

October Prayer Diary

- 1) May the craft fair and open day at Rydal Hall be a success.
- 2) **The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity. Lord God, defend your Church from all false teaching and give to your people knowledge of your truth, that we may enjoy eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord.**
- 3) The Chat room in Alston has now opened and will be open every weekday. Pray that it may be used to the glory of God in the love and companionship to be found there.
- 4) Pray for the Bishop's harvest appeal which seeks to fund Women's literacy and economic empowerment in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.
- 5) Also included in the Bishops harvest appeal are funds to support women in Gaza that they may grow their way to greater food security.
- 6) Remember the Holy Communion service in Eden Court on the first Thursday of each month. Also the Anna Chaplaincy which reaches out to the lonely.
- 7) Pray for St Michaels' Addingham as it forms its new PCC.
- 8) Remember Little Acorns and pray that an older group may be formed for the children to move into. Pray for St. John Melmerby and Gamblesby chapel.
- 9) **The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity. Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders, that we may serve you with reverence and know your peace at our lives' end, through Jesus Christ our Lord.**
- 10) Today is World Mental Health Day. Pray for all those who suffer that they may be understood and treated with respect and kindness.
- 11) The thirteenth is the Circuit AGM of the Methodist Women in Britain pray that it may be well attended and that their coffee morning on the 14th is a success.
- 12) Pray for the explore group in Kirkoswald as amongst other things they are seeking how to continue with Kettle Calling which is currently in abeyance.
- 13) Remember the Fellside Connect group meeting to study the Lord's Prayer.
- 14) The God for all Roadshow is being held on the 17th at St Andrews Penrith. Pray that those attending may be inspired to further the teaching of the Gospel in their communities.
- 15) Pray for the Third Sunday 6-30pm service in KO Chapel tomorrow.
- 16) **The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity. Gracious God, you call us to fullness of life: deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.**
- 17) Tomorrow, held in Langwathby Chapel, is the Preparation day for the World day of Prayer. As we pray for the world let us remember those suffering from storm, flooding and war.
- 18) **St. Luke the Apostle. Almighty God, you called Luke the physician, whose praise is in the gospel, to be an evangelist and physician of the soul: by the grace of the Spirit and through the wholesome medicine of the gospel, give your church the same love and power to heal; through Jesus Christ you Son our Lord.**
- 19) Pray for those who are in difficulty because of the rising prices. Remember our food banks and collection boxes available in Great Salkeld, Lazonby, Renwick, Langwathby churches and Langwathby chapel.
- 20) Remember St. Cuthbert's Eden Hall and the Methodist community in Alston.

21) This Sunday is Bible Sunday when we give thanks for the Word of God in all its richness and diversity as it reveals our God in His compassion and love.

22) Pray for Culgaith café church and Lazonby Zest. May they reach out to these communities.

23) **The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity. God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

24) Pray for the Christian communities in Kirkland Ousby and Skirwith as they work together.

25) As we develop safeguarding in our churches let us pray that we meet all with kindness and understanding.

26) Autumn approaches and our schools face challenges. Let us remember the Heads and Teachers and all those who are necessary to the smooth running of our schools. Pray that the children in their care may prosper.

27) Pray for Tbreak especially those who lead that they may inspire children and parents to seek a closer walk with our Saviour Jesus Christ.

28) **St. Simon and St. Jude. Almighty God, who built your Church upon the foundation of the Apostles and Prophets, with Jesus Christ as the chief cornerstone: so join us together in unity of spirit by their doctrine, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.**

29) Pray for the Thanksgiving and Remembering services this weekend as we remember those gone before.

30) **The fourth Sunday before Advent. God of glory, touch our lips with the fire of your Spirit that we with all creation may rejoice to sing your praise; Through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

31) ON Halloween let us pray, visit this place, O Lord, and drive far from it the snares of the enemy; may your holy angels dwell with us and guard us in peace, and may your blessing be always upon us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Thank you to all who have contributed to this month's Diary If you wish to have anything included in the November Diary contact me on 07908957429 or email me at dugdaleelizabeth@gmail.com