



I will
lift up my eyes to
the hills.
From where does
my help come?
My help comes
from the Lord,
who made heaven
and earth.

Psalm 121:1,2

*May God bless you as you go
from this place and grant
you his peace*

*If you would like to talk to
someone or to have someone
pray with you, then please
contact the church office
(details below)*

*Please feel free to take this
sheet home with you*

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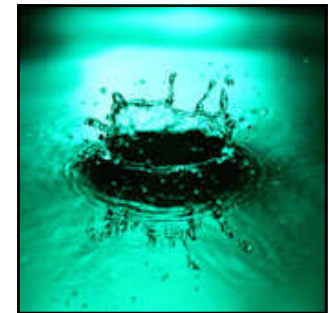
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The Parish Church of Lindfield

Growing up into Christ -
reaching out into the world



Welcome

To help you pray...



The Church is open daily for prayer and quiet contemplation. Even when activities or services are happening, you are welcome to find a quiet spot to be still before God.

You may like to use some of the prayers on these pages. Alternatively, your own words will do just as well.

Lord, thank you...

for your presence here,
for the opportunity to pray,
for the promise of peace,
for the beauty of the world,
for the kindness of people...
for all those whom I love...
... and who love me...
for your love towards me
(and especially for...)
for the cross of Christ
and the power of the Spirit.
Help me to show my gratitude in deeds
as well as in words.

Lord, I am sorry for the times...

when I have been hasty or unkind
(especially to...),
thought or acted selfishly,
failed to forgive or to ask for
forgiveness,
forgotten your presence,
taken your love for granted.
I thank you for your promise to forgive
all those who turn back to you in
penitence.

Lord, I am troubled...

I am anxious and distressed for myself...
for others...
Especially about...
Help me to trust your love,
for you to carry our sorrows.
Teach me to act and speak in the way
that you want.
Give me the wisdom to know when not
to interfere.
Calm my fears, for all things are in your
hands.

Lord, I pray for...

My family.... and friends...,
my neighbours at home..., at work...,
The ones I like... and dislike...
for those who are ill...
those who are troubled,
or who mourn.
For the oppressed,
for those involved in
disaster or war.
Bless them, Father, in
their various troubles,
and show me how I may
help.



The Collect (Prayer) for Purity

Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name;
through Christ our Lord.
Amen



After St Augustine

Almighty God,
you have made us for yourself,
and our hearts are restless till they
find their rest in you:
pour your love into our hearts and
draw us to yourself,
and so bring us at last to your
heavenly city
where we shall see you face to face:
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.
Amen