

Monday 13th April 2020

Good morning!

1) A fun (and helpful) prayer habit is to pray “A to Z”....

It works well anywhere but is especially good during a daily walk or other exercise.

Ask the Lord to put in your mind, for example, people whose surnames begin with A, B, C....Z. Just pray a simple blessing over each one.

Plenty of variations possible....eg countries, job sectors,

2) Here are some prayers from a new international prayer movement called Unite714 (happy to share the 7:14 name with them!), based around the Lord’s Prayer:

Lord, you are heavenly Father. You rule and reign over the whole earth. Nothing takes you by surprise. Despite the overwhelming implications of COVID-19, you promise all things work together for the good of those who love you. Today, our hope is not in the governments of the world. Our hope is in you.

LORD, THANK YOU FOR THE POWER OF YOUR NAME

Father, we are asking for your glorious Kingdom to come more fully into our broken world. As COVID-q9 produces uncertainty around the globe, may millions of people in every nation find healing, safety, security and salvation as they turn to you in repentance and faith.

LORD, THANK YOU FOR YOUR SALVATION

Lord, in an hour when resources are under pressure, we thank you for giving us daily bread. We cry out to you: provide for our friends, neighbours, any who are hurting in the world. Give supernatural strength, protection and wisdom to medical professionals, caregivers, scientists, government officials, spiritual leaders and all those with influence fighting for good in this crisis.

LORD, THANK YOU FOR YOUR PROVISION

Lord, I ask for your forgiveness for sins hindering my relationship with you. Cleanse me of my unbelief, selfishness, fear and pride. I forgive any who have hurt or offended me. We cry out for our world to turn to you in repentance.

LORD, THANK YOU FOR YOUR FORGIVENESS

Lord, deliver us from living in fear, in panic or in cynicism. Deliver us from the effects of COVID-19. We unite in faith with millions of other believers around the earth. We ask you to eradicate this terrible disease from our planet and to bring revival and awakening in every nation.

LORD, THANK YOU FOR DELIVERING US FROM EVIL

Amen.

3) Wondering if you have any encouraging stories or answers to prayer to pass on? Email goodnews@trinitycheltenham.com