



A Simple Prayer (A Sunday Prayer, May 3, 2020)

Dear God,

My prayer today is very simple.

I give thanks You are God of all that is, yet love me in a most personal way in Jesus Christ.

I grieve those who have lost their lives to COVID-19, and those who mourn their deaths.

I confess my own failings and shortcomings, especially my lack of trust in You.

I seek to love others with deeper compassion, and show it in real ways that matter.

I long to live the Jesus Way every single day, in every single thing I do.

I am grateful for all who serve in this crisis, and ask that You bless and protect them.

I pray that Your will shall become just as real on earth, as it already is in heaven.

And I do all of this in the strong, strong name of Jesus.

Amen.

Continue to pray for God to:

- heal the pain caused by Covid-19
- heal the hurt caused by systemic racism
- heal the deep divides caused by the polarization in our nation and church

use us to help bring that healing to our world.