

Lets Pray.

Spirit of God... breathe upon us. Breathe into our hearts as we pray. Turn our hearts into channels of love, bringing to us a new life, a new purpose & a heart to worship You.

Spirit of God..... breathe upon us.

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

Lord by your mighty power bring peace to all the nations of the world who are at war. Bring compromise & integrity to world leaders who strive for a worldly rule, seeking wealth & power, rather than your kingdom of service & peace.

Dear Father, you are a God of justice. You care for those who are currently oppressed & marginalised by regimes of terror. Provide peace & hope for all those who need you this day. We remember our Iranian friends, only with us for a short time, bless them on their journey of life & faith, we pray.

Spirit of God.... breathe on our world.

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

Sovereign God, we lift up to You, our nation. We thank you for all we have, for churches we can freely worship in, for doctors & nurses working on our behalf to deliver the best they can, for a democracy which many nations would long to experience. Lord, we thank for a country with exceptional beauty. Yet Lord, we know we fail You & as a nation we don't always acknowledge You as Sovereign. We ask you to keep your loving hand upon us.

Spirit of God.... breathe on our land.

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

Faithful God, we pray for your church. We thank you for our recent centenary celebrations. Thank you, Lord Jesus, for being our ever-present guide during our various seasons. Bind our hearts together as we progress to further your Church. Help us to honour you with our very being & to be the best witnesses we can be within the life & ministry of this church.

Spirit of God..... Breathe on your church

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

Heavenly Father, you know each of our personal concerns. We bring before you those whose lives are overshadowed by illness or pain, or are darkened by sorrow or bereavement.

We pray for the hope & comfort of your spirit, remembering, any who are battling cancer, heart disease or have life changing illnesses. Loving Father, we ask that you would draw close to their families & carers.

In a few moments of silence, we bring before you Lord, any who are known to us personally.

Holy Spirit...

Take hold of all the concerns we have today.

Take hold of our **hearts**

Take hold of our prayers

On this day of Pentecost, we pray. "Come Holy Spirit"

**Merciful Father Accept these prayers for the sake of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen**