

27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 1) Father, the main door to Your Kingdom is forgiveness, help us to recognize our weaknesses so that we may forgive others in the sincerity of our hearts, we pray to the Lord --
- 2) Father, help Your people to understand that marriage means dying to the self so that one may find fulfillment in another. May Your people be less selfish and find Your face in their spouses, we pray to the Lord --
- 3) Many families are living in fear and confusion because of the presence of sickness, addiction and poverty. Heal our sickness so that we may worship You in unity, in spirit and in truth, we pray to the Lord --
- 4) Father, many families suffer the effects of a parent's absence, separation and divorce. May Christ, Your Son, dwell in our families so that we may understand that the things which unite us are more important than those which separate us, we pray to the Lord --
- 5) Father, be mindful of the husbands and wives who go the extra mile to love and care for their spouses. Kindly bless them in this world and the world to come, we pray to the Lord --
- 6) Father, help our youth to be mindful of the contractual nature of marriage knowing that it is also a covenant with God, the Church and the whole human society, we pray to the Lord --
- 7) Many families are in sorrow because of the loss of the spouse and parent, bring consolation to all of them, especially Genevieve Kiefer as requested by Mary Guccini, we pray to the Lord--