

- 1 Whilst London's rapid transport system is called "the Underground" or "the Tube", the system in Paris is known as "the Metro".
- 2 Yesterday is the anniversary, in the year 1863, of the opening in London of the world's first underground railway system. London Underground is the world's longest - over 250 miles (400 kms) in length.
- 3 *Let us pray  
for all who will be making journeys today:*

**We pray, Lord,**

- **for those who are going to a new job  
and for those who are going to work  
for the last time today;**
- **for the emergency services  
who will travel at high speed  
on land, water or in the air,  
to bring help to others;**
- **for those starting a new life  
as they move house;**
- **for those travelling  
to or from prison;**
- **for people  
who will go into hospital today;**
- **for young people on their way  
to school, college and university;**
- **for those who are lost  
on the journey of life;**
- **for those who will die today  
and make their final journey.**

**On all these people  
we ask your blessing, Lord. Amen.**

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