

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
CYCLE C
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Celebrant: In receiving the gift of faith, we are called to obedience, to hope, and to be ready to welcome Christ at any hour. Let us intercede for others with a sense of that faith.

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

1. For Pope Francis, Bishop Paul, priests and deacons who serve and lead the household of faith, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

2. For world leaders, who one day must give an account of their work to God, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

3. For respect and care for God's creation in the environment, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

4. For faith that looks forward to an eternal city "founded, designed, and built by God," let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

5. That all who are in need may find suitable employment, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

6. For all who have died in faith, let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Celebrant: Eternal Father, we do not know the day or hour when your Son will return as judge. Look upon our prayers as signs of faith in his coming. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.