

A prayer for Endings

Pause

Become aware of God's presence within and among us....

Reflection

As we come to the end of this

school year let us consider

what it is that we want to

leave out of our school bags for the summer -

we say good bye to all the disruption that Covid brought to our class this year...

we say good bye to all the times that we felt lonely or left out during the past school year ...

we say good bye to all the times when we were anxious or worried during the past school year....

As we prepare for the summer holidays we think of all the things we want to pack into our school bags for the holidays -

we pack in all the fun we are hoping to have

we pack in all the things we can do to help others during the summer

we pack in all the new skills we will learn during the summer

we pack in all the times we will get to know God, our friends and families over the summer

Response: Thank you God

- For all the things we have learned in school this year
- For all the people who helped us at home and in school this year
- For all the help that people have given to the children and families from Ukraine this year
- For all our friends and families who support us and encourage us every day

Concluding Prayer:

God our Father,

we thank You for the summer holidays.

We appreciate our teachers, who have worked so hard during the past year helping us to do our best.

As we approach the summer holidays, Lord,

we pray that You will give our parents and guardians the guidance on how to care for us during the holidays.

We pray that we will know that holidays are a special time of bonding with those we love.

Keep us safe until we return for another school year.

Amen

Concluding Song:

(204) What a Wonderful World (Louis Armstrong) | Playing For Change | Song Around The World - YouTube