

**INTERCESSIONS FOR TRINITY SUNDAY
Sunday May 30th 2021**

Intercessor: Rosemary Wilson

The response to “**O Holy Trinity hear us**” is: “*Mercifully, hear us.*”

In the name of the Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we humbly approach your throne of grace, giving thanks to the triune Godhead for all the spiritual blessings we receive; from our baptism, confirmation are the blessed sacraments and in our daily lives. Accept our heartfelt thanks for all these holy mysteries and grant us grace to receive them with open hearts; to recognise and value them and to let them be a guide and strength to us. *Silence*

Holy Trinity hear us: *mercifully hear us.*

Dear Lord, look down in mercy on our wartorn world; have mercy on areas of conflict especially Israel and Palestine; on the great problem of refugees and those trying to help them; on poor countries so overrun by Covid; on the wounded, sick and bereaved and on all those struggling as a result of the lockdown – with lack of employment, isolation and broken relationships. In silence we remember people known to us.....

Holy Trinity hear us: *mercifully hear us.*

O God of Peace, let your gift of Peace be ours each day. Help us to share Your peace in our dealings with each other – peace in our hearts, our homes, our work place and wherever we go. Let our actions be agents of your peace. *Silence*

Holy Trinity hear us: *mercifully hear us.*

Dear Lord we ask You to guide all those who are given the task of finding the truth in all kinds of bewildering situations. We pray for your spirit of discernment to illumine investigations in the BBC; in Belarus after the hijacking of an aeroplane and in all legal proceedings relating to past injustices and unsolved cases. Enrich all those involved in positions of moral accountability to speak the truth with courage and to look to You for guidance. *Silence*

Holy Trinity hear us: *mercifully hear us.*

Dear Lord, on this Bank Holiday weekend we pray that people will remain disciplined over the Covid regulations, and that they may benefit in mind, body and spirit by being able to resume some degree of normal activity. Endue our young people involved in important academic examinations with perseverance, effort and enthusiasm, and to their parents and teachers give resilience and patience in their efforts to help them. *Silence*

Holy Trinity hear us: *mercifully hear us.*

Grant to us, O God, the royalty of inward happiness and the serenity which comes from living close to You. Daily renew in us the sense of JOY and let Your love dwell in our hearts, so that, bearing about with us the infection of a good courage, we may meet all ills and accidents with a gallant and high hearted happiness, giving You thanks always for all things. *Silence*

Holy Trinity hear us: *mercifully hear us.*

Breathe on us, breath of God
Fill us with life anew
That we may love what Though dost love
And do what Though wouldst do.
Breathe on us, breath of God
Until our hearts are pure
Until with Thee we will one will
To do and to endure.

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