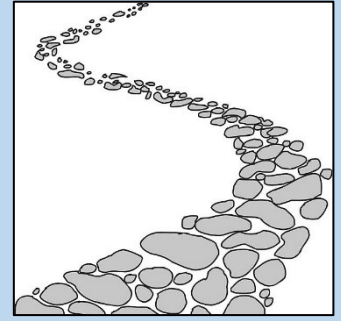


# WALKING THE PATH



## Walking the Path ... of Gratitude

Thank you, God,  
 for the life you have blessed me with.  
 Thank you for the opportunities  
 that I have been given and for the strength  
 to make the most of them.  
 Thank you for your unconditional love  
 which sees me through challenges  
 and keeps me going.  
 You are an ever-present source  
 of comfort and hope,  
 and I am deeply grateful for all that you do for me.  
 Amen.


**21<sup>st</sup> January 2024**  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday  
 Ordinary Time

In Mark's Gospel,  
 Jesus proclaims :  
 "The Kingdom  
 of God is close  
 at hand."



## Prayer Intention : For Unity Amongst Christians

**PLACE OF PILGRIMAGE : Jerusalem**




The *Via Dolorosa* (Way of Sorrows) is a processional route in the Old City. It represents the path that Jesus took on the way to His crucifixion. The route follows 14 Stations of the Cross from the site of the Antonia Fortress, where Jesus was condemned, to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre half a mile away

**SS. Timothy & Titus**

Pope Benedict XVI discussed these great companions of St Paul and early bishops during a general audience on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2006, noting "their readiness to take on various offices" in "far from easy" circumstances. Both saints, the Pope said, "teach us to serve the Gospel with generosity, realizing that this also entails a service to the Church herself."



Both Timothy and Titus received letters from St Paul, included in the New Testament!



"The Gospel is for everyone."  
 - Pope Francis, *World Youth Day 2023*

