

TOGETHER PRAYER

Thursday, March 11, 2021

8am-8pm (Each Time Zone)

Frontline Worker

I am a frontline worker

Who am I?

I am the first face of The Salvation Army

I see the eyes of those who won't look at mine

I hear the words of need

I smell the dirt and grime

I touch the heart of those who fear

I face the face whose need is dear.

I am the frontline worker

I live in places large and small

Far flung and near to you all

From coast to coast to coast

And sometimes further still

The mission is as close as my hand

And as far as the darkest heart

With heart to God and Hand to man

I am the frontline worker.

I work on streets

I gather food and give it too

I help the homeless find a place

I listen in, with Jesus' grace

I help to heal in hospitals too



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From Buchan to Iqualuit and Windsor in Ontario

From Gitwinksilku to Toronto and Warwick in Bermuda

I speak French in Saint Jerome, and other places too.

From Meadowlake and Winnipeg to Estevan and Moncton

In Whitehorse and in Edmonton you'll find me there as well

I'm everywhere the need is met

I am the frontline worker.

I make the beds where people sleep

The floors I clean, the meals I prepare

The tears and noses wipe and confidences keep

I hear the same words over, as if for the first time

And help the harried find some sleep

I am the frontline worker.

For those with addiction I point the way

With families with concerns, I will pray

For seniors who need company or a roof

For children who need protection

I am there

I am the frontline worker

For those who need a shoulder to lean on

In their home or hospice

In prison finding freedom



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Seeking something more

than life's worthless spice

For those who need a friend

To guide them to the end

I am the frontline worker.

For diverse tasks

Like hampers or tax

From times like Christmas

And all through the year

For daily Thrift within our stores

Finding jobs or simply at home

Any time, any where

Any body everywhere

Who am I?

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And I'll face life with you

- Colin Bain, March 2021