

PRAYERS FOR OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER

“O come, let us sing unto the Lord; let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation. Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving and show ourselves glad in Him with psalms.” (Psalm 95 v 1 & 2)

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### Prayers of thanks

- God’s amazing love in the gift of His Son, Jesus Christ.
- For all who witness to God’s love, taking it out to all his people.
- For all who work to help the homeless, hungry and vulnerable.
- For the beauty of God’s creation, lifting our spirits when we feel down.

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We carry hope that must be told, we bear the Name that makes us bold. If we don’t speak how will they hear? If we don’t go who’ll draw them near? We’re looking forward to the days when unbelievers sing God’s praise, as they come running to His side, the breath of heaven fills their lives. Sing a song of salvation, let the people hear! A song of invitation, let all the people hear! (Noel & Tricia Richards)

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### Prayers of concern

- All clients, staff and volunteers at the Daytime Hub.
- The staff at the Grand as they seek new funding.
- Families applying for secondary school places.
- All who are grieving the loss of loved ones, especially the family and school friends of the girl killed in Croydon, and the family and friends of those who have lost their life or been injured in the coach crash in the Wirral.
- For the funeral of Annie’s friend Perry on 9<sup>th</sup> October
- The increase in knife and gun crime in our towns and cities and around the world.
- All who are unwell in mind, body or spirit, that they get the right support.

### Prayers for those who are known to us

Pauline & Alan; June Samet (ex sisterhood); James, Chris’s grandson; Christina; Doris Williams; Anne, Vic, Chris & Nick; Mary & Roy; Doreen & Phil; Dorothy; Joan; Bob; Sheila; Annie; Margaret & Dave; Fred & Val; David R; Andrea; Mitchell & family; Maureen; Fiona & Sharon; Sam & Ricki; Alison; Ros; Rosalind; Gilda; Vina; Janel; Tom & Michael, (working in the Hub kitchen):

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“The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures, He leads me beside quiet waters, He restores my soul..... Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff they comfort me. (Psalm 23 v 1, 2 & 4)