

Intercessions
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time—February 11, 2024

Cantor: Chu Kwu Nu Lu Olum

- For the whole church: that we may be Christ in the world by welcoming the sick and disenfranchised into our hearts, our homes, and our communities. *We pray,*
- For those treated as “lepers” today because of racism, sexism, economic inequality, or mental illness; and for the courage to to touch them, however we can. *We pray,*
- For healing within our dysfunctional political system and our many divisions. *We pray,*
- For those who are at risk because of today’s game: for the safety of athletes and fans, especially those dealing with addictions and mental health issues. *We pray,*
- For all of us in this community, especially those who are suffering in any way; for any families struggling with our own “lepers”; and for those considered socially unacceptable, whose lives we seek to touch through our ministries in this sacred corner of the city and beyond. *We pray,*
- We pray now for our own concerns; and for the courage to reach out to those we most resist touching (*pause*). *For all these things, we pray,*