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Prayer Diary - September 2017

Date	Items
Friday 1 st September	Then the way you live will always honour and please the Lord, and your lives will produce every kind of good fruit. All the while, you will grow as you learn to know God better and better. Col Ch 1 v 10 Pray this would be so,
Saturday 2 nd September	Pray today for all the activities and groups that will commence again over the next few weeks. Pray for those that plan services, bible studies, children's work etc.
Sunday 3 rd September	Pray for our services this morning that we would be honouring God in all that takes place. Pray too for our time of fellowship together over lunch, thankful for those that have prepared it.
Monday 4 th September	Tonight the Elders will meet together. Pray for them as they seek God's guidance and wisdom in leading and shepherding the church along with practical needs and tasks that need to be dealt with.
Tuesday 5 th September	Schools start back today. Pray for Esther, Daniel, Izaak and Jonny all moving up into another school year. Especially pray for Priscilla as she starts school this term.
Wednesday 6 th September	Tonight Jeremy will lead the last of our studies in Psalms (78). Pray for him and ourselves as we learn and take away something new.
Thursday 7 th September	Continue to pray for Moyra after the setback she has had recently. Pray for strength for each day along with healing. Pray too for Sandy as he looks after her.
Friday 8 th September	This weekend is the Beach Mission Reunion Conference. Pray for a good time of teaching and fellowship along with hearing news of the different missions that have taken place over the summer.
Saturday 9 th September	Keep praying for the safety of our country. Pray for the security services and all the emergencies services that protect us and help foil terrorist plans.
Sunday 10 th September	Pray for Naomi in her last year of University. Pray she would do well in her studies and in all she does with the Christian Union too.
Monday 11 th September	Caffe Nero Discipleship starts back after the summer break. Pray for Rachel as she leads the study and that all who attend will feel the benefit of meeting together and studying God's Word.
Tuesday 12 th September	Costa Discipleship Group will meet this afternoon. Pray that each person would know God's blessing as they study and share God's Word together.
Wednesday 13 th September	TOFFS will meet today. Pray for them. Our new Wednesday studies begin tonight – Thessalonians. Pray for whoever will be speaking.

Thursday 14 th September	Pray for Rachel as she begins University this term. Pray for her as she settles into Uni life and studies. Pray too that she would be kept strong in her faith and make new Christian friends.
Friday 15 th September	Explorers. Pray for the new term ahead; for Jeremy and Rebekah as they lead the group and for the children that come along.
Saturday 16 th September	Euston Church. As a new academic year begins they begin to welcome new students and returning ones. Pray that lots of young people will find Euston their spiritual home. Pray for Kevin and the rest of the team.
Sunday 17 th September	Today is 'Back to Church Sunday' Pray for all those people that will go along to a church for the first time, that they would feel welcome, but more importantly hear of the good news of Jesus.
Monday 18 th September	Pray for Sandy, Jeremy and Bill as they meet tonight to share devotions, pray and discuss church matters. Pray they would know God's strength and help. Pray for their families too.
Tuesday 19 th September	Gideons. Pray for the local group that will be distributing Bibles and/or New Testaments into schools and to University Students this term. Pray that schools will remain open for pupils to receive God's Word.
Wednesday 20 th September	Pray for all our friends who are on the mission field; Alan & Valerie, Jim & Christine, Steve & Jo, Ken and Alison. Give thanks for their willingness to share Jesus with others. Pray for them in their different ministries.
Thursday 21 st September	At this time of year pray for parts of the world that are experiencing famine, drought and tough living conditions. Pray that aid and relief would get to the people most in need.
Friday 22 nd September	Counties. Pray for the evangelists as they share Jesus with others; using so many different ways. Pray for the LIFE exhibition (focus on the life of Jesus) too that people would see, hear and understand more and about Jesus.
Saturday 23 rd September	'Our knowledge of Christ is like climbing one of the mountains...The higher we climb, the more we discover of His beauty'. Spurgeon. Pray that our knowledge of Him would grow and grow.
Sunday 24 th September	Today is our Harvest Family Service. Gareth Russell is speaking. Pray that we would be truly thankful for all God's good gifts He Has given us. Pray that we would be generous in giving and supporting others in need.
Monday 25 th September	Christian Institute. Give thanks for the help and support they give Christians in today's society. Pray that resources and finances would be readily available. Pray for all the cases that are in progress at the moment.
Tuesday 26 th September	'In the case of Jesus, He is infinitely admirable and our admiration rises to the most absolute worship' J Piper. Allow yourself time to worship the Lord Jesus today.
Wednesday 27 th September	Today pray for our family members, friends and neighbours that aren't Christians. Pray that we would be faithful witnesses to them. Pray that God would use us in their lives.
Thursday 28 th September	'Whoever claims to live in Him must walk as Jesus did'. 1 John Ch 2 v 6. Pray today that our 'walk' would be honouring Jesus and that others would see we are different from the world.
Friday 29 th September	Continue to pray for Christians that face persecution on a regular basis. Pray for families that have been separated from each other due to prison. Pray for Barnabas Fund & Release International that seek to bring help.
Saturday 30 th September	Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever. Psalm 95 v 2. Thank Him today for His goodness this past month.

