

**Daily Prayers for Briefing**

**Prayers for Briefings/ Staff Meetings BH CET**

Week Commencing Monday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2021

*The Third Week in Ordinary Time Year B*

**Feasts and Memorials this week;**

*Monday 25<sup>th</sup>- The Conversion of St Paul*

*Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup>- Sts Timothy and Titus*

*Thursday 28<sup>th</sup>- St Thomas Aquinas*

**Holocaust Memorial Day- Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> January**

**Monday- The Conversion of St Paul**

May we be inspired by St Paul, who changed the direction of his life following his encounter with the Risen Lord. Help us to have a conversion of heart each day, encountering Christ in all those we meet.

Amen

**Tuesday – Sts Timothy and Titus**

Living God, you walk alongside us and speak to us throughout the Scriptures.

Your Son, Jesus Christ, listens to our hopes and fears and shows us how to live for one another.

Send us the Holy Spirit to open our hearts and minds so that we may be your witnesses throughout the world.

Amen

**Wednesday – Holocaust Memorial Day**

God of love, on this day we pray for the victims of the Holocaust and of genocides in other parts of the world. We pray that you send your light on all who lost loved ones. We pray that you help us hear the words of survivors. We pray that the names of all victims will never be forgotten, but will be remembered by us and by those who come after us. We pray that our world will resist evil and intolerance, so that we can all live together in peace and prosperity. And we pray that you will help us be the light in the darkness. Amen

**Thursday – St Thomas Aquinas**

The words of St Thomas Aquinas:

‘There is nothing to be prized more than true friendship’

May we be good friends to each other.

Amen

**Friday –**

These words are from Don Bosco to Teachers

“Without confidence and love, there can be no true education. If you want to be loved...you must love yourselves, and make your children feel that you love them.”

Amen

***(St John Bosco’s Feast is celebrated on the 31<sup>st</sup> January)***