MONDAY MORNING PRAYER

The whole earth is filled with awe at your wonders; where morning dawns, where evening fades, you call forth songs of joy. (Psalm 65:8)

Lord open our lips,

And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

O God, make speed to save us.

O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia!

The Lord is our light and our life: O come, let us worship. Alleluia! To our God belong victory, glory, and power, For right and just are his judgements. Praise our God, all you who serve him, You who fear him, great and small.

Alleluia!

The Lord God almighty has claimed his kingdom. Let us rejoice and triumph and give him praise: the time has come for the wedding-feast of the Lamb. The Lord is our light and our life: O come, let us worship.

We give you thanks, most gracious God, for the beauty of earth and sky and sea; for the richness of mountains, plains, and rivers; for the wonders of your creatures, large and small; and for all the loveliness that surrounds us. We praise you for these good gifts and pray that we may safeguard them for our posterity. Grant that we may continue to grow in our grateful enjoyment of your abundant creation, to the honour and glory of your Name, now and forever. **Amen.**

PSALM Silence

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord, Alleluia, Alleluia, give praise to his name.

GOSPEL Gospel Acclamation

A time for silent reflection You may share any reflections you have on the readings.

The Shema/ Hear O Israel

Hear, O Israel,
The Lord our God, the Lord is one.
Love the Lord your God
With all your heart,
With all your soul,
With all your mind,
And with all your strength.
This is the first and the great commandment.
The second is like it:
Love your neighbour as yourself.
There is no commandment greater than these.

Lord have mercy
Christ have mercy
Lord have mercy.

We now enter a time of prayer of intercession or lament, spoken or unspoken...

A Litany of Thanksgiving.

Let us give thanks to God our Father for all his gifts so freely bestowed upon us: for the beauty and wonder of your creation, in earth and sky and sea,

We thank you, Lord.

For our daily food and drink, our homes and families, and our friends, **We thank you, Lord.**

For minds to think, and hearts to love, and hands to serve,

We thank you, Lord.

For health and strength to work, and time to rest and worship,

We thank you, Lord.

For all who are patient in suffering and faithful in adversity,

We thank you, Lord.

For all who earnestly seek after truth, and all who labour for justice,

We thank you, Lord.

For all that is good and gracious in the lives of men and women, revealing the image of Christ,

We thank you, Lord.

Above all, we give you thanks for the great mercies and promises given to us in Christ Jesus our Lord; To him be praise and glory, with you, O Father, and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. **Amen.**

Most gracious God, by whose knowledge the depths are broken up and the clouds drop down the dew: we yield you hearty thanks and praise for the return of seed-time and harvest, for the increase of the ground and the gathering in of its fruits, and for all the other blessings your merciful providence has bestowed upon this nation and people. And we pray, give us a just sense of these great mercies, that we may walk before you in humility, holiness, and obedience all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all glory and honour, world without end.

Amen.

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4:6-7)

We'll say the Lord's Prayer together in whatever form or paraphrase you choose.

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.