

Christ Our King
(Sally Song 2)

OUR FATHER

Yesterday, in our churches, was kept as a day of special prayer for Peace. There's been this 'Peace Sunday' now for the past four or five years, since Pope Paul requested that at the beginning of the new calendar year there shd be a 'peace day' of prayers. Not too much public attention has been focussed on this annual day, so far: we've been hearing more about Dr Kissinger's efforts these weeks, than about Pope Paul's plea to all men of good will to join with him in a united effort of prayer & reflection on peace. Who's to say which of them is the more effective apostle of real peace for the world? And what about the thousands & millions of Christians, and others, who do pray & work for peace? The theme of this year's Peace Day has been, simply; 'Peace depends on you too'. What's your contribution? Coming just after the celebration of Christmas, there's a particular appropriateness in this Peace Day: it's all very well --- HP 155