

O God, the Creator of this beautiful planet  
and all that dwells on it,  
we now pause to remember the souls  
of those who perished in the atomic bombings  
and those who suffer from radiation, even now.

We join our hearts and voices together  
to pray for peace everywhere.

May the deadly power of nuclear arsenals  
never be unleashed again upon your sacred creation.

May such weapons of mass and indiscriminate annihilations  
be forever banned and eliminated from the face of the earth.

Forgive our silence, O God,  
and enable your Church to raise its prophetic voices  
to speak against the madness of nuclear pursuits anywhere.

Renew our commitment to be faithful stewards  
of your beautiful creation and vehicles of peace.

In the name of Christ, our Prince of Peace. Amen.

*(bijdrage vanuit de Anglicaanse Kerk)*