

### **Bidding Prayers 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary time 11<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> October 2025**

**Reader:** For prisoners around the world: those paying the price for a crime, prisoners of war or those held hostage, let us pray that they come to know the loving transformation, peace and renewal which comes from letting go to the presence of God.

**Lord, hear us.                      R. Lord graciously hear us.**

**Reader:** For Pope Leo, Bishop Marcus, Fr. Kieron and all those who heard God's invitation, put out into the deep and accepted a life of service, let us pray that they are strengthened and supported in their roles and that their teaching and guidance inspires an abundance of love throughout the church and beyond.

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**Reader:** For all those who live in freedom: let us pray that attachment to possessions, ego and power is transcended by the understanding of the freedom of Christ so that life is filled with love, service and devotion.

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**Reader:** For our communities: let us pray for the compassion and wisdom to put faith into action and support those who are affected by imprisonment. Let us pray that the most vulnerable are given; the help they need, the courage to overcome hurt or fear and the opportunity to thrive.

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**Reader:** Let us proclaim the power of Our Blessed Lady's intercession by saying...Hail Mary...