



Intercessions for the 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time August 25, 2024

General Intercessions

For married couples: that they might give witness to the truth and beauty of God's design for married love, becoming an instrument for the conversion of others. Let us pray to the Lord.

For our families: may they be strengthened in their resolve to form households of service to God by serving one another and the community, especially those among us who are suffering or in need. Let us pray to the Lord.

Prayer for Greater Love in Families

Gracious God, help us to love each other fervently, with all our hearts.

Grow our love so deep that it is able and willing to overcome and forgive a multitude of misunderstandings and doubts.

Inspire a spirit of hospitality in each of us and enable us to cheerfully share our home.

We acknowledge that you have given each of us spiritual gifts. Help us to put our own interests aside and use those gifts to serve one another well. We will rely on the strength and energy you supply.

We pray that everything we do within this family will bring you glory through the One who lives in us.

Amen.

