**Bidding Prayers for the Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B**

**Priest: Our Lord challenges us to exchange the material riches of this world for his eternal wisdom. Our prayers, as his people, can help us enter his kingdom.**

Reader: That the Catholic Church may free men and women from materialism and folly, Lord Hear Us

Reader: That wealthy nations may share their resources with poor nations and not exploit them, Lord Hear Us

Reader: That Christians who are rich may learn the wisdom of sharing their wealth with generous charity, Lord Hear Us

Reader: That we may have wisdom to understand and interpret Gods living and active word, Lord Hear Us

Reader: That the faithful departed from our parish may inherit eternal life and the riches of the kingdom Lord Hear Us

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

We now pray in silence for our own needs

**Priest: Most loving Father, hear the petitions of the people you have gathered at this altar, to hear your word of wisdom and to be nourished by your beloved Son, who lives and reigns for ever and ever.**

**Amen.**