

**National Catholic Health Care Week
October 4 – 10, 2020
Daily prayers & reflections**

From October 6 to 12, we will celebrate the National Catholic Health Care Week in Canada. This week, organized by the Catholic Health Alliance of Canada, provides the opportunity to highlight the inspiring work of Catholic health care organizations in our province and across Canada. During these unusual times of pandemic, and discussion and action on racism, we offer these suggested reflection questions and prayers to help you acknowledge and reflect on the week with your teams.

The Message

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Monday October 5

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Reflection questions

- What does Jesus's ministry of healing and reconciliation mean to you?
- What role does the gift of Catholic health care have in your community?
- Who are the most vulnerable in your community?

Prayer

Healing God, at this particular time of pandemic and while we are seeking to find ways to reach out and communicate with the most vulnerable, such as seniors living in isolation, we give thanks today for the gift of Catholic health care we have experienced in our own lives and in our communities. We give thanks that Jesus' ministry of healing and reconciliation continues every day as people are healed, accompanied and supported. Bless all those who work to continue the ministry of healing in Catholic health care.
Amen

