Prayers Trinity 1

Let us join in praying together with all God's people to the Lord of the Harvest:

Heavenly Father we thank you for the gift of life,

And above all for your love in dying for us, and for breaking down all barriers that prevent us from being at peace with you.

Father we give you thanks for the diversity and richness of our world:

We thank you for those who protested peacefully to remind the world that black lives matter. Help us to strive for justice and truth and to end hatred and violence.

We pray for all victims of our world's evils and inequalities and ask that we may always be mindful about protecting and caring for the vulnerable and outcast.

We ask your guidance and courage for leaders around the world that they may seek to make truly wise decisions that lead to justice and peace for all.

Father we thank you for the joy of families and friendships, the opportunities and protection provided by our homes to learn what real love is about during this pandemic.

We pray for those we worry about and those who love and worry about us, commending one another to your keeping.

Father we thank you for all who work in the NHS, our care homes and all who are involved in medical research who bring healing, quality of life and care for so many of us. We pray for their safety along with all those who are returning to work.

We pray for all who are ill at the moment, remembering:

Mollie Day

Charlotte Lay

Wendell Newbold

William Murche

Ghislaine Bolton

David

And those who feel worried or frightened.

We give you thanks for all those who have died and are now in your safer keeping

Dr Dorothy Anderson

Duncan Boyd

Father we thank you for all those who have shared the good news of your love with us and helped us along our journey of faith. Help us, like them, to share the good news with others. Inspire us to be prepared to show in our actions and our words what a difference you make in our lives.

Merciful Father, accept these prayers for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord Amen.