

Trinity 16 Intercessions

Lord we pause to pray for the Middle East – especially the people of The Holy Land. (Pause)

We pray for all new Deacons, Curates and Ministers - including Gail Adcock and Christopher Scott. Please help them to discern your will, give them wisdom and courage to work for the good of your Church and for the Spiritual care of all people.

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer

God of righteousness and truth, we pray for His Majesty's government and all those elected to serve us

May their decisions be honest, wise and compassionate

May they realise and be sorry for mistakes that cause harm and strive to make amends

Lord in your mercy

We thank you for our listening ears and minds, our sensitivity and openness to opinions that differ from our own

We pray in gratitude for the fellowship that helps us sustain our faith

We ask that you continue to guide us and our loved ones through our life journeys

Lord in your mercy

We give thanks for the joy your creation brings to us

Help us to marvel at the mysteries and miracles of your world and recognise it's worth

May we support those who work to restore and protect the Earth – and be active in influencing others to do likewise.

Lord in your mercy

We pray for the sick and for those in need of prayer for other reasons.

Please comfort them and lighten burdens.

We give thanks for all who have heard your word and kept their Faith especially at this time: Fred Ardron.

We remember before you friends and loved ones at rest in your kingdom (PAUSE) please bless and keep them in eternal life.

Heavenly Father

We thank you for your strength that fills us and your love that heals us;
for your presence with us today and your hand that will lead us into tomorrow.

Merciful Father accept these prayers for the sake of Son – our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

We say together:

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours
now and for ever.
Amen.