

# 1<sup>st</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> May

## WEDNESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> KCAH

Pray for all the people who used the shelter over the winter and who are now back rough sleeping. Give thanks for the help provided to over 45 people into other accommodation. Pray for those for whom KCAH are still trying to find solutions.

## THURSDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY SERVICES

Pray for everyone leading and preaching on Sunday. For those working with young people, leading worship. Pray for time to prepare and focus on God and hear his leading. Pray that people come ready to worship and listen to God.

## FRIDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> REUBEN ALEXANDER

Pray for Reuben and Rachel as they return from holiday in South Africa visiting family and friends. Pray that they were refreshed, blessed and encouraged and return with excitement for their ministry with the young people here.

## SATURDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> VENEZUELA

Pray for peace and good leadership, for calm, no further violent clashes, for justice and safety for all citizens. Pray for a resolution to the battle for power between the military and the president. Pray that God'

## SUNDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> WHO LET THE DAD'S OUT?

Give thanks for a great time at WLTD0 over the last year, particularly for new Dad's and children joining the group recently. Please pray for the team as we seek God's will in developing WLTD0 and planning for the year ahead.

## MONDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> OURSELVES

*<sup>4</sup>Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!<sup>5</sup>Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near.*  
Philippians 4:4-5

## TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> CHRIST CHURCH RENEWED

Give thanks to God for the wonderful response to the gift day. Pray that the finishing of the project will go well and that when we return God will use the renewed building to restore people and to bless our community, all for his glory.

# 8<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> May

## WEDNESDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> BERYL BA

Pray for Beryl as she prepares to travel to the UK on 6 June. Pray for arrangements for the security of her home in Dakar while she is away, for good health and rest and refreshment over the summer.

## THURSDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY SERVICES

Pray for everyone leading and preaching on Sunday. For those working with young people, leading worship. Pray for time to prepare and focus on God and hear his leading. Pray that people come ready to worship and listen to God.

## FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> JOHN FREEMAN

Please pray for John and Steph as they finish their ministry at Christ Church, and as they prepare to move to Reading and begin ministry at their new Church. Please pray for peace, joy and vision.

## SATURDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> SRI LANKA – AFTER EASTER BOMBINGS

Pray that people mourning the loss of loved ones will receive support, that the church will strengthen, showing grace, love and forgiveness. Pray for those who are injured to heal quickly and wholly and for safety across the country, that no more attacks will happen.

## SUNDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> CHRIST CHURCH SCHOOL

Give thanks for the many opportunities we have to be involved with Christ Church School; Assemblies, Bible Clubs, Governors, Lessons, and many more (and, of course, meeting for church on Sundays!). Pray that we share God's love with all at the school in our many interactions with them.

## MONDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> OURSELVES

*<sup>12</sup> You will go out in joy and be led forth in peace; the mountains and hills will burst into song before you, and all the trees of the field will clap their hands.*  
Isaiah 55:12

## TUESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> EVANGELISM

Jesus calls his followers to go and make disciples of all nations. Pray for yourself that you would know how you can be obedient to this. Pray for people in countries where it is dangerous to do this, that God would give them courage.

# 15<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> May

## WEDNESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> KINGSTON FOODBANK

Give thanks that 5811 parcels of emergency food supplies were given out in 2018/19. Pray for all those needing this help and that they would know God's love for them through this ministry.

## THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY SERVICES

Pray for everyone leading and preaching on Sunday. For those working with young people, leading worship. Pray for time to prepare and focus on God and hear his leading. Pray that people come ready to worship and listen to God.

## FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> THURSDAY WOMEN

Please pray for Thursday Women as we continue to look at "Living the good life". Give thanks for all the women that come and pray that we will all grow closer to God as we study and meet together.

## SATURDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> BREXIT

Father in Heaven, we declare that you are sovereign and just. Give our leaders wisdom and grace as they plan, prepare and negotiate for the United Kingdom. Equip your church as we go into our communities to show your love and bring your peace.

## SUNDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> SMALL GROUPS

Small groups are a vital part of our church community. If you are in a small group, pray for the leaders of your group. If you are not in a group, pray that God will show you who you might be able to meet with to encourage each other.

## MONDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> OURSELVES

*<sup>6</sup>Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.<sup>7</sup>And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.* Philippians 4:6-7

## TUESDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> DISCIPLESHIP

Jesus calls his followers to make disciples and to teach them to obey everything that he has commanded us. Pray specifically that through the power of the Holy Spirit you would be able to be obedient to the commands that Jesus has given.

## 22<sup>nd</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> May

**WEDNESDAY 22ND** CCM (Christian Media Ministry in Poland)  
Pray for a major evangelistic campaign, prepared by a 40 churches in Wroclaw, with Nick Vujicic, June 2, 2019. We are to help with the digital follow-up. Incredible opportunity, as 40,000 people are expected at the football stadium!

**THURSDAY 23RD** SUNDAY SERVICES  
Pray for everyone leading and preaching on Sunday. For those working with young people, leading worship. Pray for time to prepare and focus on God and hear his leading. Pray that people come ready to worship and listen to God.

**FRIDAY 24TH** SARAH ATKINS (SPA)  
Please pray for Sarah as she finishes her ordination training and prepares for ordination at the end of June. Pray for the Lord's peace and joy for her and Andy as she steps out into new ministry.

**SATURDAY 25TH** THY KINGDOM COME 30 MAY to 9 JUNE  
Pray for this initiative to deepen our relationship with Jesus and bring more people to know Jesus. Pray that the Spirit will inspire and equip us to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with our friends, families and communities.

**SUNDAY 26TH** HOME FOR GOOD  
*Lord, we thank you that you are a playful, accepting, curious and empathetic father. We don't always find it easy to parent in this way. Please help us to listen to the response that you want us to make. Please fill the gaps for our children when we don't. Please heal our children's wounds and mature them into people who love you with all their heart, soul and mind.*

**MONDAY 27TH** OURSELVES  
*<sup>9</sup>Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me—put it into practice. And the God of peace will be with you. Philippians 4:9*

**TUESDAY 28TH** SERVING  
God gives to each of his people gifts (or special abilities to serve) that will enable the whole body of Christ to grow. Pray that you will know how to serve God and to serve others, and that you will have a growing desire to help others grow.

## 29<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> May

**WEDNESDAY 29TH** COMPASSION in VERPAVEDDUVAN  
Give thanks for the many families who give to support a child in this community. Pray for Jesus to make a difference in the life of each child and their family. Pray that the terrorist attacks at Easter will not damage the recent relative peace in Sri Lanka.

**THURSDAY 30TH** SUNDAY SERVICES  
Pray for everyone leading and preaching on Sunday. For those working with young people, leading worship. Pray for time to prepare and focus on God and hear his leading. Pray that people come ready to worship and listen to God.

**FRIDAY 31ST** ANEAL APPADOO (New Associate Minister)  
Pray for Aneal and Sabrina as he finishes at Holy Trinity, Redhill and prepares to move to Surbiton. They would especially value prayers for their children and in finding local school places."

THROUGHOUT THE MONTH  
Please pray for those within our church family who are unwell, housebound etc.  
Joan Chivers, Fiona Cook's mother Sally, Miranda Deakin-Woof's mother Pamela, Jean Ellis, Terry Ewers, Joan Langford, Vic Langford, Richard Laslett, Nanah Lim's mother Haeng-Ok, Gill Mason's mother Vicky, Lorraine Mould, Philip Paul, Vanessa Rayner and June Walker.

And for those recently bereaved: -  
Friends and family of Betty Wood.

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