

Prayers for the 9th of July 2023

Dear Lord, we worship you this morning.

Your word says whenever two or three are gathered, you are there with them and so we ask you to come and be with us now, King of glory.

We know that no matter what we do, God, you are always good.

Be with us today and teach us every day to see and feel your goodness and wonder that come from spending time with you.

Lord, help us to focus on you this morning. Quieten our busy minds and help us to feel your presence as we worship and adore you.

Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Loving and faithful God, give us peace and give us hope. Bless and protect us, our friends and families, our local area of Letchworth and our wider church community. We pray that through all the outreach we do with the likes of the community café, the holiday clubs, you continue to surprise us Lord. With what we do for you Lord, we thank you for all the multiplication and overflow that we will see, in Jesus' name.

Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

We pray for the sick and those in need who have nowhere to turn. We pray that you are there for those where the load is too heavy for them to bear.

Father Lord, take control as we spend a few moments in silence bringing forward names of people and circumstances on our minds that we know need your intervention.

Heavenly King, give us the humility to accept help from others in our own times of need.

Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Father, King and awesome God, we take this time to pray for the people of France. Dear Lord, let your light shine in the darkest places through these protests. I pray for conflict resolution and a peaceful end to unrest.

Make a way where there seems to be no way Lord, in all the parts of the world where there is unrest. We know that as a God of miracles, you will pave the way for peace and understanding in these places and indeed here at home, wherever there is conflict.

Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

As I bring these prayers to a close, I thank you for this most precious time spent with you. Have your way in our lives and help us to see daily miracles in all we do this week. Give us experiences with you that show us that we are loved, we are chosen and You are more than enough for us Lord.

Thank you Jesus!

Merciful father accept these prayers for the sake of your son, Jesus Christ.