

## Prayer of the Faithful: 28<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time

1. For Pope Francis; that we may respond to his invitation, during October, to pray the Rosary daily, asking the intercession of Our Lady and St. Michael, in protecting the people of God from evil. We pray for the quiet ministry of our parish Rosary group,  
Lord, hear us
2. For those in government; may they listen to the wisdom of the heart and respond to the needs of the most vulnerable in our country.  
Lord, hear us.
3. October is Mission month; we pray for missionaries; especially those orders based in our parish, those who have left family, friends and possessions, to follow in the footsteps of Jesus, for the sake of the Gospel.  
Lord, hear us.
4. For Sister Máire Hearty, Mercy Sister, who made her First Profession, in our church, on Saturday morning. May she be supported by our prayers as she begins her mission.  
Lord, hear us.
5. For all who suffer in body, mind or spirit, may the favour of the Lord shine on them.  
Lord, hear us.