



Prayer Diary

Sunday 30 August to Saturday 5 September

Sunday

Give thanks for all those who welcome us to our Sunday services and celebrations. Ask that God would fill them with warmth, attentiveness, and joy as they serve. Pray that each greeting would reflect God's love, calm anxious hearts, and help people feel valued and included. Through their hospitality, pray that God would draw us closer together as a church family, preparing our hearts for worship.

Monday

As the summer holiday season draws to a close, please pray for those in our church family enjoying a Bank Holiday Monday break today. Ask that it would be a time of genuine rest, refreshment, recreation, and meaningful togetherness with family and friends. Also remember those for whom today is a normal working day, praying that God would strengthen, encourage, and bless them in all they do.

Tuesday

Give thanks for our wonderful clergy team: Si and Tom (just returning from sabbatical), also supported by Julie as a still-serving retired clergy member, who continue to serve us lovingly and faithfully. Please continue to uphold them (and their supportive family members) in prayer, asking that God would grant them wisdom, strength and compassion as they lead us forward in this busy new term ahead.

Wednesday

Please pray for Iain and our dedicated Messy Church team, as the first session of the new school year takes place this afternoon. Those coming along will move around specially designed stations to explore the 'All-inclusive Love of Jesus' by the way Jesus loved to go to Church, followed by a Messy Church Tea. Ask that the Holy Spirit would work in the lives of the children and adults attending.

Thursday

As a new school academic year commences this week, please uphold in prayer the teachers, classroom assistants, administrative and support staff, and all pupils in our local schools. Pray especially for children starting school for the first time, or moving up to new schools, asking that God would calm anxieties, build confidence, and help each one feel safe, welcomed, encouraged and valued.

Friday

Give thanks for Travis and for all he contributed to the Youth work here. As he begins his new ministry as Youth Team Leader at All Saints Weston in Bath, please pray that God would equip him with wisdom, energy and joy, inspiring and guiding him as he encourages young people in faith. Ask that he would know God's presence, build strong relationships as he settles in, and bear lasting fruit in His service.

Saturday

Please pray for the Diocese of Bristol Treasurers' Conference taking place in the Centre this morning. It will include practical insights from experienced treasurers and bookkeepers, discussion of common challenges, opportunities to share good practice, and conversations about how the Diocese can better support these vital volunteer roles in the future. Pray too for this morning's Forget-me-Not Café.