

Section 8 – Ewell to Kingston Bridge

8 miles

Locations: Kingston, Surbiton, Berrylands, Wimbledon, Wimbledon Park, Wimbledon Common, Kingston Vale, Putney Vale, West Barnes, Motspur Park, Coombe, Tolworth, Hook, Chessington, Bushey Mead, New Malden, Old Malden, Norbiton, Wandsworth, West Hill, Earlsfield, Clapham Junction, Battersea, Chelsea, Southfields, Copse Hill & Cottenham Park, Raynes Park, Westminster and Pimlico.

The prayer walk goes through the borough of Kingston upon Thames. Other boroughs to pray for are Richmond upon Thames, Merton, Kensington and Chelsea, Wandsworth and City of Westminster.

Transport for London information on the London Loop.

<https://tfl.gov.uk/modes/walking/loop-walk>

Inner London Ramblers website page on the London Loop including pdf downloads for maps and helpful information for each section.

https://innerlondonramblers.org.uk/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=265&catid=36

Interesting Fact

Traditionally it is thought that seven Saxon kings had their coronations in Kingston.

Praise

Lord, we worship you. You alone are worthy of praise and adoration.

Scripture

“Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the Lord our God.” Psalm 20:7 NIV

Prayer Focus

Lord, we pray for those in authority. We pray for those who work in local government across London and elsewhere. We pray for our MPs and all those who are in the House of Lords. We pray for them to make good and just decisions. To be good stewards of money and resources. We pray for Christians who are involved in politics that they will have opportunity to share their faith with others. We pray that they will speak Godly counsel into the political arena and that this counsel will be acted upon. We pray for the King and the Royal family asking that they would trust in God and know His goodness in their lives. Amen

The Lord's Prayer

In this manner, therefore, pray:

*Our Father in heaven,
Hallowed be Your name.
Your kingdom come.
Your will be done
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
As we forgive our debtors.
And do not lead us into temptation,
But deliver us from the evil one.
For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever.
Amen.*

Matthew 6:9-13 (NKJV)

Putting on the armour of God

"Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Put on the whole armour of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armour of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. Pray in the Spirit and in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints." Ephesians 6:10-18 (NRSV)

Asking God

"For this reason I kneel before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name. I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long

and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge – that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God. Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations for ever and ever! Amen.” Ephesians 3:14-20 (NIV)

“Afterward I will pour out my Spirit on everyone: Your sons and daughters will proclaim my message; your old people will have dreams, and your young people will see visions. At that time I will pour out my Spirit even on servants, both men and women.” Joel 2:28-29 (GNT)

“First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all men, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life, godly and respectful in every way. This is good, and it is acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour, who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.” 1 Timothy 2:1-4 (RSV)

“If my people will humble themselves and pray, and search for me, and turn from their wicked ways, I will hear them from heaven and forgive their sins and heal their land.” 2 Chronicles 7:14 (TLB)

“The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace.” Numbers 6:24-26 (NIV)