## General Intentions November 18, 2018

For the Church: that we may be a light in times of confusion and turmoil through the witness of our lives and our compassionate care for others.... Let us pray to the Lord.

For all leaders of the church: that God will give them wisdom in addressing the issues of abuse and inspire them with effective ways to keep children and vulnerable adults safe.... Let us pray to the Lord.

For the gift of hope: that no matter what challenges we face, we may remain confident that with God all things are possible .... Let us pray to the Lord.

For the grace of discernment: that we may understand the signs of the times and recognize God's presence, action and invitation each day .... Let us pray to the Lord.

For displaced persons, particularly the migrants traveling through Mexico: that God will guide them on the sojourn, keep them safe from harm and help them find places where they can live safely.... Let us pray to the Lord.

For all who have contemplated suicide: that God's love will break into their hearts and help them recognize a reason to live.... **Let us pray to the Lord.** 

For all who have died, especially Fr. Ed Borycz, plus Ed and Rose Borycz: that God's love will bring healing and wholeness to all who have gone before us.... **Let us pray to the Lord.**