

Bidding Prayers for coronavirus

‘Always be joyful; pray constantly; in every situation give thanks; this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus.’

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Trusting in God we pray:

For those throughout God’s world who are suffering from the impact of coronavirus

- may the Lord of Mercy bring them health and healing.

For the physically weak, isolated and vulnerable people in every country

- may the Lord of Compassion inspire us to reach out and care for our sisters and brothers.

For those who are working tirelessly to care for those who are seriously ill

- may the Lord of Love give them courage and wisdom in their service of the most vulnerable.

For those dedicated to finding vaccines and treatments for this contagion

- may the Lord of Wisdom grant them all knowledge and understanding.

For those who are grieving the loss of a loved one at this time

- may the Lord of Hope give them strength and courage to continue in their faith.

For those all who have died especially <name>

- may the Lord of Life raise them up and welcome them into their heavenly home.

God our Father, your son Jesus Christ came into our world to heal us of all divisions and bring us life in abundance. By the power of your Spirit help us strive together as one family of many nations to help and serve those in greatest need in this crisis.

We ask this in the name of Jesus our Risen Lord.

Amen.