

The Prayer Diary – March 2023

Please remember in your prayers the following:

- 1 Remember the small village of Renwick where there is a coffee morning on Wednesdays in the Chapel schoolroom, pray that this small community may continue to grow in love and fellowship.
- 2 Pray for the different services that are available throughout the Mission Community, including the Holy Communion at Eden Court on a weekday morning once a month.
- 3 Pray for the Women's World Day of Prayer on March 3rd, a service prepared by the women of Taiwan.
- 4 Pray for the different services that are available throughout the Mission Community. Taize at Langwathby chapel on the first Sunday afternoon of the month, and Pennine Praise at Nenthead.
- 5 **Almighty God, by the prayer and disciple of Lent may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings, and by following in his Way come to share in his glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.**
- 6 Remember the Alston Chat room and All Warm Spaces which opens daily for those needing respite from the winter weather and loneliness.
- 7 Pray for the Lent Groups which are taking place at Lazonby, Langwathby, Skirwith and Alston.
- 8 Remember in your prayers today the clergy of the Mission Community; Katharine, Dave, Keith, Andrew, and Lindsay, who meet together for prayer, support and encouragement in their many and varied ministries.
- 9 Pray for the children and parents, and all the volunteers at T-Break that all may enjoy growing closer to Jesus.
- 10 Remember all those meeting in Food For thought groups seeking to deepen the knowledge of their faith.
- 11 Remember in your prayers the Fellside Churches, Kirkland, Ousby, Skirwith and Melmerby.
- 12 **Eternal God, give us insight to discern your will for us, to give up what harms us, and to seek the perfection we are promised in Jesus Christ our Lord.**
- 13 Pray for all our wardens and stewards throughout our churches who give so much of their time to ensure that our churches are welcoming to all.
- 14 Remember, Gamblesby Coffee Morning, where fellowship and good coffee are waiting for all!
- 15 Remember in your prayers all those who attend the Womens' Fellowship in Langwathby Chapel.

- 16 Pray for Oasis, which gathers in Langwathby Chapel for an informal service and light lunch from 10.15am, 3rd Thursday at Langwathby Chapel.
- 17 Remember our Friday Blessings Prayer Group as they reach out in prayer to bless our villages and the individuals who live in or pass through them.
- 18 Remember in your prayers all the Mothering Sundays Services and Zest that will take place throughout the mission community, especially for those who have lost their Mothers.
- 19 **God of love, passionate and strong, tender and careful: watch over us and hold us all the days of our life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.**
- 20 Pray for all the PCCs and Council members throughout our churches who gave so much of their time to ensure that our churches run smoothly.
- 21 Pray for Little Acorns as they meet in Gamblesby Chapel and pray that out of that group will grow a teenage youth group.
- 22 Remember in your prayers all the valuable Community Groups which are held to provide fellowship and company.
- 23 Remember all those who attend Meeting Point at Langwathby Chapel.
- 24 Remember Kettle Calling in Kirkoswald. Pray that it may show forth God's love and compassion in that village.
- 25 Pray for the Café service in Culgaith village hall. God of love, passionate and strong, tender and careful: watch over us and hold us all the days of our life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
- 26 **Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world: lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood, Jesus Christ our Lord.**
- 27 Give thanks to those who have organised the Lent Lunches
- 28 Remember all the Lent Groups who have met over the past forty days, as they all come together for the final session.
- 29 Pray for those who will come forward for confirmation later in the year, that as they learn about the Christian faith they will be able to accept Jesus as their Saviour and receive with joy the Holy Spirit into their lives.
- 30 Pray all our schools as they prepare the children for Easter.
- 31 Remember in your prayers Lizzie Dugdale who despite not being well manged to put a prayer diary together for the benefit of us all.

Thank you to all who have contributed to this months' diary. If there is anything you wish to be included next time please contact me on dugdaleelizabeth@gmail.com