ANZAC Day Grace



Dear God,

In whose hands are the destinies of this and every nation,

We thank You for this food we are about to eat,

We know there are many hundreds of men and women in our armed forces, who cannot sit down to a meal like this tonight.

We ask that they all be kept safe and in Your care.

We also give you thanks for the freedoms we enjoy in this land and for those who laid down their lives to defend them.

We pray that we and all the people of Australia, gratefully remembering their courage and their sacrifice.

May we have the grace to live in a spirit of justice, of generosity, and of peace.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord,

Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

One God, for ever and ever.

Amen –