

PRAYING FOR OUR SCHOOLS...

ST MARY'S SCHOOL

Pray for continued good health for the staff.

Pray for the governors and the extra workload as a result of the Covid regulations.

Pray for renewed energy for the staff as they return from the half-term holiday.

GIDEONS - REGIONAL CONVENTION

Give praise for our Hope Magazines and New Testaments we can offer to friends, family and delivery drivers.

Please pray for one of our members, Gordon Short, recently commissioned as a Waterways Chaplain on our section of the Grand Union canal who has been able to give out Hope Magazines and NTs as he ministers to canal boat folk.

Give thanks for the opportunities given to him.

THE WAY INN AND OPEN DOOR

Give thanks for The Way Inn's new manager, Siobhan Clarke and all she will bring to the shop.

Please pray for God to strengthen our resolve, and continue His work in these demanding times.

Give thanks for all the joy and support given from people so far.

NEXT PRAYER BREAKFAST

SATURDAY 20 MARCH

Reflection by Peggy Sear

PARISH COMMUNITY PANTRY

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ST MARYS CHURCH, NORTHCHURCH, & NBC

Our thanks go to all who have generously given over the past few months, it's very much appreciated.

...Thank you...

JULIAN MEETING

There are no meetings planned at the moment.

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WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

**'Building on a strong Foundation'
With the people of Vanuatu.**

This year will be a bit different as we are not allowed to have a physical church service where we will bring to the world, the plight of Vanuatu, an island in the South Pacific.

**The service can be accessed through your church website or facebook page
From 1pm on Friday 5th March.**

If you would like a service booklet, please collect from your church or phone for one to be delivered to you.

Donations can be made via the website

www.wwdp.org.uk

Or given to your church minister for collection.

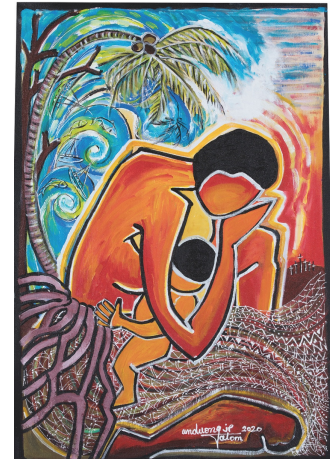
Brown envelopes are provided with the service booklet.

PRAYER

BREAKFAST

February/March 2021

Praying for the town and surrounding villages



**Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good;
His lovingkindness is everlasting.
Psalm 118:1 NASB**

KINGS ROAD CHURCH

"Give thanks for many answers to prayer: God is moving.

Give thanks for this season of new beginnings: Our new pastors, Rob & Sue Gorst, start on 1st March (their induction service is at 4pm on Sunday 7 March); the recent successful launch of a new parental support course and for two new DivorceCare courses also to begin in March.

Please ask God to lead us as we continue to think how to develop the food bank.

May our glorious Father give us the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that we may know him better."

BBC

"Please pray for us as we continue in conversation with a prospective minister. We thank God for this opportunity and pray that His will, will be done.

We remember people in our communities who are suffering, may they know God's healing presence."

NBC

"Dear friends, thanks so much for your continued prayers for the town and NBC. Do join a group of us from a couple of churches as we pray for businesses and the town on Tuesday lunchtimes 12.30 to 1pm on zoom, link available.

Please pray as we continue in mission and ministry and as we welcome and integrate our new worship leader."

HOSPICE OF ST FRANCIS

Remember Ray Ashley-Brown as he leads those in his care.

ST PETERS'

Please pray for all who visit St Peter's each day; for those seeking comfort, for those offering prayer and for those finding a few moments of solace.

We pray that our online Lent courses this year will enable people to feel connected to one another, to reflect on our experiences of the past year and learn and discover practical ways in which we can fulfil our responsibilities as stewards of God's Earth.

Thank God for all the people who have been continually doing their best to keep in touch, with service sheets, zoom, phone calls and messages to those who are alone, and self isolating.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

"Give thanks for the different ideas and ways of doing things that help our Christian journey at the moment. Pray for our Lent prayer diary that it may be used well and for families who have been separated for many months and are missing seeing grandchildren grow up or who find it difficult to help family members in need from a distance."

BOURNE END

"Give thanks that the vaccine is being rolled out. Pray that we would find ways to build relationships with our community."

SUNNYSIDE

"Give thanks for our children and young people. Pray that our families and school staff would have a good half term with fun and refreshment despite the Covid restrictions."

ST MARY'S

"Please pray for our morning Lent course, where we will follow Paula Gooder's book, 'Let me go there'. Pray for wisdom for the churchwardens as they consider re-opening the church.

Give thanks for the continued flow of donations for the Parish Pantry.

Pray for a speedy progress on the installation of a broadband into church so that we can live stream."

HOLY TRINITY, POTTEN END

"Please pray for the congregation of Holy Trinity as we discern and formulate a new Mission Action Plan. Lent and lockdown is a good time for us to reflect on who we are as church, our presence in the community and who we want to be in joining in with God's mission for the world. We pray for wisdom, openness, honesty and for listening to God in the midst of our discussions."

SACRED HEART, BERKHAMSTED & CORPUS CHRISTI, TRING

Heavenly Father, we ask your blessings on the young people of our parishes. We pray in particular for those who are beginning their First Holy Communion and Confirmation programmes at this time. Inspire them Lord, guide them and may they always know of your love. Amen.