

SUGGESTED PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS & REFUGEES

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B, 14 January 2018

One or two of the following petitions may be used, in addition to the parish's regular prayers of the faithful.

Petitions

That we may we seek a world where no one is forced to leave their home and where all can live in freedom, dignity and peace, we pray to the Lord.

For refugees who have been resettled, that they find their way in their new land, we pray to the Lord.

That refugees languishing in camps may find permanent, safe, and secure dwellings, we pray to the Lord.

That we will not tire of courageously living the Gospel, by recognizing and welcoming the smallest and most vulnerable, we pray to the Lord.

That our leaders would implement policies allowing for safe migration, just working conditions, and successful integration into society, we pray to the Lord.

For all the men, women and children who have died after leaving their homelands in search of a better life, we pray to the Lord.