

Prayer at St Wilfrid's



Lord's Prayer

At St Wilfrid's CE Primary School, we say the Lord's Prayer, the prayer that Jesus taught his disciples, when they asked him how they should pray:

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



Anglican Greetings

At St Wilfrid's CE Primary school, we use a range of Anglican greetings and prayers that support worship and bring depth to our pupils' experiences. These seven call and response prayers enable our pupils to play an active part in collective worship. In addition to our 'ordinary time' prayer, we have call and responses for six specific events in the Christian calendar:

Advent, Lent, Passiontide, Easter, Ascension, Pentecost



Ordinary Time

This is the day that the Lord has made
We will rejoice and be glad in it.

Let us pray....

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



Advent

Maranatha! Come, Lord Jesus.
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Almighty God,
as your kingdom dawns,
turn us to the
light of holiness,
that we may be ready to meet you
in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.



Lent

Create in me a pure heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.

Let us pray....

Almighty God,
by the prayer and discipline of Lent,
may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings,
and by following in his Way
come to share in his glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen



Passiontide

Jesus, Saviour of the World, come to us in your mercy
By your cross and your life laid down, you have set your people free.

Gracious Father,
you gave up your Son
out of love for the world:
may we know everlasting peace
through all that he sacrificed for us, now and always.

Amen



Easter

Alleluia! Christ is risen!
He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

God of glory,
by the raising of your Son
fill us with fresh faith and hope;
for a new day has dawned
and the way to life stands open
in our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Amen



Ascension

Jesus said: I am going to my Father and your Father
to my God and to your God. Alleluia!

Risen Christ,
you have raised our human nature to the throne of heaven:
help us to seek and serve you,
that we may join you at the Father's side,
where you reign with the Spirit in glory,
now and forever.

Amen



Pentecost

God says: I will pour out my Spirit on all peoples.
And everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord will be saved.

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father,
set our hearts on fire with love for you;
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,
revive us with the breath of love,
and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen



Daily Prayer

Lunchtime Prayer

Home Time Prayer





EYFS and KS1 Lunchtime Prayer

Dear God,

Thank you for the world so sweet,

Thank you for the food we eat.

Thank you for the birds that sing,

Thank you God for everything.

Amen.





KS2 Lunchtime Prayer

Dear God,

Thank you for the food we eat,

Thank you for helping us to respect our world and each other.

Thank you for our kind, loving friends,

Thank you for our lunchtime staff,
who look after us and keep us safe.

Amen



EYFS and KS1 Home Time Prayer

Dear God,

We fold our hands and softly say,

Thank you for school today,

Caring for us while we work and play,

Amen.



KS2 Home Time Prayer

Loving God,
Thank you for this school to which we belong,
Help us to believe you are always with us,
Helping us, loving us, teaching us,
May we become the people you want us to be.
Amen.

