

LAZARITE DAILY PRAYER
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2018
THE SEASON OF CHRISTMAS & EPIPHANY

I bring you good news of great joy:

R: God's Son has come among us.

He is Christ the Lord. Alleluia!

R: Our Saviour to bring wholeness and peace.

He is the true light in a world dark with sorrow and sin:

R: Our hope and the hope of the world.

Born in a stable:

R: He shall rise in eternal glory, conqueror of evil, sin and death.

✻ THE PSALM/CANTICLE FOR THE DAY ✻

✻ THE BIBLE PASSAGE FOR THE DAY ✻

✻ THE PRAYER FOR THE DAY ✻

We pray for the people and events of the present time, especially for those who cannot know the joy of Christmas...

In a group, silence may be kept or topics shared for thanksgiving and intercession.

That the celebration of Christmas may bring joy and peace to all people, especially:

- to Christians who live under persecution
- to refugees and those of other faiths who are suffering
- to the lonely and those who have no one to care for them
- to the homeless and those who seek to care for them
- to families, especially where there are rifts and quarrels to be healed
- to rulers, that the love made known in Jesus may guide them to bring about justice and peace
- to the Church, still divided in so many ways
- to the Order of Saint Lazarus and to all who follow the way of Christ.

Let us pray

Lord God, the source of life and love, we thank you for Jesus, Emmanuel, who lived and died to destroy the power of death. Raise us from the death of sin to life in him, our true hope and our Saviour. *Amen.*

Our Father... Hail Mary...

God bless our noble Order!

R: May Lazarus and all the saints pray for us. Amen.