

Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances.

1 Thessalonians Ch.5 v's 16, 17, 18

Heavenly Father of love, peace and compassion as we come into the stillness of your presence, may we experience the joy that only you can give when we are at one with you our Father.

Amen

My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.

Exodus Ch.33 v.14

Holy Father we bring our thoughts and anxieties to you knowing that we are always in your care. We bring to you those who suffer the results of war, those made homeless, the people young and old who are injured mentally and physically. May our confidence not falter. We look to you for help; we know you will not fail them in their need. Show us how to help.

Amen

He defends the cause of the fatherless and the widow, and loves the alien, giving him food and clothing.

Deuteronomy Ch.10 v. 18

Loving Father we thank you for the wonder of your creation, the promise of spring, new growth appearing, the snowdrops, aconites and the beginning of buds on the trees. May our hearts and minds be always receptive to the many blessings that surround us and your love so freely given.

Amen

For the Lord will be your everlasting light, and your God will be your glory.

Isaiah Ch.60 v. 19

Father of all we pray for our families and friends, we pray for children and their future, for parents and their responsibilities. We bring into your Holy Presence the lonely, the elderly, those who are ill in mind; body and spirit make us aware of our

responsibilities to each other as we live each day.

Amen

Let us be concerned for one another to help one another to show love and to do good.

Hebrews Ch.10 v. 24

Lord we pray for your church throughout the world, for all who minister in your name, may they be given wisdom, guidance and direction. We pray especially for our Church families at Cardington, St. Michael's and Elstow, Guide Jeremy, Peter and Stephen. We bring before you all our activities with the young people and our youth leaders. Bless our Bible study groups, prayer groups and the young person's Alpha group.

In your name we ask

Amen

For God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a spirit of power, of love and self - discipline.

2 Timothy Ch.1.v.7

Father of all we pray for all who are facing financial difficulties, those facing the loss of homes and employment. Give wisdom to those who govern us on earth to lead us through these times. May we who serve and love you, serve and help with your guidance those we meet who need help.

In your name we ask
Amen

I am the Lord, your God I strengthen you and say, “Do not be afraid, I will help you”.

Isaiah Ch.41 v. 13

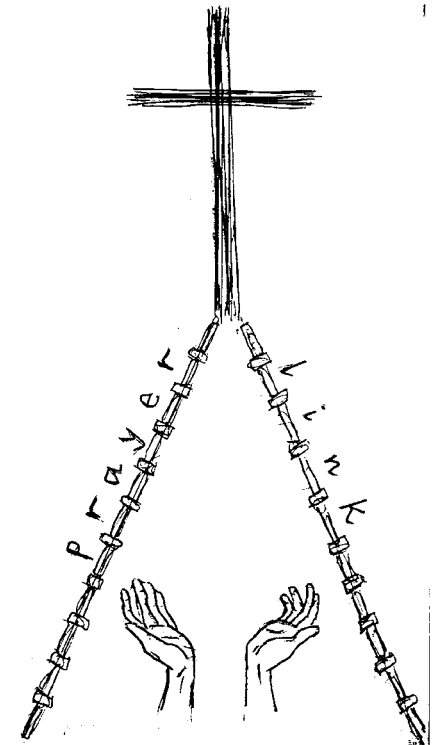
Thank you Holy Father that we can bring our concerns to you in prayer, that you are a listening Father and know our needs and what is best for us. As each day changes we pray for guidance, help us to serve you in the daily round and common task so that

we bring honour and glory to your name.

Amen

Lord, you establish peace for us; all that we have accomplished you have done for us.

Isaiah Ch.26 v.12



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How gracious he will be when you cry for help! As soon as he hears, he will answer you.

Isaiah Ch.30 v.19