

TOGETHER IN PRAYER

JULY 2025.

We pray because God wants us to, He wants us to relate to Him and we pray because this is how to pursue a relationship with Him, into which He has invited us.
Cardinal Basil Hume 1966

1st Hope is the silver shaft of sun braking through the storm darkened sky, a rainbow, a song, a loving touch. Hope, is knowing God and resting in His love.

2nd *Sing O daughter of Zion, shout aloud O Israel. Be glad and rejoice with all your heart O daughter of Jerusalem.*
Zeph 3:14

3rd *A wrong attitude towards nature implies, somewhere, a wrong attitude towards God.* T.S Eliot.

4th We pray to You O Lord this day, to open our eyes and our hearts to those in need, in our families, communities and the wider world.

5th Our journey in life is uncertain but You O Lord, are , our certainty. Always, within and without us, equipping us with everything we need, Thank You Lord for Your mercy and blessings on our lives.

6th *The Glory of God is a human being fully alive; and to be alive consists in beholding God. It is the awesome sunshine of God's presence that true joy abounds.*
St Irenaeus of Lyon.

7th We give thanks and praise for the beautiful world we live in. We pray Father, that we are conscientious guardians of its precious, scarce resources. That we protect and keep safe from harm, that which we can.

8th We You give thanks and praise for this marvellous season of summertime Father. Especially for those who are on holiday from work and study. Praying, for safe journeys and arrivals for those travelling to holiday destinations. May all, be refreshed and rejuvenated during their precious time of rest and relaxation.

9th Praying today, for the work of the farmers and fishermen of Your world O Bountiful Father. They strive, tend and care for, Your precious land and sea; which provides food and the means to nourish Your people. Thank You Lord for all Your good gifts You give so freely to us.

10th We bring before You O Lord, all those who have asked us, to pray for them. You know each and every one of them Lord; their particular circumstances; their challenges. We bring before You, all those who are near and dear to us. Be with them Lord, give them strength and courage to bear their loads.

11th Father God we pray today, that everything in our lives is in accordance with Your will and purpose. Amen.

12th Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom the power and the Glory forever and ever Amen.

13th Lord Jesus, help us to be kind and gentle to one another. Guide us to a greater understanding, of each other's differences, not to be judgemental and to live in peace with all.

14th Thank You Lord for the pleasure of this day, today is a rest day for many workers. Thank You Lord for the gift of pleasure, leisure and for the privilege of rest and recreation.

15th The Lord bless You and keep you. The Lord cause his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace.

16th Father God we know there are millions upon millions of Your people who live in fear for their lives, live in oppression and are imprisoned because they are Christians and profess their faith in You. We uphold them to You, may they know You are with them always. You are, our Price of Peace our Saviour and Redeemer.

17th Lord, may we be humbled, as we wonder at Your greatness and power; Your gentleness and love. Help us to worship You in our words and actions, in our hearts and souls. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

18th *Bless our homes Father, that we cherish the bread before there is none, discover each other before we leave and enjoy each other for what we are, while we have time.*
A prayer from Hawaii

19th We bring before You today O Lord, those who are experiencing testing and challenging times in their lives. We pray they receive Your strength and courage Father, hope and encouragement, to find You, in each of their situations. May peace reign in their lives.

20th We bring before You merciful Lord, all Your people whose lives have been devastated by natural disasters. We cannot begin to imagine the adversity families are living and existing in. We ask You bountiful Lord, for provision for their needs and comfort as they face death and loss of loved ones. Amen.

21st We give thanks for the work of health specialists, carers and those who support, the disadvantaged of Your world. You know Lord, there are many who are suffering from abuse of their human rights, abuse of their minds and abuse of their bodies. Be with them all Lord; may they feel Your constant care and love for them.

22nd Praying today Father for the people throughout the world who are incarcerated in prison. Their liberties taken away for all manner of crimes and wickedness against their fellow man. May their time of separation from their family, friends and society, offer them an opportunity to reflect and realise what they have done; to repent and make good the hurt and hardship they have caused their victims.

23rd We pray today for all governmental leaders throughout the world. We pray Lord You bestow upon them, wisdom and guidance in the decisions they make. That equity, fairness and justice, will prevail in the societies they represent.

24th *In the rush and noise of life, as you have intervals, step within yourselves and be still. Wait upon God and feel his good presence, this will carry you through your day's business. William Penn (1644-1718)*

25th Father we thank You for our daily work. Whatever the challenges, help us to overcome them with grace and cheerfulness. For the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord our Master and Friend Amen.

26th Father we ask You to Bless our Faith family We give thanks for all our gifts and talents. Praying, that they are used in accordance of Your Will; furthering Your Kingdom here in rural France.

27th We bring before You today O Lord, all who celebrate and rejoice in their lives in this marvellous world, you have given us. We give You thanks and praise for birth, baptism and marriage.

28th Pray without ceasing.

29th *Dear Lord Jesus, we shall have this day only once; before it is gone, help us to do all the good we can, so that today is not, a wasted day.*

Rabindranath Tagore

30th Thank You Wonderful God for the people You bring into our lives; whose love and care; support and kindness are shaping us, to be the people You, want us to be. Amen.

31st *The Lord will watch over your coming and going, now and forever.*

Psalm 121:8