

## PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**(Sunday) February 16, 2020**

**Father Alfredo:** God humbled himself to be born of a human family, and sanctified family life forever. For the needs of our families and our world, we now pray.

For the Church throughout the world, may God strengthened the hearts of believers and help us be missionaries in the world, *let us pray to the Lord ... Lord hear our prayer.*

For government officials and those in elected office, may God guide their leadership toward peace and justice, *let us pray to the Lord... Lord hear our prayer.*

For all our families, especially those who are struggling, that the Lord give them many graces for unity and joy, *let us pray to the Lord... Lord hear our prayer.*

For all of us gathered here today, as a family, may we be fed by the Holy Eucharist, to open our hearts to the goodness of God's love, *let us pray to the Lord...Lord hear our prayer.*

For the sick and for those who care for them, *let us pray to the Lord...Lord hear our prayer.*

For all who have died, especially Joe & Jose Manuel deLima, may they be welcomed into their glorious dwelling place in heaven, *let us pray to the Lord....Lord hear our prayer*

**Lector:** We will now pray for Vocations

**Fr. Alfredo:** Eternal God...

Bless your church with holy and faithful priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of your Son, so that in him, with him and through him we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere. With Mary we ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen