

Dear Lord

Today we remember the people of Ukraine, who have now been at war for nearly two years. Give the people of the Ukraine your love and care.

Save the children, families and the frail from these confrontations. We ask that mediation can be brought to fore to prevent more bloodshed, injury and that peace may be restored wherever this may be.

We continue to pray that the evils of war may cease and that peace is restored to your beautiful and wonderful world.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our Prayer**

We pray for Kings Charles and other members of the royal family that are unwell and that they may be restored to good health. We also remember in our prayers Camilla, Anne and William who have taken on extra duties at this time.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our Prayer**

We pray for our community here in Ashdon, for the children shortly starting their half term break. The Village Museum being spring cleaned and gradually woken up from its winter sleep for Easter reopening

We ask for your love and comfort for the sick, bereaved, and particularly those known to us in our community. We remember Brian Davies aka Sam the postie laid to rest on Thursday.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our Prayer**

We pray for the gift of nature; the joy of spring flowers and new life, snow drops and crocuses brightening the wayside. Lambs in the field, all gifts of your wonderful world.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our Prayer**

We pray for our church and that you will guide the Diocese of Saffron Walden, particularly in the support of the villages of Ashdon and Hadstock. We pray for Ashdon Baptist Church and the ministry of Rev Bren.

Merciful Father, accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Amen