

## International Women's Day Prayer

On this International Women's Day, as we celebrate and give thanks for the achievements of women, we remember the women who have played a part in our lives. Those who have nurtured us, taught us, inspired us, loved us.

> Forgive us when we have limited women through inequality, by stereotype, by exclusion, through lack of opportunity.

On this International Women's Day, as we acknowledge the challenges women still face, we pray that all women may know equality of healthcare, of education, of wealth, of prospects.

We pray that all women may know themselves to be respected, safe, included, empowered.

> We ask these things in the name of Jesus, Amen.