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## GENERAL INTENTION FOR AUGUST.

*Named by the Cardinal Protector and blessed by the Pope  
for all the Associates.*

### Parochial Works.

**T**HE Church from century to century is constantly exposed to new and ever varying attacks in the warfare she is obliged to wage against the spirit of the world, whilst Christ, her Divine Founder, watches with infinite love and tenderness her progress toward the term of her divinely appointed mission among men. It is through His Providence that great and holy personages, just as the requirements of the occasion demand, spring up unexpectedly and become her sturdy and successful defenders, and leave the impress of their character and works upon the century. It is His enduring solicitude which calls to the See of Peter and the supreme government of the faithful illustrious Popes, who, from their high vantage-