

## Wey Valley Circuit Prayer Diary July 2023

*And the heavens will praise your wonders, O Lord; (Psalm 89:5)*



Summer Sunrise over Goldsworth Park in Woking

This month's prayer suggestions are inspired from hymns in Singing the Faith:  
139, 140, 68, 67, 528, 718, 92, 651, 429, 647, 661

### Prayers of Praise and Thanksgiving

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup>** Today we awake, and God is before us, celebrate God's presence all day, in constant conversations/prayers with your Abba Father.

**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup>** Today we arise, and Christ is beside us – praise him for his precious loving sacrifice. Pray for the Worship and Mission at Addlestone, Byfleet and Woking Trinity and all who participate in it.

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup>** Today we affirm the Spirit within us – Seek her presence in your, work, service, and rest today.

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup>** Today we enjoy the Holy Trinity surrounding us. Praise Abba Father, Son and Spirit for the new life, everlasting hope and fellowship they bring to you.

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup>** Praise God in the evening when day turns to night. Give thanks for the day and its opportunities to care and share God's love. Pray for those who find sleep difficult.

**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup>** Praise God in singing songs of praise. Praise him for the food you will eat today. Praise him in everything you do and say. Hallelujah, praise the Lord!

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup>** Clap your hands to the God who loves you. Sing your song to the one who saves. Trust his promises, know that you are his always! Pray for the faith to express your joy publicly.

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup>** Praise, praise the God we adore, our faithful unchangeable friend, whose love is as great as his power and neither knows measure nor end. Thank God for that reality.

## Prayers of Intercession

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>** Pray without ceasing pray and call upon the Lord to share your every want. Pray for the Worship and mission at Cranleigh, West Horsley and Weybridge – and all who participate in it.

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup>** Pour out your souls to God, extend the arms of mighty prayer to pray for humankind. Pray for those urgent needs known only to you and God.

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup>** Pray for the hungry of this world, both physically and spiritually. Pray for your local food/clothes bank and any you know and meet who need support.

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup>** Pray for those who are suffering from war and violence. Remember to share situations you know and care about.

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup>** Pray for those living in fear and oppressed by power and hate. Pray too for the Coffee Morning at Merrow (10.30am - 12.00 noon), in aid of The Migraine Trust

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup>** Pray for your family, friends and neighbours and those you see or know about who are lonely, sad, or unwell.

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>** Pray for yourself and seek God's healing grace and inspiration for insight into God's purpose for you. Pray for Clothes4U at Knaphill (2.00-4.00pm) and Messy Church at Godalming UC (3.00pm-5.00pm).

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup>** Pray for the Worship and Mission at Godalming UC and Walton-on-Thames, and all who participate in it. Pray too for Rev Dave Faulkner's Farewell Service at Byfleet (3.00pm).

## Prayers for Reflection (all from StF 92)

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup>** Think of a world without any flowers, trees, animals, fish, birds. Pray for our World and our responsibilities to care for it, and for God's support for your part in tackling Climate Change.

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup>** Think of a world without any colour: rainbows, art, craft, creativity. Give thanks for the skills and beauty Christian artists have used to make paintings, stained glass, and sculpture in our churches.

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup>** Think of a world without any poetry, writing, music and hymnody, and give thanks for the skills of musicians and writers in supporting and developing worship.

**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup>** Think of a world without any science, medicine, surgery, nursing, engineering, technology and innovations, and give thanks for the significant contributions of these to our lives.

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup>** Think of a world without any people, streets, houses; and give thanks for families, friends, and interaction with neighbours and strangers. Pray for the homeless, lonely, and isolated.

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup>** Think of a world without any worship, of a God without their only Son, of a cross without resurrection; only a grave and not a victory won. Give thanks for our Church communities. Pray for Knaphill Coffee Morning (10.00am-12.00noon).

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup>** Pray for the Worship and Mission at Guildford St Mary's, Knaphill, Stoughton, and Sheerwater and all who participate in it.

## Prayers of Confession, Assurance and Ministry

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup>** Open your heart and talk to Jesus. Lord of life, I come to you, as I am, to seek your healing and blessing. Lord of all, my Saviour, fill me with light of your love.

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup>** Lord Jesus, I come to you for mercy, for the sins I confess. I know you will listen and with immense compassion will accept my prayers and restore me to greater wholeness.

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup>** Lord Jesus, your forgiveness lifts my burdens, setting my heart and spirit free to fulfil my potential. I pray for your presence as step by step, and hand in hand, you lead me onward.

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup>** Abba Father, you freely give me your love. I pray for opportunities to share that love with those who are hurting and feel unloved.

Pray for the ministry of Coffee and Cake at St Mary's Guildford.

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup>** Lord Jesus give me the words to speak, when words are all I have to ease the pain and stress that others feel. I pray for .....

**Saturday 29<sup>th</sup>** Lord, empower me by the Holy Spirit to use my talents, gifts and graces to share your love in words and deeds to lead others to you. I pray for .....

**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup>** Pray for our Ministers, Local Preachers, Worship Leaders, Pastoral Visitors, Stewards, Administrators, Readers, Musicians and Congregations who enable Worship and Mission to take place in the Circuit.

**Monday 31<sup>st</sup>** Take some time to reflect on your prayers this month and raise any things that need prayer to God and continue to *'Pray without ceasing'*.

I pray for God's richest blessings on you all, Graham.