



PRAYER DIARY for August & September 2020

The Lord is my Fierce Protector and my Pastor. I always have more than enough. He offers a resting place for me in His luxurious love. His tracks take me to an oasis of peace, the quiet brook of bliss. That's where He restores and revives my life. He opens before me pathways to God's pleasure, and leads me along in His footsteps of righteousness, so that I can bring honour to His name**

Pray as you can for.....

1st – 8th August 2020

Pray into New Wine – everyone watching, listening, taking part. Pray that those seeking God will come to faith, those who already know Him will grow deeper in their relationship with God and that everyone involved in all capacities, will be encouraged, refreshed and restored.

Lord, we pray today:

- * for those who face injustice, those to whom help is denied, maybe it's through poverty, family circumstances, work situations, bring to mind people and situations we know to lift before you
- * for our own honesty and transparency in our personal prayer life, and our dealings with others, so that our witness for you may be true
- * for our speech and our actions that they might always line up with your word
- * for tenacity in prayer both for ourselves and others

Lord, we give you thanks and praise *for your unfailing love *for your amazing provision *for your mighty miracles

9th – 15th August 2020

For Prayer and Meditation this week; Psalm 105 1-6

Give thanks to the Lord and proclaim His greatness. Let the whole world know what He has done. Sing to Him; yes, sing His praises. Tell everyone about His wonderful deeds. Exult in His holy name; rejoice, you who worship the Lord. Search for the Lord and for His strength; continually seek Him. Remember the wonders He has performed, His miracles, and the rulings He has given, You children of His servant Abraham, You descendants of Jacob, His chosen one.

16th – 22nd August 2020

*16/8/20 Pray for the MORE service. 6.30

Pray for

- * the children and young people who are on school holidays.
- * those who look after them
- * Safe keeping for the vulnerable as they are away from the education environment
- * Provision for those who are missing out on school meals
- * Company for those who are lonely when not at school
- * Peace and support for parents/grandparents/relatives/friends, who are juggling work and care
- * Rest and refreshment for teachers and support workers.
- * Lord, we pray for harmony and unity in our churches, help us to 'prefer one another in love' to speak blessing to one another, and treat each other with kindness.
- * We thank you Lord for your Grace and Mercy.

23rd – 29th August 2020

Lord, we give you thanks for your protection. We praise you that you are our very present help in time of trouble, that you are our fortress, our strong tower. In you we can Trust!

- * Pray for the leaders of St Philip's as they seek God regarding the new committee members and for those who are appointed, ask for Gods anointing for the role to which they are called.

St Philip's: Pray for those people who usually come to: *The Hub, Busy Bees, Oasis, Messy Club, Rock solid, Church Light, Path, YME, Open the Book, Life Groups, Man Alive, and Pulse.*

- * Give thanks for every activity that has been livestreamed through these challenging times, and for everyone who has worked tirelessly to this end. Praise God for their dedication
- * Renewed & Refreshed building project at St Philip's
- * Alpha course

St Aidan's: Pray for those who usually come to: *The Hope Group, Men's Breakfast, Bible Study and Prayer Group, Light Lunch.*

30th August – 5th September 2020

Lord, help us to be obedient to your call, and to go where you send us, & do what you ask us to do. Schools are now operating on a 'new normal' due to covid19, things are very different for staff & pupils alike, and there is much change to get used to for everyone. Many pupils will have been away from the school environment for a long time resulting in a difficult transition back..... Pray for

- *Toddlers and younger children starting nursery or school for the first time
- *Children of all ages going back to school and into new classes
- *Teachers and support staff who are returning
- *Older teenagers who are preparing to leave home for the first time to Start university
- *School leavers who are starting apprenticeships/jobs/further education.
- *Parents who have concerns for their children whatever age and stage they are at.

6th – 12 September 2020

*Lord we Praise you for you alone are worthy of our praise! Put a new song in our hearts, fill us with joy. We give you thanks because you delight in us your people

Wolverhampton. Pray for: The Well Food Bank, the Night Shelter, Good Shepherd, Soup Kitchen, the homeless, the powerless and vulnerable of our city, those struggling to find work, who have lost jobs due to Covid-19, Adults and children living with abuse or addiction, the bereaved, the lonely, the marginalised.

Pray for: All of the Cities frontline medical staff, key workers, support staff, paramedics. Give thanks for their dedication. The emergency services – firefighters, ambulance crews and police. For local councillors, local businesses many of whom have been hit hard by lockdown. Other Churches in the city and our brothers and sisters in Christ

13th – 19th September

Prayers for our Country;

- *For supernatural wisdom for our government in these difficult days
- *For policy and decision makers in government. Lord. raise up Christians into places of influence.
- *For right decisions to be made regarding Covid19
- *For honesty and truth to be spoken at a national and local level
- *For the safety of our nation
- *For economic recovery
- *For peace and unity to replace fear and violence
- *For the honouring of all people groups & the flourishing of cultural Diversity

20th – 26th September

20/9/20 Pray for the MORE Service. 6.30

Pray for our families;

* ask God to go with your family.

*Dedicate your family members to the Lord.

*Ask God for His vision for your family, pray that He would help you to see your family through His eyes

*Pray for unity in your family.

*Pray that God would reveal Himself to members of your family who don't yet know Him as Lord and saviour

*Pray that God would bless your family with good health.

*Give thanks for your family, and for Gods provision.

*We are members of Gods family, lift before Him our brothers and sisters across the parish, give thanks for them and pray God's blessing on them.

27th September – 3rd October 2020

Pray for our world:

*Yemen, a country embroiled in civil war. Lord, let your peace rule in the hearts of the Yemeni people and bring an end to this war.

*Syria, a country in conflict. Lord, bring your hope to devastated families in Syria.

*Haiti, Lebanon, Iraq, countries of great instability. Lord, would you bring stability to the people and governments of these countries.

*South Sudan. Civil war. Lord, bring an end to hostilities and let your peace reign.

*Myanmar. Persecution. Lord, so many people suffering persecution, we pray for your protection upon them.

*For all Christians across the world living under persecution, Lord, we pray for your protection, provision, encouragement and that you would bring them hope.

**Psalm 23 v1-3

This is a Prayer Diary for everyone, please contact Peter or Sharon if you feel you are not represented and we shall try to rectify that.

If you would like to explore joining the end of service prayer ministry team (on a rota basis) and you feel led to pray with and for others, please let Sharon or Peter know