

Bidding Prayers 1st 2nd Feb 25 - *Presentation of the Lord & World day for the consecrated life.*

Reader: For the global church, let us pray that through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, we are all witnesses to the truth and allow the light of God's presence to shine through each one of us, allowing God's purpose for the world to unfold.

Lord, hear us.

R. Lord graciously hear us.

Reader: For all those recently confirmed by Bishop Marcus, let us pray that they grow in wisdom and knowledge, that this helps them understand the unifying essence of Christ and to live a life blessed with the loving awareness of the presence of God.

Lord, hear us.

R. Lord graciously hear us

Reader: For all those who live a consecrated life, especially Fr. Keiron, Bishop Marcus and Pope Francis. Let us pray that their service inspires countless others to live a life set apart for God's purposes.

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Reader: For the poor, persecuted, sick and all those who are suffering. Let us pray that they are strengthened and defended, healed and protected, by the loving power of God, working through all our communities.

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Reader: Let us proclaim the power of Our Blessed Lady's intercession by saying...Hail Mary...