

Open the eyes of our hearts Lord, to see things from your perspective;
Let us find our strength in you as we walk into your plans;
Give us courage to go wherever you call us.

Heavenly Father, help us to know how to best serve You
and to bless those in prison in Your name;
Help us to reflect your love and kindness in all that we do.

God of peace, we pray for your supernatural peace in prisons where there is unrest and uncertainty.
Equip those on the front line with your armour and protection.

God of mercy, give all prisoners a deep desire to live out Jesus' peace within them.
May they find transformation through your restorative justice.

God who loves us as a Father and Mother,
strengthen and protect the relationship between parents in prison and their children;
surround their children with your love and care,
and support them both through that traumatic separation.

God of love, we give thanks for our incredible volunteers;
Bless them in their lives, and in all they do for Prison Fellowship's ministry:
Protect them as they go into challenging environments;
give them energy, wisdom and grace in all they do,
and continue to draw more believers into your work in prisons.

God of heaven, Give churches a vision for your Kingdom that includes serving those in prison,
and a passion to reach out to prisoners and their families with Christ's love and compassion.

God of grace, we pray for wisdom and clarity going forward for Prison Fellowship.
We give thanks for the growing fellowship within our Local Prayer Groups,
strengthen this network of volunteers and inspire them afresh with your vision of lives changed.

God of hope, enable us to see all those we meet through your eyes,
and to have your heart for them.
Give us your words and peace as we interact with them
and grace to walk alongside them.

Amen.