INTERCESSIONS

In the power of the Spirit and in union with Christ,

Let us pray to the Father.

1. Our World

 Gracious God, thank you for the gift of our earthly home. Give us the courage to look after our planet as responsible stewards. You preside over seasons. Restore our seasons to Your design to preserve the animal kingdom you created, especially polar bears and guerrillas.

Lord in Your mercy, hear our prayer.

• Grant our world leaders courage to govern and serve the people entrusted to their care. Guide and watch over their families and wellbeing. Give them wisdom and humility to seek You in their daily responsibilities of their office.

Lord in Your mercy, hear our prayer.

Our Church

 Generous God, thank you for providing for the needs of St Paul's, our mission partners, the foodbank, Choice and other charities in our community. Give grace to those who serve in the life of our church especially our shepherds amongst us. Pour out Your Spirit on all mankind.

Lord in Your mercy hear our prayer.

• Our Children:

Loving Father, as our children go to Bridgewater, guide them by Your Spirit. Teach them your ways and gift them with a sensitivity to lean into You. Bless them with the fruits of the Spirit to season their generation. Give grace to their teachers and chaperones.

Lord in Your mercy, hear our prayer.

Merciful Father accept these prayers, for the sake of Your Son, our saviour Jesus Christ, Amen.