

19th We lift up our 9.30am Café Church with Dale leading and preaching. Eternal God, we pray for the **Instalment of Luke today as Vicar** of All Saints' Church by Bishop Karen. We give thanks for Luke's ministry with us during these last 12 months.

20th We pray for the family of All Saints' and in the Parish we pray for those who live in Dalkeith Road and Tower Road.

21st Father of Compassion, we pray for our LPAs and Pastoral Support Group as they reach out to those in need.

22nd We pray for the thousands bereaved, injured, and displaced by conflicts in Ukraine, the Middle East, and Africa. May hostilities end, and peacemakers prevail.

23rd Lord, we lift up the PCC's social evening together and give thanks for their dedication and service to our church. Bless their work and guide their decisions in this coming year.

24th Heavenly Father, protect persecuted Christians in Nigeria. Comfort, heal, bring peace, end hatred, guide leaders, and strengthen Your Church.

25th We pray for those in poverty relying on food banks—may their situation improve, and may others share generously.

26th Heavenly Father, we thank You for the gift of worship and the joy of gathering in Your presence. We pray for Stewart Timbrell leading the 8am Holy Communion BCP. And for Luke leading and preaching at the 9.30am Service with Kids' Church. And for the 11am Morning Prayer BCP service with Luke leading and preaching.

27th We pray for the Teddies and Toddlers Meeting at the Church Hall every Monday afternoon and for the Beavers who meet in the evening. And for those who help to make these possible.

28th Father, we lift up the Slow Strollers on their walk at Houns Tout, Kingston with lunch at Scott Arms, Kingston BH20 5LH.

29th We pray for the Older People's Ministry and for the Faith & Fellowship meeting as they join today for cake and spiritual chat. *(all are welcome)*.

30th We pray for more volunteers to lead Home Groups to help our church members grow in their individual discipleship journey.

31st Lord, we lift our mission beyond the parish, praying for the six charities we support as they spread Your Word, lift people from isolation and poverty, and care for orphaned children. May Your love and grace sustain them.



All Saints' Church Branksome Park



January Prayer Diary 2025

*Heavenly Father,
Thank You for the gift of a new
year and Your unfailing grace.
Lord Jesus, may we walk in the
hope of the Gospel, leaving sin
behind and embracing the
freedom You give.
Holy Spirit, guide our steps,
renew our minds, and fill us with
Your joy.
In every moment, may we trust
Your plan and glorify Your
name.*

In Jesus' name, Amen.

- 1st Dear Lord, as we pass through the gate of the year take us by the hand and lead us into the light. Renew our faith in you and help us to live out your Gospel of Peace, Love and Forgiveness.
- 2nd Lord, bring peace to our world. End wars, heal divisions, guide leaders to justice, and unite us in love.
- 3rd We lift to you the Nursery returning next week " *We thank you for the joy of the Christmas season and ask that you are with us as we settle back into nursery for the new term.* "
- 4th We pray for the reintroduction of **Prayer Ministry** tomorrow after the 11am service, offering a space for individuals to receive prayer— whether they are carrying a burden, seeking healing, or feeling moved by the day's Service.
- 5th Epiphany:** *God of light, guide us to praise and witness Christ.* We pray for 9.30am Café Church with Communion and the 11am Communion Service. And for Luke leading and Dale preaching.
- 6th Lord, bless children and teenagers as they return to school and college. Grant them wisdom, courage, and joy in learning. Protect their hearts and minds, guide their friendships, and fill them with hope and purpose.
- 7th Stepping Stones 10am start walking from Throop Mill to Muscliffe " *As we start a new year enjoying the peace and beauty of our countryside, we pray for those in countries where peace is a distant dream.* "
- 8th Father, we pray for this afternoon's Tea Party - that all present enjoy this new year of fellowship and a delicious tea. *(All are welcome).*
- 9th Lord, open our eyes to the people in the communities in which we live who are isolated. And in the Parish we pray for those who live in Lindsay Rd and Withingham Rd.
- 10th We give thanks for the Knit and Natter, today and most Fridays at 2.30-4.30pm in the Church Hall. *(All are welcome).*
- 11th We pray for vigilance and courage in recognising and reporting abuses against people of all ages, both within and outside the church.
- 12th** Heavenly Father, we give thanks for our times of worship as a church family. We lift up Stewart Timbrell as he leads the 8am Holy Communion (BCP) and Luke as he leads the 9:30am service with a christening, and Kids' Church with Dale. We also pray for Kate leading and Luke preaching at the 11am Morning Prayer Service.
- 13th Father God, we thank you for the **Monday morning prayer walks** around our parish, happening today and over the coming weeks. Hear our prayers, and help us to hear your voice.
- We pray for the first Youth Gathering 6pm – 7.30pm at Dale's house – that there will be excitement for the young people to follow Jesus.
- 14th Father of all nations, we pray for Syria's unity, peace, and justice. Strengthen leaders, minorities, and Christians. Bring healing, reconciliation, and Christ's hope. Unite the global church in intercession for lasting restoration.
- 15th We pray for the weekly Prayer Meeting from 9-15am – 9.45am in the Church. *(All are welcome).*
- 16th We give thanks for the Slow Strollers walk, Christchurch Quay from Mayor's Mead car park, visiting the Priory.
- 17th Lord, we pray for truth, transparency, and action from world leaders to fulfil pledges, cut emissions, and protect the vulnerable from the effects of global rising temperatures.
- 18th Lord, we pray for our MPs and local councillors. Grant them wisdom, integrity, and compassion as they serve their communities.