DAILY PRAYER

WHEN WE CANNOT MEET IN CHURCH

If you are able, then perhaps
you could light a candle
to remind you of Christ with you.



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O Lord, open our lips

And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Your faithful servants bless you.

They make known the glory of your kingdom.

Blessed are you, Sovereign God, ruler and judge of all, to you be praise and glory for ever.

In the darkness of this age that is passing away

May the light of your presence which the saints enjoy surround our steps as we journey on.

May we reflect your glory this day and so be ready to see your face in the heavenly city where night shall be no more.

Blessed by God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. **Blessed be God forever.**

The night is passed and the day lies open before us; Let us pray with one heart and mind.

Silence

As we rejoice in the gift of this new day, so may the light of your presence, O God, set our hearts on fire with love for you; Now and forever. **Amen**

Ministry of the Word

(either choose a favourite, or look up, the readings for the day on line if you are able).

Psalm

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now and shall be forever. Amen

Gospel

Read it twice and then spend some time reflecting on it and talking about what struck you.

Prayers for the world and each other.

For our world at large; things in the news.

For our community.

For our friends and family.

For ourselves.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Blessing

May the Lord bless you and keep you,
May the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
May the Lord turn his face towards you and give you peace.
Go to the day ahead in the light and peace of Christ.

Thanks be to God.