

Prayer for April 2022

Loving Lord Jesus,

We pray for all those who are grieving. We think of all those who have lost loved ones. For those who have not been able to say goodbye to those they love and those who have had to die alone.

We pray for all those suffering in countries around the world, where COVID has added to the burden of poverty, warfare and discrimination.

We give thanks for all those who care for others in need. Keep them safe and give them strength and courage.

We pray for Bishop Paul in his new role and for all in leadership in our church. Help them to hear the voices of all those who are marginalised and hurting and to act with courage and compassion.

We pray for all those who are working for justice and peace. Help us to care for each other so that together we may bring about changes which reflect your care and love for all people.

In Jesus name Amen.

(submitted by SDC Member Helen)