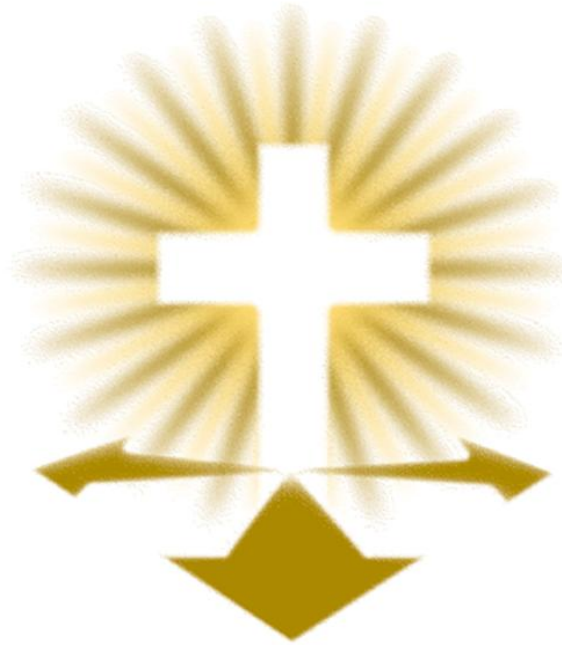


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'To know His love. To show His love. To share His love.'



May 2010 - Prayer Leaflet

Father, take us and use us.

Fill us with your Spirit;

That, knowing your love,

We will show it through our lives,

And share it with those around us;

That Jesus will be known

throughout Aldershot.

ISAIAH 61:1-4

1 *'The Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is on me . . .'*
Ask God to fill you afresh with His Spirit.

Pray for a special filling for yourself that you follow Him more and see more fruit.

2 Pray for a special blessing as we gather together today, and especially pray for our guest speaker, John, from CPAS, as he preaches at both services and ask God's blessing on all the work of CPAS. Pray also for the PPP tonight.

3 *'... He has anointed me...'* Ask the Lord to anoint you afresh with His power for what He has called you to.

Keep praying for those who are housebound or long-term ill, including Madge, Win, Peter and Janet, Pat, Joan and Nicky. Pray also for those who care.

4 *'...to preach the good news...'* Ask the Lord to enable you to share with confidence the great news of Jesus. Pray for the more 'ethnic' congregations that meet at Trinity, for the NACC (Zimbabwean church) as they meet in the Hall each Sunday, and for the Indian fellowship meeting Sunday afternoons in Crossover and for clarity as we seek to reach out to the ever growing Nepalese community, and for Ursula and Jos with this.

5 *'...to the poor...'* As we recognise everyone without Jesus is 'poor' spiritually and eternally, pray for some people you know who don't yet know Him. Pray also for the college CUs and pray God's will in the election.

6 *'.. the poor...'* Pray for the work of The Source with troubled young people and all their ministries. Pray for George doing a tutorial at the tech and for Alpha tonight and all on it. Pray also for all the PODs.

7 *'... to bind up the broken hearted...'* Pray for the Pastoral Team and all who minister to those hurting. Pray also for the planning towards doing an Alpha with the marginalised at The Vine.

8 *'... to proclaim freedom for the captives...'* Pray for all those bound up in addictive behaviour and pray for those ministering to them. Pray for the 11.15 team meeting to plan and pray for the future.

9 Seek the Lord's blessing as we gather in His name to worship Him and ask that we are all built up in Him and become more like Jesus. Pray for the Healing service at 9.30. Pray also for our finances at Trinity and for Joyce and Jan helping manage that side of things.

10 *'... and release from darkness...'* Recognising that the enemy keeps people in the dark, resist him as you submit to God and pray for those still walking in darkness. Pray for unity and a good number to attend the ACT time of prayer for the town at KC21.

11 *'... for the prisoners...'* pray for those who minister in prisons, Alpha in prisons and for those in prison. Pray for work to be done soon around the building – on the baptistery and on the new glass doors at the two main entrances to and from Crossover and pray for no hitches with the 'red tape'!

12 *'... to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour...'* Ask that those who have a negative view of God will recognise His immense love and 'favour' towards them. Pray for the clergy Chapter meeting at Trinity and for our Wardens being inducted tonight. Pray for Ruth Haley working for Mission Aviation Fellowship in Africa for most of this year.

- 13 '*... and the day of vengeance of our God...*' *With so many having questions/objections about Hell, ask God to help you know this reality and motivate you to help people see the wonderful alternative.* Pray for Contact, with Mary, Di and Ann-Marie leading, for Women's Hour, with Daphne and Jean leading and for Alpha tonight and all those catering.
- 14 '*... to comfort all who mourn...*' *Ask God's blessing for those who have lost loved ones, for George taking funerals and for Dave and others following up.* Pray for all the mentoring for the Growing Leaders course and all the Fellowship Groups.
- 15 '*... to provide for those who grieve...*' *Again pray for our ministry to those who have lost loved ones and that they will know God's provision of comfort, strength and peace.* Today, pray hard for the invitations and publicity for the big J Men Men and Motors event that many will be drawn to it and for the ladies prayer breakfast this morning.
- 16 Invoke the Lord's name as you pray for the services today and all those taking part, that we may be renewed in our worship and service of Him, and pray for the Worship and Tech Teams meeting and practising afterwards.
- 17 '*... to bestow on them a crown...*' *Praise God for His provisions and blessings in this life and the next.* Pray for wisdom and unity and clear guidance as the PCC meets tonight.
- 18 '*... beauty instead of ashes...*' *pray for those burnt out, tired or with a very negative self image, that they will have and know the radiant beauty of God in them.* Pray for Sheaf and Grace ministering in India, for KC Deva Raju, the churches, pastors and for the work amongst the poor and disadvantaged.
- 19 '*... the oil of gladness ...*' *Seek the Lord's joy in your life to strengthen you and bless others.* Pray for the TCPT training on prophetic evangelism, and for Arthur and Christine compiling Update at this time and every month. Keep praying for new folk to join the Wednesday Communion congregation.
- 20 '*... instead of mourning...*' *As we mourn for much of the state of our nation and town, may we be gladdened as the Lord works a new thing.* Pray also for each of the MAGNet groups and a real blessing on all the men who are part of them, and pray for the Communion at Kingsley Court today and Alpha.
- 21 '*... a garment of praise ...*' *Ask God to give you a heart to praise Him and to give thanks in all circumstances.* Pray also for Anwer's family in Pakistan and for Matt and Mel and the work of Kids Alive. Pray for the ongoing work of Songs of Rage and for the plans and publicity for the Men and Motors event.
- 22 '*... instead of a spirit of despair ...*' *Pray for those who see no hope, that they will know the God of all hope and see a way ahead.* Pray for those preparing for marriage, for all marriages and for the TCPT training today.
- 23 This Pentecost Sunday, ask God to fill us all afresh and empower us anew, for the speakers from LCM and ask for power in the 11.15 Healing Service and blessing for Growing Leaders in the evening .
- 24 '*... They will be called oaks of righteousness ...*' *Pray for a real strength from God and that you may put deep spiritual roots down in Him* Pray for the Vine. Pray also for our website, with Steve overseeing it, and for our sign boards and for the Fellowship Group leaders meeting tonight.
- 25 '*... a planting for the Lord ...*' *Pray that you will grow more and more in Him and like Him.* Pray for our wardens in all they do, often behind the scenes, and for those who serve practically, like those who clean the brass, the coffee teams, the catering team, flower ladies and for others on so many rotas etc.
- 26 '*... for the display of His splendour ...*' *Commit everything you do and say and ask that it will witness well for the Lord.* Intercede for Songs of Rage reaching out to the music culture at the West End Centre and for their planning for the future. Pray too for Alpha.
- 27 '*... They will rebuild the ancient ruins ...*' *Pray that God's people will actively be rebuilding the church and kingdom in this town.* Pray for George tutoring the IME group of curates.
- 28 '*...they will restore the long devastated places*' *Pray new life into our town, its networks and churches.* Pray for a really good time and lots of people at tonight's J-Men Men and Motors night at Mill Lane Renault and that some will be drawn to Jesus.
- 29 '*... they will renew the ruined cities ...*' *Pray for God's renewing in our town.* Pray for our NSM staff; for Moira and for John. Pray also for our Readers, Jean, Carol and Robert and those also licensed to preach (Tat, Steve and Tayo).
- 30 This Trinity Sunday, pray for great times together and for Café Church tonight, and pray for the unity of HT to be like that of the Trinity.
- 31 '*... devastated for generations ...*' *Pray for a breaking of cycles of negativity in so many in Aldershot and for God's healing to flow and be received.*