

Prayer at Noon

(These prayers are a suggested in this season of 'breaking out' from lockdown and as we adjust to the new advice and guidelines)

Thy Kingdom Come.... On Earth as in Heaven

Opening Prayer

The Lord our God, the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and shout for joy, giving God the glory.

Lord, direct our thoughts, and teach us to pray. Lift up our hearts to worship you in spirit and in truth, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Be with us Spirit of God: nothing can separate us from your love. Breathe on us breath of God; fill us with your saving power. Speak in us wisdom of God; bring strength healing and peace.

Silence

The Lord is here. His Spirit is with us.

Word

Suggested readings – 'The Kingdom of God'

Monday	Psalm 1	Proverbs 3: 1-12
Tuesday	Psalm 34	Matthew 13: 1-23
Wednesday	Psalm 115: 1-13	Matthew 13: 24 – 30, 36 -43
Thursday	Psalm 20	Matthew 13: 44-52
Friday	Psalm 116	Matthew 6:25-34
Saturday	Psalm 42	Matthew 5: 43-48

Prayers

Galatians 5:22,23

We pray that God's Holy Spirit may direct our lives.

Lord, come to bless us. Fill us with your Spirit.

'The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy and peace'.
Father we know that our world needs love and harmony.
Lord, come to bless us. Fill us with your Spirit

Pray about;

- An item from today's news.
- A local business

'The fruit of the Spirit is patience, kindness and goodness'. Father we know that our world is starved of love and care.

Lord, come to bless. Fill us with your Spirit

Pray about;

- Family and Friends.
- Your neighbours and a specific part of the Malvern community.

The fruit of the Spirit is faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Father we know that our world is short of truth and justice.

Lord, come to bless. Fill us with your Spirit

Pray about;

- Governments and leaders
- Another country

Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen

Lord's Prayer

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.

Blessing

In darkness and in light, in trouble and in joy, help us heavenly Father, to trust your love, to serve your purpose, and to praise your name; though Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

The Lord bless us and keep us,
The Lord make his face shine upon us and be gracious to us;
The Lord turn his face towards us and give us peace. Amen

Numbers 6: 24 -27