

**Intercessions**  
**22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time—September 1, 2024**

**Cantor: Chu Kwu Nu Lu Olum.**

- For the church: that it may demonstrate the primacy of love and compassion over rules, laws and self-protection. *We pray,*
- For all whose work is to create laws and policies that are just, humane, and promote the dignity of all people. *We pray,*
- For the world's places of great danger, including Venezuela, Iran, Ethiopia, Sudan, Ukraine, Israel and Gaza. *We pray,*
- For wisdom and integrity on the part of candidates and voters, as the upcoming election heats up. *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 those among us who are sick, dying, grieving, or in any kind of need; and for those we continue to serve after 118 years in this sacred corner of the city and beyond. *We pray,*
- We pray now for our own concerns and for lives that reflect deep integrity and compassion (*pause*). *For all these things, we pray,*

