

Intercessions for 23rd February

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time



PRIEST: God who “forgives all sins, heals our ills, redeems our lives and crowns us with mercy and compassion”, receive the prayers we offer you now in faith and hope.

READER:

For Pope Francis, that he be comfortable and serene during his current illness, and that, if it be your will, he return to good health.

(pause)

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For the communities in which we live and work: our parish, our workplaces, our homes our friendship groups, that we may thrive in harmonious relationships wherever we are.

(pause)

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For sound judgment in our dealings, in business, finance, work and interactions with each other, that we may be slow to anger and rich in patience and empathy.

(pause)

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For all who are ill that you bless them with your love and mercy.

(pause)

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For all who have died that they may be enjoying eternal rest in your heavenly kingdom.

(pause)

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We now ask Our Lady, Queen of Peace, to intercede for us now:

Hail Mary ...

Let us pray quietly for a few moments.

PRIEST: Almighty God whose compassion and grace know no bounds, look kindly upon us today, and hear our prayers. Through Christ Our Lord.

AMEN.