

SPECIAL BLESSINGS

BIRTHDAY

Loving, compassionate God,
you created each of us in your own image.
You know our every thought, our every feeling,
you know us through and through.
Send your blessing upon (N.)
who celebrates a birthday today.
May he/she walk always in your love.

All: May he/she walk always in your love.

Keep him/her safe throughout the year ahead.

All: May she/he walk always in your love.

Fill his/her life with the joy and blessing
of family and friends.

All: May she/he walk always in your love.

We make our prayer through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

And may almighty God bless us.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

SADNESS

May the love of God
and the peace of the Lord Jesus Christ
bless and console us
and gently wipe every tear from our eyes. **Amen.**
May almighty God bless us.
In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

BEGINNING OF THE DAY

Today O Christ
be in my eyes and in my seeing,
be in my ears and in my hearing,
be in my mouth and my speaking.

Today O Christ
be in my hands and in my holding,
be in my legs and in my moving,
be in my body and my actions.

Today O Christ
be in my mind and in my thinking,
be in my heart and in my feeling,
be in my faith and my belief.

MEAL TIMES 1

Holy is God, creator of all.
Holy is God, ever faithful and true.
Holy is God, who gives us to share
the food and the drink for the life of the world.

MEAL TIMES 2

We praise you, O God, we acclaim you as Lord.
All: Blessed be God forever.
To you, most holy and glorious God,
we voice our praise and say:
All: Blessed be God forever.
You give us this day our daily bread.
All: Blessed be God forever.
For the work of our hands and care of
our friends.
All: Blessed be God forever.



MEAL TIMES 3

Blessed are you, God of all creation.
You sustain all of the world with your goodness
and provide us with all we need.

All: Blessed be God forever.

END OF THE DAY 1

Stay with us Lord through the close of this day.

All: Let your blessing be always upon us.

Your love and light be with us we pray.

All: Let your blessing be always upon us.

The blessing of the God of Sarah and Abraham,
the blessing of Jesus Christ, born of Mary,
the blessing of the Holy Spirit who cares for us
as a mother cares for her children,
be with us now and forever.

All: Amen.

Let us go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

END OF THE DAY 2

As we come to the end of another day,
we pause to give God thanks and praise.
(Period of Silence)

The whole world tells the greatness
of God's name.

**All: The whole world tells the greatness
of God's name.**

God's glory reaches beyond the stars.

**All: The whole world tells the greatness
of God's name.**

We see God's handiwork in the heavens:
the moon and the stars God sets in place.

**All: The whole world tells the greatness
of God's name.**

Cattle and sheep, wild beasts,
birds of the sky, fish of the sea.

**All: The whole world tells the greatness
of God's name.**

May the Lord bless us,
protect us from all evil
and bring us to everlasting life.

All: Amen.

May almighty God bless us,
in the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

