

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL
October 18 -19, Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

That we, disciples of Jesus, may carry His message of inclusion, forgiveness and compassion to the world. **God always with us, we pray.**

That all men and women in authority will respond generously to the poor and helpless. **God always with us, we pray.**

For the nation: that our elected officials will honor and protect our constitution which has served us well throughout our nation's life. **God always with us, we pray.**

Help us to trust that you are always present and working through each of us to heal and transform the world. **God always with us, we pray.**

For the grace to be faithful stewards of your abundant blessings – that we may embrace the call to discipleship with generosity of hearts and live lives marked by charity and trust. **God always with us, we pray.**

Lord Jesus, when you were on earth, they brought the sick to you and you healed them. Today we ask you to bless all those in sickness, in weakness and in pain. **God always with us, we pray.**