

**PRAYER DIARY – OCTOBER 2018**

**There is so much that we can pray for. Here are a few suggestions which can be detached for your personal devotions, in addition to your normal prayers.**

- MON 1** We think of all who have been affected by recent catastrophic events – fire, floods and other natural disasters.
- TUES 2** For any of our friends or family who are ill at this time.
- WED 3** For Ms Debbie Olatunji and her friends and neighbours.
- THUR 4** Father God, in a world of plenty where there is enough for all, make it possible for the hungry to be fed.
- FRI 5** O Lord our God, help us to see the difference between what we want and what we need.
- SAT 6** We thank God for the wonderful summer we have had.
- SUN 7** For the Worship Leaders taking the Harvest service today.
- MON 8** For the helpers and all who attend our Lunch Club today.
- TUES 9** Loving God, we pray for young adults who see a bright future before them, and others who have already given up on life.
- WED 10** For Mr William and Mrs Tina Owusu-Sem and their friends and neighbours.
- THUR 11** Give thanks for the multi-cultural and diverse congregations in city, town and village.
- FRI 12** Lord, you are the God of all continents – Europe, Africa, Asia and America.
- SAT 13** Lord of creation, each day is a gift from you.
- SUN 14** Our preacher today Rev Oseias da Silva.
- MON 15** We thank you Loving God, for parents who cradled and cared for us in the families into which we were born.

- TUES 16** Our Father, we pray for those without home or family.
- WED 17** For Mrs Sheila Platt and all her friends and neighbours.
- THUR 18** Lord God, we thank you for the police forces who uphold the law and detect crime.
- FRI 19** O Lord our God, we pray for those who represent us in government. May they be men and women of integrity.
- SAT 20** Give thanks for the scenic beauty of so many parts of this country.
- SUN 21** For the Worship Leaders taking our service today.
- MON 22** Dear God, bless all the people who have come from other countries to live in our towns and villages.
- TUES 23** We pray for all who work in our local shops and offices.
- WED 24** For Misses Maureen and Kate Poole and all their friends and neighbours.
- THUR 25** Our Father God, we thank you for our pets who rely on us for their comfort and wellbeing.
- FRI 26** We thank you Lord, for the seasons of the year.
- SAT 27** Give thanks for the order and beauty of created things.
- SUN 28** Our preacher today Rev Oseias da Silva.
- MON 29** We pray for prison officers, that they may do their work fairly and without prejudice.
- TUES 30** Father, we thank you that out of the sea and from the earth you have provided for all our needs.
- WED 31** For Mr George Rodgers and Ms Kathy Ryan and all their friends and neighbours.

**Loving God, you are with all your people, old and young, happy and sad.**

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**PRAYER DIARY – NOVEMBER 2018**

- THUR 1** We pray for all refugees who have had to leave their homes because of war or ethnic cleansing.
- FRI 2** For young people who have been lured into gangs, and terrorise their local communities.
- SAT 3** O God, we thank you for giving us so much to enjoy in your world.
- SUN 4** Our preacher today Miss Glynis Barber.
- MON 5** O God, we pray for all in prison, those who have been convicted for crime and those who are awaiting trial.
- TUES 6** We pray for chaplains in the workplace, schools and colleges.
- WED 7** For Mrs Betty Salter and all her friends and neighbours.
- THUR 8** O God, we think of those who are deaf and blind. May we have more understanding of their difficulties.
- FRI 9** We pray for all who feel excluded or marginalised by a sense of isolation or lack of opportunities.
- SAT 10** O God, give us eyes to see the beauty of your world.
- SUN 11** Our preacher today Rev Oseias da Silva.
- MON 12** For the helpers and all who attend our Lunch Club today.
- TUES 13** We pray for Whitechapel Mission and all who help the homeless.
- WED 14** For Miss Shirley Thompson and all her friends and neighbours.
- THUR 15** We pray with all who long for peace in the world.

- FRI 16**     **Father God, we thank you for family love, safety and well being.**
- SAT 17**     **For low-lying areas of the world threatened by rising sea levels.**
- SUN 18**     **Our preacher today Miss Glynis Barber.**
- MON 19**     **May the leaders of nations govern with fairness and justice.**
- TUES 20**    **God our Father, in a world where so many are hungry, we thank you for our food.**
- WED 21**     **For Mrs Eileen Williamson and her friends and neighbours.**
- THUR 22**    **O God, may hatred in the world be swiftly turned to love.**
- FRI 23**     **We pray with the voiceless – people injured, displaced, angry.**
- SAT 24**     **Give thanks for work and times of leisure.**
- SUN 25**     **Our preacher today Miss Dallion Roye.**
- MON 26**     **Lord, we thank you for the great resources of healing that are available to those who are sick.**
- TUES 27**    **Father, we pray for all who are lonely.**
- WED 28**     **For Tina and Merrily Amah and their friends and neighbours.**
- THUR 29**    **O Lord, we pray for peace in the Holy Land.**
- FRI 30**     **For all who mediate – for the healing of bitterness and for new beginnings.**

**O Lord, help us to be masters of ourselves that we may be the servants of others. Amen.**

