



## St Mary's Church, Thorpe

### Ministry of Healing & Wholeness

#### Notes:

*Those who would like to receive the sacrament of healing are asked to come to the Benedict Chapel where a priest will then administer:*

- *laying on of hands with prayer (upon the head or shoulders)*
- *anointing with the holy oil of the sick (oleum infirmorum) on the forehead (optional: on the palm of their hands)*

*Clergy with a lay person may pray with the individual before the laying on of hands and anointing or the people may be invited to have additional prayer with a lay person after being anointed.*

*These words are used when the **Laying on of Hands** is administered:*

In the name of God and trusting in his might alone,  
receive Christ's healing touch to make you whole.

May Christ bring you wholeness of body, mind and spirit,  
deliver you from every evil and give you his peace.

**Amen.**

*These words are used when **Anointing** with the holy oil of the Sick (is administered):*

**N** (and on behalf of **N**) I anoint you in the name of God  
who gives you life. Receive Christ's forgiveness, his  
healing and his love.

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ grant you the  
riches of his grace, his wholeness and his peace.

**Amen.**