

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> Pray for our Care Homes, Residents & Staff.**

Lord, you establish peace for us; all that we have accomplished you have done for us. – **Isaiah 26:12**

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> Pray for Urban Outreach & Westhoughton Assist.**

**Mark the Evangelist** - Almighty God, who enlightened your holy Church through the inspired witness of your evangelist Saint Mark: grant that we, being firmly grounded in the truth of the gospel, may be faithful to its teaching both in word and deed. Amen

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> Pray for our Local Shops, Businesses & Market Traders.**

“Now the word of the Lord came to me, saying, Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.” **Jeremiah 1:4-5**

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> Pray for the Homeless, Hungry & all struggling at this time.**

**For the beauty of the earth,  
for the glory of the skies,  
for the love which from our birth  
over and around us lies.  
Christ, our Lord, to you we raise  
this, our hymn of grateful praise.**

Don't walk behind me, I may not be a good leader. Don't walk in front of me, I may not be able to follow. Just walk beside me, as my best friend for life.

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> Pray for God's Guidance Day by Day.**

May our children be blessed as they go out and as they come in. May they continually bring joy and peace to everyone around them. May they grow to become men and women who will glorify God and please God in all they do. Amen

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> Pray for all who live in our Parishes.**

Where Jesus is, we see Light in the darkest places,  
Hope in times of uncertainty,  
Joy in difficult circumstances.

*I am the Light of the world. Whoever follows Me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.* **John 8:12.**

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> Pray for all who live outside our Parishes.**

Clap your hands with joy, all peoples! Praise God with loud songs! The Lord, the Most High is a great king, ruling over all the world – **Psalms 47:1-2**



**OUR DAILY BREAD**

**April 2022**

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> Pray for our Clergy and all who lead us in worship**

Lord God, you loved this world so much, that you gave your one and only Son, that we might be called your children too. Lord, help us to live in the gladness and grace of Easter Sunday, every day. Let us have hearts of thankfulness for your sacrifice. Let us have eyes that look upon your grace and rejoice in our salvation. Help us to walk in that mighty grace and tell your good news to the world. All for your glory do we pray, Lord, Amen. - **Rachel Marie Stone**

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> Pray for our Churches across the Team.**

Help us to live as new people in pursuit of the Christian ideal. Grant us wisdom to know what we must do, the will to want to do it, the courage to undertake it, the perseverance to continue to do it, and the strength to complete it.

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> Passiontide**

Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory. Christ humbled himself and became obedient unto death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and given him the name that is above every name. **Philippians 2.8,9**

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**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> Pray for our Congregations**

.Jesus answered, “All those who drink this water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks the water that I will give him will never be thirsty again. The water that I will give him will become in him a spring which will provide him with life-giving water and give him eternal life”. **John 4: 13-14.**

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> Pray for our Organists & Choirs.**

Lift up your eyes, there is beauty all around you!

“Lift up your eyes on high and see: who created these? He who brings out their host by number, calling them all by name, by the greatness of his might, and because he is strong in power not one is missing.” ~ **Isaiah 40:26**

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> Pray for our Team Ministry & working together.**

We pray for those for whom today is like the windswept mountain: give them comfort. We pray for those for whom today is like a stormy sea: give them calm. We pray for those for whom today is like the darkest night: give them hope. Amen

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> Pray for all who help in our Churches.**

God will show us the way, because that's what good shepherds do. "He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside quiet waters. He restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for His name's sake." **Psalm 23: 2-3.**

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> Pray for peace in Ukraine and around the World.**

"Ask the LORD for rain in the springtime; it is the LORD who makes the storm clouds. He gives showers of rain to men, and plants of the field to everyone." **Zechariah 10:1**

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> Pray for the Queen, her Family & her Government.**

Love the Lord with all your heart and it will cast amazing light on everything you do. God looked over all HE had made and it was excellent in every way. **Genesis 1:31**

**10<sup>th</sup> Palm Sunday**

On Palm Sunday, we remember the time Jesus entered Jerusalem--and everybody, started praising him! This was even prophesied many years before in Zechariah 9:9.



**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> Pray for our Friends & Neighbours.**

May we learn from each other how to give, how to receive, how, in joy, to celebrate and how, in pain, to grieve; how to fight for what is right yet not do any wrong; how to be the family to which we all belong.

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> Pray for all who are displaced through war.**

Lord, you search for us and find us. Thank you for making us Your own. Amen

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> Pray for all who are sick and in need of our prayers.**

God always has an open ear and a ready hand, if you have an open and ready heart. Take your groanings and your sighs to God and He will answer you. **C H Spurgeon**

**14<sup>th</sup> Maundy Thursday**

He [Jesus] came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?" Jesus replied, "You do not realize now what I am doing, but later you will understand." "No," said Peter, "you shall never wash my feet." Jesus answered, "Unless I wash you, you have no part with me." "Then, Lord," Simon Peter replied, "not just my feet but my hands and my head as well!" Jesus answered, "Those who have had a bath need only to wash their feet; their whole body is clean. And you are clean, though not every one of you." For he knew who was going to betray him, and that was why he said not everyone was clean. **John 13:6-10**



**15<sup>th</sup> Good Friday**



"Surely this man was the Son of God!" **Mark 15: 39** Dear Jesus, I can't begin to thank You enough for taking care of my sin when You died on the cross. I acknowledge Your sacrifice, and I believe in the power of Your resurrection. **The cross of Christ reveals our sin at its worst and God's love at its best.**

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> Pray for all who mourn the loss of a loved one.**

God speaks. Are you listening? The Lord confides in those who fear Him; He makes His covenant known to them. – **Psalm 25:14**

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> Easter Day**

*Jesus Christ is Risen today -  
Alleluia!  
He has Risen from the Dead*



**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> Pray for the gifts God has given to you.**

Pray, so that you will not give in to temptation. For the spirit is willing but the body is weak! **Matthew 26:41**

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> Pray for the Farmers & for the food on our tables.**

Lord we pray that you will be with us as we walk along life's stony paths. Be our guide, our light and our help in times of need. Amen

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> Pray for our Environment.**

One song can change a moment, one idea can change a world, one step can start a journey, but a prayer can change the impossible.

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> Anselm-Archbishop of Canterbury – Pray for our Archbishops.**

Eternal God, who gave great gifts to your servant Anselm as a pastor and teacher: grant that we, like him, may desire you with our whole heart and, so desiring, may seek you and, seeking, may find you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord. Amen

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> Pray for the Emergency Services & N.H.S.**

When dreams come true at last there is life and joy **Proverbs 13:12**

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> Pray for our Schools, Staff & Pupils.**

**St. George's Day** - God of hosts, who so kindled the flame of love in the heart of your servant George that he bore witness to the risen Lord by his life and by his death: give us the same faith and power of love that we who rejoice in his triumphs may come to share with him the fullness of the resurrection. Amen

