentleness to console the sad, and inspiration to guide us through the coming week. Help us to live in harmony all the days of our lives. We ask this through Christ our Lord.*