

SUGGESTED PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL
15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Celebrant:

Loving and gracious God you reveal yourself to us through your Word.
Having listened to the wisdom of the Word we turn to you in prayer:

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For the Pope, the Bishops and all our Church leaders:

That the Word of God continues to be a source of inspiration for them.
We pray to the Lord.

For the world:

That a spirit of openness and compassion animate the work of those who journey with
the displaced and the suffering.
We pray to the Lord.

For those who experience deep tragedy:

That they are sustained and nourished by concrete gestures and works of charity.
We pray to the Lord.

For those gathered around this table:

That our hearts be opened to enable us to hear God's word and respond to Jesus' call.
We pray to the Lord.

For those who are sick and those who care for the sick:

That they know rest, peace and comfort.
We pray to the Lord.

For those who have died recently:

and those whose anniversaries we remember at this time especially
May they rest with Christ in peace.
We pray to the Lord.

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Celebrant:

God of the word, we thank you for your constancy and for our blessings.
Hear the prayers we offer for ourselves and for the needs of our world.
We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.