**Christ Church prayers in traditional language**

Father in heaven, we give thanks for thy servant Queen Elizabeth,
and we praise thee in the remembrance of her long life.

We offer unto thee our gratitude for all she brought to our Commonwealth and Nation

and for all whose lives she touched.

Comfort us in our mourning and give to us grace,
so to follow her good example that we may come with her to thine everlasting kingdom;

through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord,
who died and rose again and opened the gate of glory.

To him be praise now and for ever. **Amen**.

O Lord, our heavenly Father, high and mighty, King of kings, Lord of lords,
the only Ruler of princes, who dost from thy throne behold all the dwellers upon earth: Most heartily we beseech thee with thy favour
to behold our most gracious Sovereign Lord the King;
and so replenish him with the grace of thy Holy Spirit,
that he may alway incline to thy will, and walk in thy way.
Endue him plenteously with heavenly gifts;
grant him in health and wealth long to live;
strengthen him that he may vanquish and overcome all his enemies;
and finally after this life attain everlasting joy and felicity;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Almighty God, the fountain of all goodness,
we humbly beseech thee to bless all the Royal Family
at this time of grief and sadness.
Endue them with thy Holy Spirit;
enrich them with thy heavenly grace;
prosper them with all happiness;
and bring them to thine everlasting kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
**Amen.**

Most gracious God, from whom all good counsels do come,
we beseech thee to endue the High Court of Parliament
and all the Ministers of the Crown with grace, wisdom, and understanding;
to bless and keep all in authority, giving them grace to execute justice, and to maintain truth,

to bless and keep all thy people,

and to give to all nations unity, peace, and concord,

that peace and happiness, truth and justice, religion and piety,
may be established among us for all generations,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

ALMIGHTY and everliving God, we most humbly beseech thee of thy goodness
to comfort and succour all them, who in this transitory life
are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity

and most especially all those who at this time
are in the darkness of grief and sorrow.
Grant this and all our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake,
our only Mediator and Advocate. **Amen.**