September 17, 2017 – 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

PENITENTIAL ACT

Lord Jesus, you told Peter that we must forgive one another without limit: Lord, have mercy. Christ Jesus, you showed him and us the depth of God's mercy: Christ, have mercy. Lord Jesus, you call us to the same depth and breadth of forgiveness: Lord, have mercy.

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Presider: Let us pray, my friends, for all who need to forgive or be forgiven.

Lector: For the church: That it may always seek, as well as grant, forgiveness ... we pray,

- For those responsible for peacemaking in our nation and throughout the world ... we pray,
- For families who experience brokenness and are in need of mutual forgiveness ... we pray,
- For pastors, catechists, and all who prepare people for the sacrament of penance ... we pray,
- For those who have been unable to forgive or who perceive forgiveness as weakness... we pray.
- For those in positions of authority who do not know how to ask for forgiveness ... we pray,
- For the most vulnerable among us, especially the unjustly maligned or persecuted, the belittled or betrayed, the abused or forgotten ... we pray,
- We pray for those in the world affected by natural disasters, hurricanes, flooding, and other effects of climate change... we pray,
- For all who are in any kind of need in this community, especially the sick, the dying and the grieving ... and for those who have died ... (*including*)... we pray,

Saturday/Sábado, September 16, 2017

5:00 pm For the People [Skip intention...Do not read including]

Sunday/Domingo, September 17, 2017

8:30 am † Garza Family 10:30 am † Juan Reyes, Sr. 12:30 pm † Andres Loredo

Presider O God, you have shown us through Jesus that forgiveness has no bounds. Give us the humility to ask for forgiveness when we have injured one another and the generosity to forgive those whom we have injured. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.