

Intercessions
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time—September 4, 2022

Cantor: Oyenos, mi Dios....

- For the whole church and for all Christians striving to be adequate disciples in the face of competing demands; and for those within the church who present barriers to genuine discipleship. *We pray,*
- For those whose commitment to the gospel creates conflict with family members or friends, co-workers or neighbors...for whom discipleship is costly. *We pray,*
- For those whose afflicted by violence or poverty, prejudice or illness...for whom discipleship is difficult; and for those unwilling to bear the burden of discipleship. *We pray,*
- For those whose lives have been disrupted by flooding, especially in the south and in Pakistan. *We pray,*
- For the world's workers, especially the underpaid; the overworked; those who work in inhuman or demeaning conditions; and those who cannot find meaningful work. For employers seeking good workers. *We pray,*
- For all who are suffering in any way in our community; and for those we seek to serve through our own discipleship in this sacred corner of the city and beyond. *We pray,*
- We pray now for our own concerns; and for the courage to endure whatever suffering discipleship may bring (*pause*).
For all these things, we pray.