

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
CYCLE B
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Celebrant: We have heard the word of God proclaimed to us. He sees our sincere efforts to lead good lives and once again we ask Him for His help.

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

1. That the Church of God will fearlessly call people to repentance and believe in the Good News. Let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

2. That, like the citizens of Nineveh, people will believe in God and renounce their evil behaviour. Let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

3. That men and women will follow Christ and, as missionaries, become true “fishers of people.” Let us pray to the Lord.

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

4. That in this passing world, we will hold on to the eternal truths of the Good News of Christ and his Church. 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.*

Celebrant: Father, hear the prayers of your people. Do not look on our sinful ways, but show us your gentle mercy. We ask this, through Christ our Lord.
Amen.