



Registered Charity in
Northern Ireland (NIC104940)

PRAYER POINTS – JANUARY 2024

- Mon 1** Realign your thinking at the beginning of a new year: Psalm 104 v 33 & 34.
- Tues 2** Pray for troubled areas and situations all over the world, as a new year opens apparently without hope for many people.
- Wed 3** Pray for our overburdened health service and its workers, as the pressures of winter increase.
- Thurs 4** Pray for our children and young people going back to school, college or work after the holiday.
- Fri 5** Pray for our new minister Ben and his family as they prepare to take up their new work in Gardenmore.
- Sat 6** Matthew 18 v 21 & 22: “Jesus was introducing Peter to the idea that forgiveness should be a way of life. There should be no limit to it because it should never come to an end” (Jonathan Edwards).
- Sun 7** Lord, as your praise is heard round the world today, may we be a wholehearted part of it.
- Mon 8** Pray for those people you know who are bereaved, ill or lonely at this time.
- Tues 9** Thank God for the work of CAP, locally and nationally, helping to set people free financially and spiritually.
- Wed 10** Pray for TEARfund and other Christian organisations, working with increasing numbers of people in poverty and despair.
- Thurs 11** Galatians 5 v 25: Help us, Lord, to walk closely with your Spirit.
- Fri 12** Praise God for forgiveness, healing, hope and mercy.

- Sat 13** Thank God for answered prayer; let's be encouraged to ask for great things from a great God.
- Sun 14** Revelation 3 v 2: Lord, when we need a wake-up call help us to heed it and learn from it.
- Mon 15** Lord, we walk into the unknown, not only at the beginning of a new year, but every day. Help us trust you completely
- Tues 16** Help us, Lord, to honour you day by day, event by event, action by action.
- Wed 17** Psalm 27 v 1: Thank God for his protection over our lives.
- Thurs 18** Psalm 42 v 11: May we have confidence in God, and talk to him honestly, when we are discouraged or in need of his help.
- Fri 19** 2 Corinthians 3 v 4 & 5: Be assured today that we are fully equipped for what God leads us to do, if we depend on his strength.
- Sat 20** Romans 8 v 34: "Jesus is the perfect prayer partner – the friend who intercedes for us with immeasurable kindness" (James Banks).
- Sun 21** Lord, teach us to listen humbly, even when you're telling us what we'd rather not hear.
- Mon 22** Luke 8 v 50: "Is this the moment to stop in your tracks, to face your fears and give them to Jesus? Trust him, and his power can and will bring new life where it's needed" (Tom Wright).
- Tues 23** Luke 9 v 16 & 17: Thank you, Lord, that you are willing to use even the little we can offer.
- Wed 24** Luke 8 v 48: Many times we must choose to believe against all odds: "Faith is choosing to believe not because we see, but because we trust" (Christy Wimber).
- Thurs 25** Luke 10 v 30: "No church, no Christian, can remain content with living a life that allows us to watch most of the world lying half-dead in the road and pass by" (Tom Wright).
- Fri 26** Pray for your family and friends today.

- Sat 27** Pray for the Holy Spirit's influence on world leaders and decision-makers.
- Sun 28** "The Lord, the Lord, is the Rock eternal" (Isaiah 26 v 4).
- Mon 29** Thank God that he lifts us and holds us in his love (Psalm 94 v 18 & 19).
- Tues 30** Lord, every day there are new reasons to praise you (see Psalm 96 v 1 – 3).
- Wed 31** On a poster outside a church: "Everyone wants to serve God, but only in an advisory capacity". Let's ask for forgiveness when we try to tell God what to do!

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