## Prayer Diary October 2025

## "With thankful hearts offer up your prayers and requests to God" Philippians 4:6 [CEV]

Wed 1 <sup>st</sup>	Let us pray for our church family members who are in hospital at the moment. Pray for wisdom for
	the doctors to know how to help them and for them to know God's peace and comfort at this time. Pray, too, for the families looking after them and travelling regularly to visit them
Thu 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Let us thank God for those who run Women's Fellowship twice and month and keep an eye out for the regular attenders. Pray that those who meet this afternoon will be blessed.
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Pray for those of our young people who have just returned to university or college. Pray for them to settle well, make good friends and link up with churches where they will be warmly welcomed.
Sat 4 <sup>th</sup>	Give thanks for the teams who run Saturday Kitchen each week and for the families who regularly come. Pray that the families will be able to build relationships with each other so that they can find friendship and support.
Sun 5 <sup>th</sup>	Pray for the team leading BRBK this morning and pray for the families who will attend. Pray that the children will pay attention to what they will be taught and that they will learn lessons that will lead them to come to know Jesus in a personal way.
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup>	Give thanks that PMA (Pleasant Monday Afternoon) has been going well since the restart after the summer with some new people now coming along. Pray for the gathering this afternoon when Lynn Woroniecki will be speaking about the work of the Oasis Pregnancy Advice Centre.
Tue 7 <sup>th</sup>	Let us continue to pray concerning the appointment of a new minister – that God will clearly guide the settlement group as they interact with any who apply for the position and as they consider who should be appointed. Let us also give thanks for the deacons and others helping in so many ways during our time of interregnum.
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup>	Give thanks for the opportunities we have to pray along with others at various times during the month. Pray that a good number will participate in the first Zoom Prayer Gathering this season and that it will be a time of blessing for all.
Thu 9 <sup>th</sup>	Pray that the first lunch club since the summer break will go well. Pray for the team preparing the meal, the one giving the after lunch talk and for the participants to bless one another as they chat around the tables.
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	Pray for Claire Bedford continuing her role as part of the management team of Guinebor 2 Hospital in Chad. Pray for wisdom as she deals with the challenges of working with a multicultural staff of 130 and that the solar system and IT system that they are dependent on will continue to work well.
Sat 11 <sup>th</sup>	Pray for the Oasis Quiz night taking place this evening to raise funds for the Pregnancy Advice Centre.  Pray that a good number of people will attend and that God will continue to bless the centre's work.
Sun 12 <sup>th</sup>	Pray for all who will be involved in any way in the service this morning. Give thanks for the opportunity to remember our Lord in a special way as we celebrate communion and pray that we will be able to worship from our hearts.
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup>	Give thanks for the team enabling people to meet for Coffee, Cake and Company and for the relationships that have built up between those who come to take advantage of meeting with each other regularly. Pray for God to bless the conversations that will take place this morning.
Tue 14 <sup>th</sup>	Pray for Cally and the Eagle Project team as they continue to lead psychotherapy groups in 5 of the youth prisons of Sao Paolo and as they seek to help those recently released. Give thanks that most of those released after attending the group sessions are now studying or working and not returning to lives of crime.
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup>	Pray that money used to fund leprosy medical care will be transformed into showing the love of Jesus. Pray that His love is evident in every care, treatment and surgery given to the patients.
Thu 16 <sup>th</sup>	Praise God for SAT-7 and for all those involved in producing and showing programmes on TV and social media that share the message of the Gospel in various ways to the many who live in the Middle East and North Africa. Give thanks for the encouraging stories we heard last month when Bronwen came to share and pray for all those involved in answering viewers comments and questions.

Fri 17 <sup>th</sup>	During October, Tearfund are asking us to pray for their work in Nigeria. Their Transforming
	Communities programme trains churches to lead their members and communities out of poverty and
	into sustainable futures. Special prayers are asked for God to help them expand the programmes in
	Lagos so that they can equip more churches in this work.
Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>	Please pray for Sudan where there has been trouble and violence for several years, but the problems
o toth	are currently increasing, particularly for Christians. A church has recently been attacked and destroyed
	with no prior warning and there is a real fear that more churches may be targeted. People are
	extremely traumatised and afraid with one Christian leader lamenting that not only are buildings
	being destroyed but lives are being broken too.
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup>	Pray that the Cafe Service planned for this morning will go well and will prove to be a blessing to
	many. Pray, too, for the young people who meet each Sunday afternoon. Pray that they may build
	relationships with each other that will encourage to continue to live out their faith.
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup>	Give thanks for the opportunity to celebrate the 119 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of PMA. Give thanks that it is still
	giving people the opportunity of sharing together in worship, of learning new things and of meeting
	with others. Give thanks for increased numbers coming and for a lovely atmosphere of general peace
	and enjoyment. Pray for Julie Rudd as she will be bringing a special message this afternoon.
Tue 21st	Give thanks for all those from different organisations who use our building and for the relationships
	being built between them and church members they meet. Pray that some may show an interest in
	coming to other church activities and the learning more about the Christian message.
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Let us remember those of our church family who are now living in care homes and those confined to
	their homes through illness or frailty. Let us pray for God to demonstrate his love to them in special
	ways and that they will be supported by friends and family.
Thu 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Pray for Peter and Louise Lynch as they are involved in many different activities in Bangladesh. Give
	thanks for the courage of the mission trainees starting new outreach work in areas where there is no
	church at the moment and pray for God to give them wisdom and courage.
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	Pray for the Alpha course, which has been running every Friday evening since 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept. Pray for Julie
	Shimzu as she interacts with the participants and that those who are not yet believers will come to
	know Jesus through what they learn. Pray for God to specially bless the session this evening.
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	Give thanks that after the extensive political disruption throughout Nepal, the majority of areas have
	returned to normal. Pray that the civil and district authorities, whose buildings were seriously
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup> Mon 27 <sup>th</sup>	damaged, will be able to operate and re-engage with NGOs like INF, which give aid to
	disadvantaged communities.
	Pray for the informal service of prayer and reflection planned for this evening. Pray for those who will
	lead it, that a good number will join and that it will be a blessing to all who attend.
	Give thanks for a good harvest after the first growing season in Northern Uganda where Genesis
	Acaye is working with farmers to improve their yields and conserve their land. Pray that there will be
	good rains during the second growing season also. Give thanks for the way the churches in the area
<b>_</b>	are being encouraged to use their own resources to improve the lives of the community.
Tue 28 <sup>th</sup>	Let us pray for our government as they are facing many challenges at the moment. Give thanks for the
	Christians in government and pray that their voices will be heard and that Christian values can be
	upheld.
Wed 29 <sup>th</sup>	Give thanks for the house groups that meet during the week to study God's word, share together and
	pray for each other. Give thanks, too, for the support members give to each other in various ways.
	Pray for the leaders as they guide the groups and pray that others will come forward to lead groups so
	that more people can become involved.
Thu 30 <sup>th</sup>	Give thanks for the worship team and for all they contribute to our services and pray that they will
	receive a special blessing through their ministry. Pray for them as they gather to practise and enjoy
	fellowship together this evening.
Fri 31 <sup>st</sup>	Pray for the Light Party being organised by the Toy Library team this afternoon. Pray that a good
	number of families will come to enjoy healthy and fun activities which focus on light rather than on
	darkness and that they will learn something about the message of the light of the world.