



**23 JUNE 2024**

**Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time - B**



**Introduction:**

Jesus teaches us that our faith should lead us to trust in God's protection and love, no matter how strong are the storms that we face in life. May our hearts be filled with peace as we celebrate God's presence in the Eucharist.

**Readings:**

**First Reading:** Job 38:1, 8-11  
**Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 107: 23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31  
**Second Reading:** 2 Cor 5:14-17  
**Gospel:** Mk 4: 35- 41

**Prayer of the Faithful:**

**Celebrant:**

Like the disciples we bring our worries and concerns to God whose mercy endures forever. Our response is: **HEAR OUR PRAYER O LORD**

For the Holy Father, the Bishops, Clergy, Religious and the Lay Faithful; that our faith may help us face stormy challenges and struggles that often disturb our peace... we pray...

For world leaders; that their efforts may help us tackle the insecurities of life so that all may enjoy prosperity and peace... we pray...

For each one of us here; that we may always be led by Jesus through difficult experiences and comforted by his enduring presence... we pray...

For our children and youth; that we may have Jesus as their anchor and guide in a world filled with confusing attractions... we pray...

For those suffering storms of illness, financial instability, breakdowns in relationships and violence; that they may never feel abandoned by God whose mercy endures forever... we pray...

For the personal prayers we now offer in faith, especially for a good monsoon; that God may listen to the needs of our hearts and be generous in His blessings... (Pause for 7 seconds) ... we pray...

**Celebrant:**

We give you thanks Almighty God for listening to the prayers we make through Christ our Lord. Amen.