## Dear Lord

As the Coronavirus affects our world, we ask that you help us to focus on you and to share our thoughts and concerns through prayer.

We ask that you come into our hearts, hearts that are heavy with fear, confusion, disappointment, uncertainty, grief, and anger.

We know that you are much bigger than this virus and you are walking this journey with us.

Help us to find peace, to gain an understanding of all our new regulations and to obey the rules of social distancing, self-isolation, loss of jobs, business closures and all other changes that challenge the norm.

Help us to act in ways that not only protect our own health and safety but to look and think how our actions will affect the people in our community.

Keep us alert to the needs of the people around us and give us the courage to step forward to do whatever we can to help.

Open our ears to hear your voice during these challenging times. May we listen and act and may it be a time of drawing closer to you.

Amen