May Daily Prayer & Reflections

7th May 2020

May is the focus for May, she was so unapologetic in Her Yes to God and we remind ourselves of this Yes that she so willingly said and knew that Gods plan for her was steadfast and true.

Throughout these unprecedented times, we need to remember that just because the building of the church is closed, the Church community is well and truly alive and flourishing.

Take time out of your day to attend live streamed mass and pray. We need to take time for inspiration from our Mother during this time.

Mary said I am the handmaid of the Lord so she is promising to be a vessel of God's will which we pray to be too and to follow Him.

"Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord. May it be done to me according to your word." Luke 1:38



Prayer for the Day:

Almighty God,

Throughout our days may we see your light and love. We pray for your joy and grace throughout the day. Thank you for all that You have bestowed on us.

Amen

On the @BC_Chaplaincy Twitter Page, we upload daily reflections and prayer ideas which we invite you to look at with readings of the day also posted. We post small reflections so we can keep God's word active throughout the day and accessible.

We also have our sway page where we post chaplaincy resources for prayer and reflection.

The Gospel Reading Today:

Truly, truly, I say to you, a servant is not greater than his master; nor is he who is sent greater than he who sent him. ¹⁷ If you know these things, blessed are you if you do them. ¹⁸ I am not speaking of you all; I know whom I have chosen; it is that the scripture may be fulfilled, 'He who ate my bread has lifted his heel against me.' ¹⁹ I tell you this now, before it takes place, that when it does take place you may believe that I am he. ²⁰ Truly, truly, I say to you, he who receives any one whom I send receives me; and he who receives me receives him who sent me.

"Reflection:

Jesus came to the world to be a source of light and positivity for us. He came to save not judge. We need to take time to pray to God for the sacrifice of Him sending His son to the earth as a sacrifice for all of our sins. We take the breaking of the bread of a source of grace and saving us.

Prayer

Lord,

We pray for unapologetic faith and trust in You. We pray to see Your light shine through our days and the glories you have bestowed on us.

Amen

Diocesan Information

Masses are live streamed up and down the diocese and are daily. If you want to watch mass, follow this link select a church and the mass times are listed so you can plan Mass Live stream in to your day:

https://www.mcnmedia.tv/cameras/county/west-midlands

Praise and Worship Playlist: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F8umfBRlwW8

Kenelm Youth Trust @ Home Resources: http://www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk/home-resources.html

Twitter: @bc_chaplaincy

Pause for Prayer Blog: https://bishopchalloner.org.uk/blog/category/catholic-life-blog

One Life Music Weekly Worship: https://youtu.be/bs36zxl EE8