

LET'S PRAY.....EVERY DAY
JANUARY 2024

Philippians 4:6	A week of thanksgiving prayer: <i>Thank you for:</i>	
Mon	1 st	New beginnings, forgiveness, God's refreshing rain washing away our wrongdoings. Answered prayer. For hope and starting afresh.
Tues	2 nd	The surrounding beauty of where we live: the beach, the park, the hills, our gardens.
Wed	3 rd	Our relationship with Jesus, for our Salvation.
Thurs	4 th	Music, Films, Live Theatre and other forms of entertainment and hobbies.
Fri	5 th	Love with friends, families, and neighbours.
Sat	6 th	Laughter! Think about how you have shared laughter with a friend or laughed out loud at a TV programme, radio, or book.
Sun	7 th	The weekend, to relax, to take a walk, to read, to 'notice' God's world around us.

Matthew 25:35-40	A week of prayer for those who serve us:	
Mon	8 th	Our Town and District Councils. For wisdom in their decisions and spending.
Tues	9 th	Bognor Hospital and St Richards, our GP Surgeries, chemists, dentists, nurses, doctors, and surgeons.
Wed	10 th	For the Warm Spaces initiatives that continue to run in our local churches and libraries.
Thurs	11 th	Delivery men and women, whether food or letters/ parcels.
Fri	12 th	Gardeners, decorators, electricians, plumbers, etc.
Sat	13 th	Care homes, wardened flats, supported living, safe homes, home help and refuges.
Sun	14 th	Police, the fire service, paramedics, coast guards and all carers in the community.

Jeremiah 29:11		A week of prayer for hope:
Mon	15 th	For Christians Against Poverty (CAP) who bring hope to those wanting to escape poverty.
Tues	16 th	For the people in countries whose leaders are corrupt – for change and a better future.
Wed	17 th	For our local foodbank and other places giving away food parcels.
Thurs	18 th	That those suffering with long term illness or disability, find comfort in the love of God and those around them.
Fri	19 th	For children who are fostered or waiting to be adopted.
Sat	20 th	For those awaiting medical or test results.
Sun	21 st	For refugees risking their lives in the hope of safety.

1 Timothy 2		A week of prayer for our world:
Mon	22 nd	For the victims of knife and gun crime.
Tues	23 rd	For justice and peace for all in this world and for those fighting to make this a reality.
Wed	24 th	For us to be serious about the effects of plastics in our seas and the effects of climate change.
Thurs	25 th	For all leaders to serve the people of their countries with respect and fairness.
Fri	26 th	For all overseas volunteers and missionaries who bring people the Good news of Jesus Christ, and those who bring medication and surgery to the needy.
Sat	27 th	For the most powerful countries/leaders to work together.
Sun	28 th	For those worldwide who struggle with addiction.

Proverbs 3: 4-5		Prayers for our young people:
Mon 29 th – Wed 31 st	Children across the world who are sick and undergoing treatment - for healing and peace. For children who have emotional or psychological problems and are waiting for help. For all those working with young people helping them find purpose and direction in life.	

DIARY DATES - JANUARY 2024

Day	Date	Event	Time
Mon	Every Monday (from January 8 th)	Whist Club	2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Wed	10 th and 24 th	Wed Home Grp	10:30 a.m.
Thurs	11 th and 25 th	Thurs Home Grp	2:30 – 4:30 p.m.
Fri	Every Friday	Well-Come Point/ Warm Spaces	10:00 – 12 noon 12:00 – 2:00 p.m.
Thursday 18th January		Bognor Churches Together - Prayer Gathering Shore Community Lounge, 73 Victoria Drive. 7 p.m. arrival for a 7:30 p.m. start	
Monday 29th January		Coffee Morning at 11 a.m. for World Day of Prayer Church of Our Lady of Sorrows, Clarence Road, PO21 1JX	

DATE	10:30 a.m.
7 th	Morning Worship
14 th	Morning Worship Holy Communion
21 st	Morning Worship
28 th	Morning Worship

A Methodist Way of Life - God longs to take you on a journey of a lifetime. Being a disciple is a bit like being a traveller on a train, taking an adventure through life, taking risks, growing, and learning. It starts with a choice: getting on the train and committing to following Jesus. Will you go where Jesus wants to take you in 2024?