

**January 21, 2024**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Presider:**

Aware of God's quiet presence at work in our lives, we place our needs before him.

**Lector:**

Our response is: Lord, hear our prayer.

For all clergy, may the Holy Spirit continue to sanctify and purify them in Christ's name.

We pray to the Lord.

That nations may repent of the sins of abortion, euthanasia, and neglect of the poor and weak, and may reform their laws to protect every human life.

We pray to the Lord.

For the world, may all be drawn to Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit.

We pray to the Lord.

As the Apostles did for the early Church, may we strive to be disciples of Christ and stewards of the Lord by supporting the ministries and services made possible by the Diocesan Services Appeal: "As the Father has sent me, so I send you".

We pray to the Lord.

For those who suffer at the hands of others, may the Lord grant them reprieve, and bring them justice.

We pray to the Lord.

For our beloved departed, may they be shepherded by our compassionate God into the kingdom of heaven.

We pray to the Lord.

For all of us gathered here, that we may be given the grace to recognize the gifts we are offering in this liturgy.

We pray to the Lord.

 **Add Mass Intention for Time Slot on Left and the Candle Wall Intentions**

**Presider:**

Almighty Father, Lord of heaven and earth, hear our humble prayers, which we offer to you with confidence in your goodness and mercy. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.