

# MONDAY 22ND MAY 2023

## Seventh week of Easter



Good morning!

The theme of our reflections this week is peace. We pray particularly for Ukraine and all the conflict occurring around our world at this time.

Almighty God, we pray for world leaders and governments, that you will guide them to make decisions that work towards freedom, justice and peace around our world. May you bless all charities and organisations that work tirelessly to bring aid to those who are suffering as a result of war and conflict. Amen.



# TUESDAY 23RD MAY 2023

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This morning we pray for peace in our relationships. Whether we have fallen out with a friend, been unkind to a family member or mistreated a classmate. May we challenge ourselves to right our wrongs and make peace with those we have grown distant with.



Loving Father, we pray that you may send your heavenly peace into our lives to fix any broken relationships we may have. Bless us with the courage to be an advocate for peace and to seek to resolve our differences with love and not anger. Amen.

# Wednesday 24th May 2023

## SEVENTH WEEK OF EASTER

*"The peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." - Philippians 4:7*

**Loving God, please grant me peace of mind and calm my troubled heart. May you send your Holy-Spirit to give me the strength and clarity of mind to find my purpose and walk the path you've laid out for me. Amen**



# THURSDAY 25TH MAY 2023

## FEAST OF SAINT BEDE

Saint Bede is considered one of the most knowledgeable men of his time and a major influence on English literature.



Heavenly Father, pour out your wisdom upon us this morning. Keep our minds engaged and focused during our lessons today and help us to use our knowledge to better the lives of those around us. Amen



# *Friday 26th May 2023*

## **FEAST OF SAINT PHILIP NERI**

**Saint Philip Neri was still a young man when he gave up the family business and dedicated his life to encouraging others to consider the Christian way of life. He quickly became well-known due to his warm personality and incredible sense of humour. He was ordained a priest at 34 and continued his mission for the rest of his life.**



Lord God, through the example of Saint Philip Neri, Patron Saint of Joy, reassure us that there is no reason to have anxiety about anything: in your compassion heal our worries and sorrows, and lift the burdens from our hearts. Amen