

**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**CYCLE C**  
**PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL**

**Celebrant:** Let us make our prayers of intercession as part of our pilgrimage of faith, following Christ to that eternal Jerusalem, our promised inheritance.

Our response is: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

1. For unity and peace with the Catholic Church on earth, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

2. For true liberty among the different peoples and nations of the world, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

3. For those who make weak excuses to escape the demands of faith in God, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

4. For courage in following our Master, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

5. For the eternal salvation of the faithful departed, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

**Celebrant:** God our Father, never let us look back or hesitate as we journey towards the kingdom. May these prayers for others strengthen us in faith. We ask this, through Christ our Lord. Amen.