## General Intentions December 18, 2022

For the Church: that we, like Joseph, may wholeheartedly live our faith traditions and yet remain open to the mystery of God's unconventional work in our lives and the world around us.....Let us pray to the Lord.

For the gift of wisdom: that like Mary, we may perceive the invitation of God in the strange and sometimes unreasonable situations into which God calls us.....Let us pray to the Lord.

For freedom from judging others: that like Joseph, we may hold our judgments so that the work of God may unfold in the hearts and lives of those who are dear to us.....Let us pray to the Lord.

For all who are caught by consumerism: that God will free their minds and hearts so that they may hear God's call and choose the greater good in their use of their time and resources.....Let us pray to the Lord.

For reconciliation within families: that in our celebrations of God being with us, we may forgive past hurts and strive to renew relationships in our families.....Let us pray to the Lord.

For healing of our bodies, minds, attitudes, and spirits: that God will heal and make whole all the sick, wounded, and broken areas within us so that we may more fully be instruments of God's love.....Let us pray to the Lord.

For all who have died, particularly Deceased Members of the Sinclair Family: may they be shown mercy and find their rest in Christ, we pray to the Lord .....Let us pray to the Lord.