

'May the peace of God which is beyond our understanding guard your hearts and minds and keep you safe in Christ Jesus our Lord'

To all in our St Margaret's Community,

I know that churches and schools around the country are supporting their congregations and school families in many ways. As a school community, worship is central to our school's daily routines and I thought it would be helpful to link up with the Diocese, bringing our churches and school together.

Here are some useful links;

<https://www.churchofengland.org/more/media-centre/coronavirus-covid-19-liturgy-and-prayer-resources>

Bishop Bev talks about our ecumenical prayer for hope and healing.

<https://youtu.be/2LctxrOa08o> <https://youtu.be/cnu9RND9GZE>

The Church of England has a daily prayer app that you can download and if you know of any useful apps please email me (apenketh@stmargaretsacademy.com) so that I can share it with our school community.

A prayer for all those affected by coronavirus

*Keep us, good Lord,
under the shadow of your mercy.
Sustain and support the anxious,
be with those who care for the sick,
and lift up all who are brought low;
that we may find comfort
knowing that nothing can separate us from your love
in Christ Jesus our Lord.
Amen.*

God bless,

Andrea Penketh

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit'