

Dates of Interest this week - 21st to 25th November

- 20th November Feast of Christ the King
- 20th November Universal Children's Day
- 21st November World Philosophy Day
- 22nd November St Cecilia
- 23rd November St Clement I
- 24th November St Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions
- 25th November St Catherine of Sienna
- 25th November International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women
- 27th November 1st Sunday of Advent

Chaplaincy on Social Media

"From a School Chaplain" on Facebook "Prayerful Pause" on YouTube

"RC Chaplaincy" on Twitter "RCChaplaincy" on Instagram

Each morning an act of worship should be made. This can be led by yourself or a pupil and can be made up of prayers from this booklet, www.richardchalloner.com/chaplaincy, or both.

Guidance on best practice for Morning Prayer can be found here.

A selection of Catholic Prayers to use in Morning Prayer can be found here.

<u>Prayers for Morning Worship – 21st to 25th November</u>

Theme for the week - Peace and Justice

Lord, whilst I pray for peace and goodwill in our world, I ask you to help me to change my own attitude for the better, so that peace and goodwill may start with the way that I behave towards those who have hurt me. Inspire me to be as generous to others as I would like them to be with me. Amen

(Nicholas Hutchinson)

O God,

lead us from death to life, from falsehood to truth. lead us from despair to hope, from fear to trust. Lead us from hate to love, from war to peace. Let peace fill our hearts, our world, our universe. Amen

(The Universal Prayer of Peace)

We pray for those whose humanity is denied by others;

For those persecuted or imprisoned because of their religion or politics;

For those who try to oppress and manipulate others and in doing so lose sight of their own humanity;

For those who work for justice and peace, whatever the cost. Amen

(Nicholas Hutchinson)

We pray for world peace,

that ways of aggression and violence against fellow humans

and against God's creation may be renounced,

and that world leaders may lessen the threat of nuclear destruction.

We pray especially for our leaders

and all others who strive to bring peace.

(Adapted from 'Worship in an Indian Context')

Show us Lord,

the peace that we should seek, the peace that we must give,

the peace that we can keep,

and the peace that you have given

in Jesus Christ our Lord

Amen (Caryl Micklem, used by the Corrymeela Community, Northern Ireland)





Bishop Richard Challoner

During his lifetime and after his death, he was considered not only as a model of every virtue but as a saint. We are asked to pray that our Blessed Lord, through the Pope, may reward him further, by raising him to the altars of the Church as a Saint.

Prayer for the Beatification of Bishop Richard Challoner

O God who made your servant Richard, a true and faithful pastor of your little flock in England, raise him, we beseech you, to the altars of thy Church, that we, who have been taught by his word and example may invoke his name in heaven, for the return of our country to belief in the Gospel, and to the unity of all Christians in the one Church of Jesus Christ. We ask this through the same Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Bishop Richard Challoner Pray for us

