



## Prayer Space February 2021

*Take a moment to still yourself.....*

Be still,  
For the presence of the Lord,  
The Holy One, is here;  
Come bow before Him now  
With reverence and fear:  
In Him no sin is found –  
We stand on Holy ground.  
Be still,  
For the presence of the Lord,  
The Holy One, is here.

Be still,  
For the glory of the Lord  
Is shining all around;  
He burns with holy fire,  
With splendour He is crowned:  
How awesome is the sight -  
Our radiant King of light!  
Be still,  
For the glory of the Lord  
Is shining all around.

Be still,  
For the power of the Lord  
Is moving in this place:  
He comes to cleanse and heal,  
To minister His grace –  
No work too hard for Him.  
In faith receive from Him.  
Be still,  
For the power of the Lord  
Is moving in this place

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### *Opening Prayer*

Into your presence we come, Father God as your children have done throughout the centuries. In vast Cathedrals, parish Churches, Chapels, homes, warehouses, converted cinemas, in lonely, isolated places. Alone or gathered with others, your Church is wherever your people meet together in worship, in fellowship and in prayer.

Your presence is discernible wherever your Spirit is allowed to enter.

Be with us now, loving Father.

Into your presence we come, Father God, mindful of our own failings; our thoughts, words and actions that have shown nothing of your love  
Forgive us, loving Father

Into your presence we come, Father God; remembering the sacrifice of your Son on a cruel cross so that we might know freedom from the guilt of sin, and be made right again with our Creator.  
Thank you, loving Father

Circle us, Lord  
Circle us with the light of your presence within this dark world  
Enable us to be overcomers of fear and temptation  
Enable us to be victors over sin and despair  
Enable us to become that which you would desire  
(Silent prayer)  
Lord of creation, Lord of Salvation  
Circle us with the light of your presence

Circle us, Lord  
Circle our family within the shelter of your outstretched arms  
Protect them in each moment of their daily lives  
Protect them in the decisions that they face  
Protect their homes and relationships  
(Silent prayer)  
Lord of creation, Lord of Salvation  
Circle our families with the light of your presence

Circle us, Lord  
Circle this world with the joy of your Salvation  
Where there is sickness and disease bring healing  
Where there is hunger and despair bring hope  
Where there is torture and oppression bring release  
(Silent prayer)  
Lord of creation, Lord of Salvation  
Circle this world with the light of your presence

Amen

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