



# Prayer

May the God of all **wonder** who set the stars in the sky,  
**bless you with joy,**  
so that you can be grateful for creation and our shared story.

May the God of **hospitality** who placed laughter in the kookaburra,  
**bless you with a welcoming spirit,**  
so that you can be respectful and inclusive of others.

May the God of **justice** who determined the height of the mountains,  
**bless you with determination,**  
so that you can make the needs of the vulnerable paramount.

May the God of **compassion** who gave motion to the rivers,  
**bless you with empathy,**  
so that you can walk with those who are hurting.

May the God of **courage** who gave the birds their colours,  
**bless you with a voice,**  
so that you can seek the truth to speak and act with integrity.

May the God of **hope** who gave light to the earth,  
**bless you with a sense of purpose,**  
so that you can be a voice for generations to change the heart of Australia.

Amen.

