

Intercessions for 14/2/21

Our Heavenly Father,

We are here..... because we believe.....because we believe you are our one true God.

Lord, we are here..... because we are searching to believe, because we are know there's more to life.

Lord Jesus, in our humanity, you know we have our weaknesses & can be easily swayed to look at every option before we kneel before you.

Lord we invite you to be where we are right now, stand in our midst, hear our every prayer & come meet with us.

**Lord in Your mercy. Hear our prayers.....**

With this in our hearts, we pray into the needs of our broken world.

We ask you to bring your life changing power into lands where there is more conflict than peace.

Into homes which have more conflicts than peace.

Into relationships which have more conflicts than peace.

Our ever-loving Father, bring hope to the vulnerable & needy. Bring hope to the persecuted & the unnoticed.

**Lord in Your mercy. Hear our prayers.....**

Lord, your eyes watch over the whole world.

We bring our prayers before You surrounding the current political conflicts in Russia & Burma.

Holy Spirit, come upon these nations. Rest upon all those in power, on those who threaten freedom of speech, on those who subvert the cause of justice. We pray for those who are wanting to bring fairness & an open democracy.

**Lord in your mercy. Hear our prayers.....**

Sovereign God, we pray for our Nation. We bring before our Prime Minister. Guide him & his advisors in the coming days & weeks as they make decisions which influence all our lives. May they know your wisdom & discernment as they bring news to us this coming week of our way forward in this pandemic.

**Lord in Your mercy. Hear our prayers.....**

Gracious God, we lift up to You Your beloved church. Over this past year, Lord, we recognise how far we have come. We have learned a great deal about perseverance, patience & faithfulness & witnessed many changes. We have so much to thank you for! We thank you for our faithful church wardens, Emma & Beki & ask You to meet their needs as they adapt to the changes they encounter. We also thank you for the ministry of our tech team, as they diligently work each week to provide us with our Sunday services.

Lord, as we receive the 'Giving Packs' lay upon our hearts, what you would have us do in Your service whether of our time or financially. Lord Jesus, may the light shine in our hearts to serve you in this place.

Holy Spirit, empower your church. Minister to us, refresh our spirit. Inspire our hearts. Let us pause for a moment to meditate upon your goodness.

**Merciful Father, Accept these prayers,**

**For the sake of Your Son,**

**Our Saviour, Jesus Christ,**

**Amen**