

## We welcome your prayers for us as well:

### A prayer on behalf of teachers

O Lord,  
you who have called and equipped  
the teachers in our community,  
we pray for them today.  
Watch over them, provide for them,  
guide them, sustain them.  
May you walk beside them always  
so that they might do the work  
that you have entrusted to them.  
Help them to sense your care and presence in these uncertain times.  
In Jesus' name. Amen.

### A prayer on behalf of support staff

Lord God we thank you  
for the many people who enable  
schools to run smoothly and efficiently.  
Strengthen them to cope with the  
pressure and demands in face of the the current challenges.  
Pour out your grace and kindness on them.  
Bless them in every aspect of their lives  
as they enable us to provide a nurturing environment for our children  
and young people.  
Help them to know their value and to enjoy the work they do.  
we ask this in Jesu's name. Amen