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- The Shortest Book in the Bible is 2 John.
Why not read it now?

Love means doing what God has commanded us, and He has commanded us to love one another, just as you heard from the beginning. 2 John v 6

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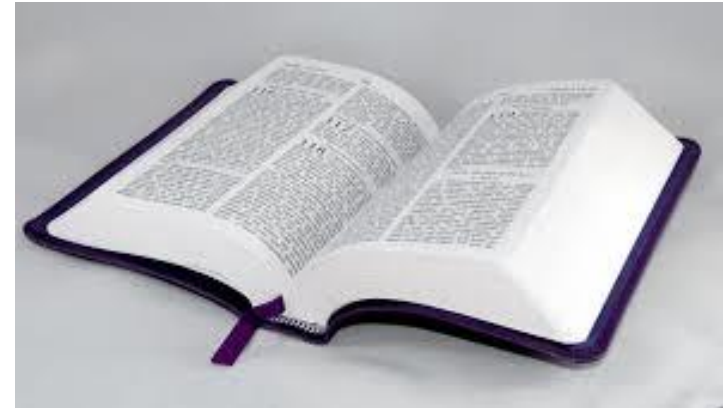
Prayer Diary - October 2017

Date	Items
Sunday 1 st October	In all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. Romans Ch 8 v 37. Keep this verse in mind as you head through October, whatever circumstances come your way.
Monday 2 nd October	Terror Attacks. Pray for those that have been bereaved and affected by further attacks. Pray for the authorities both nationally and internationally as they try to foil attacks.
Tuesday 3 rd October	Continue to pray for Moyra and Sandy at this difficult time. Pray that they would both know God's help and peace. Pray for Sandy and the rest of the family as they support and care for Moyra.
Wednesday 4 th October	Cynthia Spencer. Pray for the time spent with the patients at the hospice this morning. Pray too for Gerard as Chaplain and for all the work he does in this special ministry.
Thursday 5 th October	Open Doors reported last month of 4 christian ladies released from prison in Iraq. Pray for them as they begin to recover from the trauma adjust to normal life with their families once more.
Friday 6 th October	Pray for parts of the world that have endured flooding and natural disasters; Texas, Caribbean, Florida, India, Bangladesh and Nepal. Pray that aid and relief would get to the people that need it most.
Saturday 7 th October	Continue to pray for those that need our prayers; for Moyra and Basil.. Pray also for Sam and Joyce and give thanks for the healing Joyce has received.
Sunday 8 th October	Today Jim Memory will be speaking at our family service. Pray for him. Pray that God's message would speak to each person listening. Pray too for our communion Service.
Monday 9 th October	Caffe Nero Discipleship will be meeting this morning. Pray for Rachel as she leads the study in Thessalonians. Pray that each member would feel relaxed and ready to study and learn from God's Word.
Tuesday 10 th October	Please continue to remember Sue Davies in your prayers. Pray that she would know God's help, strength and healing. Pray too for Martin and the rest of the family.
Wednesday 11 th October	TOFFS will meet today. Pray for a good, happy time together. Pray for those that go who are not Christians.
Thursday 12 th October	'Christ's heart never ceases to beat with love and His shoulders are never weary of carrying His people's burdens' Spurgeon. Give all your burdens and cares to Him today.
Friday 13 th October	Pray for the tensions in the world, particularly North Korea. Pray for peace and stability and especially for the Christians living in that country.
Saturday 14 th October	Street Pastors. Pray for the volunteers who will be on the streets in Northampton town centre tonight. Pray that they would be kept safe and show kindness and practical help to those in need.

