

All loving God, today we commemorate the entry of Jesus into Jerusalem and his way of the cross to Calvary. May we see in his carrying of the cross our road to salvation.

Let us pray for the universal church which has Christ for its shepherd, that we may follow his path of truth and love.

We remember those in our local community of all faiths and especially this week at the Welsh Presbyterian church.

Let us pray for an end to hostilities and a just settlement between Israel and the Palestinians, in Ukraine and in the many other places where war and conflict are prevalent in our troubled world.

Let us pray for those in authority, whether at a national or local level, that they may be guided to make decisions for the good of all whom they serve.

Let us pray for all those who have died recently

*Michael Shackleton*

*Michael Walsh*

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time, that the Lord may lead them to everlasting life.

Let us ask Our Lady, Queen of Peace, to pray for us:

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee, blessed are thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death.

And now let us pray for a few moments in silence, remembering our own needs and intentions.

Let us ask Our Lady, Queen of Peace, to pray for us: