

A Prayer for Peace



Lord Jesus Christ, who are called
the Prince of Peace,
who are yourself our peace
and reconciliation,
who so often said, "peace to you," grant us peace.
Make all men and women witnesses of truth, justice, and love.
Banish from our hearts whatever might endanger peace.
Enlighten our rulers that they may guarantee and defend
your great gift of peace, founded on justice for all persons.
May all people on the earth become as brothers and sisters.
May longed for peace blossom forth and reign always over us all.

Saint Pope John Paul II

Saint Matthew Parish Community Prayer
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