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Sunday 15 th October	At our communion service this morning we will be continuing our theme on Christ's humility – Philippians Ch 2. Pray that our worship will be truly about Him and all He did for us on the cross.
Monday 16 th October	Elders meet tonight. Pray for them as they have devotions and pray together. Pray for Sandy in his responsibility in caring for Moyra and for Bill and Jeremy's extra work load to relieve Sandy.
Tuesday 17 th October	Pray for those who will be meeting at Costa this afternoon to study God's word together. Pray for a time of blessing for each person.
Wednesday 18 th October	Give thanks that Jo has been able to find new ground floor sheltered accommodation. Pray for her as she waits for the move to take place and that she will settle well into her new home.
Thursday 19 th October	Release International/Barnabas Fund. Pray for those working and supporting Christians who face persecution. Pray also for families where loved ones are in prison because of their faith.
Friday 20 th October	Schools finish for half term holiday today. Give thanks for God's help and protection over our youngsters over the past few weeks. Pray for a safe a happy break.
Saturday 21 st October	Take time to bring your worries to God today. Do what you can in each situation and hand the rest over to Him. Don't worry about tomorrow. It will take care of itself.... Matthew Ch 6 v 34
Sunday 22 nd October	Today Gerard will be speaking at our family service. Pray for him and our time together this morning. Pray that we would be ready to learn from God's word.
Monday 23 rd October	Pray for Rachel as she continues to settle into university life at Sheffield. Pray for help with her studies and that she would find a new church family to belong to.
Tuesday 24 th October	Pray for Carrie and Ben as they go to Israel shortly. Pray for a safe journey there and back and for their time together over there.
Wednesday 25 th October	For the mountains may be removed and the hills may shake, but my lovingkindness will not be removed from you. Isaiah Ch 54 v 10. Thank God for his constant lovingkindness towards us.
Thursday 26 th October	This month, and until the end of December, our donations to the Agape basket will go to the Women's Refuge. Pray especially for the vulnerable women and children this charity seeks to help locally.
Friday 27 th October	Northampton University CU. Pray for this group of Christians as they meet together regularly. Pray that they would be able to reach into the lives of others at University. Pray for Naomi with her involvement.
Saturday 28 th October	Continue to pray for wisdom for those in Government especially as they undertake talks about Brexit. Pray for all Christian MPs and the influence that they can have.
Sunday 29 th October	Today we have Bruce Furniss speaking at our Family Service, continuing our series in 1 John. Pray for him. Pray too for all those who have various responsibilities throughout the morning. .
Monday 30 th October	Pray for the start of the next half term. Pray that our youngsters would be kept safe and protected for worldly influences.
Tuesday 31 st October	'The more you read the Bible, the more you'll love the author' . Pray that God will fill us with the desire to read His Word.

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A Top Tip for Reading the Bible!

1. Read the Bible with other people

It's really helpful to read the Bible with other people, for example, a discipleship group or within a prayer triplet. You'll gain other people's perspective on what they think the Bible says.

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