



**25 September 2022**  
**Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



### **INTRODUCTION:**

Our presence at the Eucharistic table as disciples of Jesus comes with the responsibility of caring for the poor and the underprivileged with whom we are called to share from the richness of the blessings we receive from God.

### **READINGS:**

FIRST: Amos 6:1, 4-7  
SECOND: 1 Timothy 6:11-16  
GOSPEL: Luke 16:19-31

### **PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**

**CELEBRANT:** We give praise to God who is just to the oppressed and who listens to the prayers we make with faith in His mercy and generosity.

**Our response is:** GRACIOUS LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

For Pope Francis, the Bishops, Priests, Religious and the Lay Faithful; that they may always reflect the generosity of God in their outreach towards the financially challenged, the vulnerable and those suffering oppression... we pray to the Lord...

For leaders of governments and policy makers; that they may always seek to bridge the divide between the wealthy and those struggling to survive... we pray to the Lord...

For all of us who are dedicated to God; that we may share the resources we have with the less fortunate and those who are living in difficult circumstances... we pray to the Lord...

For the poor and marginalised; that they may always encounter people with generous hearts and be encouraged to work towards a better future... we pray to the Lord...

For our needs and intentions; that God may listen to our prayers we make with trust in His generosity... (pause for 7 seconds)... we pray to the Lord...

**CELEBRANT:** Thank you Lord for listening to the prayers we have made with faith in your love and mercy through Christ our Lord. Amen.