

**Useful Quotations – Christian Practices**

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| Quotation… | From... | Context… |
| ‘Bless us, O Lord, and these your gifts, which we are about to receive from your bounty…’ | Catholic Grace | Prayer, thanks to God. |
| ‘Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name… give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our sins …’ | Lord’s Prayer | Prayer, praise of God, thanks to God, petitioning God. |
| ‘Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit’. | Matthew 28:19 (Bible) | Baptism, spreading the Christian faith, evangelism. |
| ‘The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread… He broke it and said, ‘this is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me’. In the same way, after supper, he took the cup, saying, ‘This cup is the covenant in my blood; do this whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me’… | John 1:1-3 (Bible) | Last Supper, Holy Communion/Mass/Divine Liturgy. Worship.Resurrection. Easter |
| ‘As I raised my head to look at the Grotto, I saw a lady dressed in white… with a blue girdle and a yellow rose on each foot…’ | Bernadette Soubirious  | Pilgrimage, miracles, visions. |
| ‘For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink…’ | Matthew 25:35 (Bible) | Church in the community, food banks, helping the poor, etc. |
| ‘Faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead.’ | James 2:17 (Bible) | Putting faith into action.  |
| ‘Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of Heaven…Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in Heaven’. | Matthew 5:10-12 (Bible) | Christian Persecution, heaven, afterlife. |
| ‘If anyone has material possession and sees a brother or sister in need, but has no pity on them, how can the love of God be in that person’.  | 1 John 3:17 (Bible) | Christian responses to poverty and helping other.  |
| Love your neighbour as yourself’. | Luke 10:27 | Helping others, showing kindness to all. |
| ‘Mary…you will be with child and give birth to a son and you are to give him the name Jesus’. | Luke 1:31 | Birth of Jesus/Christmas |
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