**Bidding Prayers for the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B**

**Priest: We are about to offer and receive Christ our Lord, that “living bread which comes down from heaven”. As the Father draws us to his Son, let us pray with concern for the needs of others.**

Reader: That the Eucharistic Church may express its communion with Christ by a constant ministry of charity and mercy. Lord Hear Us

Reader: That the Father may draw all the nations to the eternal reign of his Son. Lord Hear Us

Reader: That those who see little need for God in their lives may be drawn back to the nourishment of the Eucharist. Lord Hear Us

Reader: That we may recognise Jesus at this altar, “giving himself up in our place as a fragrant offering and a sacrifice to God”. Lord Hear Us

Reader: That the faithful departed who received the bread of life may live forever, especially those from our parish family here at St Georges

Lord Hear Us

Reader: We pray to Mary our mother in Heaven…………Hail Mary…..

We now pray in silence for our own needs

**Priest: Father, we believe in you and in your Son, our Eucharist; grant the petitions of this community through Christ our Lord**

**Amen.**