

# **PROCLAIM God's Mercy**

**Home Mission Sunday 2015**  
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# PROCLAIM Prayer

Loving Father,

You so loved the world that you sent us your only Son,  
that we might believe in him and have eternal life.

May we encounter Jesus Christ anew this day  
and live the Good News with joy.

Through the power of your Holy Spirit,  
help us to “go out to the whole world and proclaim”  
our faith with confidence.

Give us the courage to witness to the Joy of the Gospel  
by our words and actions.

Help our parish to become more welcoming and missionary,  
so that you may be known and loved by all people.

We make this prayer through Our Lord Jesus Christ Your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God for ever and ever,  
Amen.

Our Lady, Star of the New Evangelisation, Pray for us.

Blessed John Henry Newman, Pray for us.

St Thérèse of Lisieux, Pray for us.



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# Home Mission Sunday 20 September 2015

Home Mission Sunday is the day in the Church's calendar when the bishops' invite every member of the Catholic community to pray for, celebrate and support the work of evangelisation in England and Wales. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

This year's theme is PROCLAIM God's Mercy.  
“How much I desire that the year to come  
will be steeped in mercy, so that we can  
go out to every man and woman, bringing  
the goodness and tenderness of God!  
May the balm of mercy reach everyone!”

**Pope Francis**, *Misericordiae Vultus* 5

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