Intercessions 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time—August 25, 2024

Cantor: Chu Kwu Nu Lu Olum.

- For the Church: that we may be ever open to hearing the words of eternal life, wherever they may lead us. *We pray*,
- For those about to make commitments to marriage; for those whose marriages are strained or broken; and for children in families where there is discord. For the strength and healing of all families. *We pray*,
- For all those returning to school: for teachers, administrators and parents, who impact the education of our youth; and for those without access to a good education. *We pray*,
- For resolutions to the intensifying crises in Ukraine and the Middle East—especially in Israel and Gaza. *We pray*,
- For wisdom among candidates and voters as political campaigns continue to heat up. *We pray*,
- For those among us who are sick, dying, grieving, or in any kind of need; for those struggling with the resurgence of Covid; and for our parish and our ministries as we enter another year of service to this sacred corner of the city and beyond. *We pray*,
- We pray now for our own concerns and for the knowledge of what it means for us to follow Christ (pause). For all these things, we pray,