



Remembrance Sunday Prayer

Lord God Almighty we bow in Your holy presence in worship and in praise. We know that You are the one true living God who is King of kings and Lord of lords. We thank You for Your great love for us and for all the many blessings You shower on us each day. We praise You for our Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ and for the truth of Scripture which tells why Jesus came. "God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in him should not perish but have everlasting life."

On this sombre day we come to remember. Lord we remember, with thankful hearts, all those who have served, and still in serve, in the Forces of the Crown with courage and faithfulness. We remember all those who have paid the Supreme Sacrifice in two World Wars and countless other conflicts. We also think of all who have been murdered as they sought to protect us from the evils of terrorism throughout our nation and especially here in Northern Ireland. We think of the members of the Security Forces and other innocent victims of terrorism and Lord we especially remember the members of the Orange Institution who gave their lives.

Father God we pray for the victims and survivors of war and terror. For many families who continue to mourn the loss of loved ones even after many years. We pray for the injured those who have scars in mind and body which are a constant witness to their suffering. Lord, may they know the peace and presence of God in their hearts and lives each and every day.

Lord we pray for our Sovereign Lady, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II and we thank you for her devotion to her duty. We pray for those who continue to defend our land against the forces of evil. May You protect them from danger and grant success in their work to provide our land with peace and security. Lord, the civil and religious liberty which we all enjoy has been bought at a great price, help us never to take it for granted and may this be our daily resolve – We will remember them.

We offer this our prayer in the precious Name of our Saviour, Jesus. AMEN.