

### **The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen.

*Pause*

We are not people of fear:  
we are people of courage.  
We are not people who think  
only of ourselves:  
we are people who care about our neighbours.  
We are not people of greed;  
we are people of generosity.  
We are your people God,  
giving, loving,  
wherever we are,  
for as long as it takes  
wherever you call. Amen

### **Concluding Prayer**

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit  
be with us all, now and evermore. Amen.



### **Opening words from Scripture**

those who hope in the LORD  
will renew their strength.  
They will soar on wings like eagles;  
they will run and not grow weary,  
they will walk and not be faint.

*Isaiah 40:31*

The Lord be with you  
And also with you

Almighty and everlasting God,  
we thank you that you have brought us  
safely to the beginning of this day.  
Keep us from falling into sin or running into danger;  
order us in all our doings and guide us  
to do always what is righteous in your sight;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Keep us, good Lord,  
under the shadow of your mercy  
in this time of uncertainty and distress.  
Sustain and support the anxious and fearful,  
and lift up all who are brought low;  
that we may rejoice in your comfort  
knowing that nothing can separate us from your love  
in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

### **Confession**

Let us bring to mind and to the Lord those things we may  
have said, thought and done where we have fallen short.

*Silence*

Lord have mercy

**Lord have mercy**

Christ have mercy

**Christ have mercy**

Lord have mercy

**Lord have mercy**

**May God who loved the world so much  
that he sent his Son into the world,  
forgive us, restore us  
and make us holy to serve him in the world.  
Amen**

**Bible Reading** *See our church website for today's reading or  
use one of your choice*

**Short reflection** *watch on the live stream or the video on the  
church website*

### **Profession of Faith**

**We believe in God the Father,  
from whom every family  
in heaven and on earth is named.  
We believe in God the Son,  
who lives in our hearts through faith,  
and fills us with his love.  
We believe in God the Holy Spirit,  
who strengthens us  
with power from on high.  
We believe in one God;  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
Amen.**

### **Prayers of Intercession**

*Prayers may be made for:*

- The world
- The church
- Those in need
- Ourselves

**God of compassion,  
be close to those who are ill,  
afraid or in isolation.  
In their loneliness,  
be their consolation;  
in their anxiety, be their hope;  
in their darkness, be their light;  
through him who suffered alone on the cross,  
but reigns with you in glory,  
Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**