

A Prayer for Manchester

God of compassion,
you hear the cries of all who are in trouble or distress;
accept our prayers for those
whose lives are affected by the bombing in Manchester.

We pray especially for those
suddenly facing a future without a child,
parent or loved one;
young ones who are in deep distress; those who are injured,
traumatized or awaiting news.

Strengthen them in their hour of need;
grant them perseverance and courage to face the future
and be to them a firm foundation
on which to build their lives;
this we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

