

Prayer Focus

February 2018

Sunday 4th

Give thanks for the words of the Gospels. *'In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning.'*

Monday 5th

Have no anxiety about anything, but in everything by prayer and thanksgiving, let your requests be known to God.

Tuesday 6th

Thank you God – And the peace of God which passes all understanding, will keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. - Philippians 4-4-7.

Wednesday 7th

Dear Lord, thank you for the Rainbow, the colour of creation. There are so many colours, Lord, and so much beauty in `your` world. Help us to stop, look and listen to your creation.

Thursday 8th

Please take our prayers along with the prayers of millions of others and bring about your purposes of love, healing and hope to the very edge of the world. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Friday 9th

As evening comes we give you thanks for the day. We have depended on so many people we often take for granted; teachers, medical staff, cleaners who are about to go and tidy offices, those who have prepared television programmes and many more. Thank you Father.

Saturday 10th

Lord, make us impatient for the day when the whole creation shall be renewed and we shall have a new heaven and a new earth.

Sunday 11th

Life-giving God in the freedom of your Spirit we pray for all those who are oppressed, abused and frightened.

Monday 12th

O God we light candles for peace, for hope, for guidance, candles for joy and thanksgiving. We pray that the candle of your love is a light we can cherish forever.

Tuesday 13th

Lord, you are the Way. Lead us into your Kingdom.

Wednesday 14th *Ash Wednesday*

Good Lord, in this Season of Lent, help us to aim high as we seek to renew our discipleship. May we take up the best and give up the rest and know your mercy and grace in all things.

Thursday 15th

Gracious God you enrich our lives and the lives of so many with an abundance of good things, may we remember and pray for those who have nothing.

Friday 16th

Wondrous God, thank you for the Seasons; in Spring - your Faithfulness, in Summer - your Abundance, In Autumn - your Completeness, In Winter - we shall know your `Rest`.

Saturday 17th

If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation.
The old has passed away, behold the new has come.

Sunday 18th

Lord may your world not be spiritually tired. Teach us to walk in peace and walk humbly with you.

Monday 19th

Lord of the immensity of outer space, hold us a moment in the particular space of our individual lives. Help us to embrace you into the space of our own life and the lives of all.

Tuesday 20th

Father we thank you for the gift of water which we drink to stay alive. In so many ways, water is holy. May we never take water for granted.

Wednesday 21st

We pray for those whose lives are not content, but who have not found a home in you. We pray for those we know for whom `Faith` would be a lovely gift.

Thursday 22nd

We can walk through life with our senses turned off. Give us we pray the gift of contemplation so that we may see all things through your glory.

Friday 23rd

Heavenly Father and Lord of all Life, we share with you our love and concern for the world. We pray for peace, for those in pain, for the starving..... Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Saturday 24th

Lord, today may we remember and pray for all those in a `bad` place.

Sunday 25th

Gracious God, it is our privilege to pray for your world and your people and we place our prayers at your disposal today.

Monday 26th

We bow our knees before the Father, from whom every family takes its name.

Tuesday 27th

O sing to the Lord a new song, sing his praises.

Wednesday 28th

Let all the world, in every corner sing - my God and King.

Thursday 1st March

Dear Lord and Father of humanity we bring our prayers to you, not only for today, but for every day in which we try to follow you.

Friday 2nd

Today we pray for those in need, in poverty, in hunger - your people, not statistics, who cry out in your world

Saturday 3rd

Father, this day we remember that things are happening very close to us but are often unseen, unnoticed and unprayed for. In this hidden world, Lord gives us eyes to see and ears to hear.

Sunday 4th

Lord we pray for people who are facing a door marked `Push` but are unable to push because they have no strength left or courage or hope.....

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