## Prayers of the People

## **Prayer of Praise to the Triune God**

We have heard about you, God of all power.
You made the world out of kindness,
creating order out of confusion;
You made each one of us in your own image;
Your fingerprint is on every soul.
So we praise you.

We praise and worship you.

We have heard about you, Jesus Christ: the carpenter who left his tools and trade; the poor man who made others rich; the healer who let himself be wounded; the criminal on whom the soldiers spat not knowing they were fouling the face of God; the saviour who died and rose again.

So we praise you.

We praise and worship you.

We have heard about you, Holy Spirit.
You broke the bonds of every race and nation,
to let God speak in every tongue;
You converted souls and emptied pockets;
You showed how love made all things new
and opened the doors to change and freedom.
You have comforted the weary and broken hearted.
So we praise you.

We praise and worship you.

Triune God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit —
in perfect unity you are bringing about Your Kingdom.
Transform our hearts and minds that we too may
love and create like the Father,
that we might serve and sacrifice like Jesus,
and that we might heal and comfort by the power of Your Spirit.
Your Kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Lord, we praise you.

We praise and worship you.