

LOCAL PRAYER DIARY WEEK BEGINNING 29 MAY

They devoted themselves to the apostle's teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. Acts 2:42

Sun 29 May Seventh Sunday of Easter	Pray for the retired clergy and all those attending the services today that it may be a time of blessing and inspiration.
Mon 30 May	Pray for good attendance of the 'Thy Kingdom Come' prayer time in Church today. Pray that God will hear our prayers that the God's Kingdom will grow.
Tues 31 May	Pray for the school children having half-term break that it may be a happy time with family.
Wed 1 June	Pray for those in Wem struggling with the rise in cost of living that they may receive the help that they need.
Thurs 2 June	Pray for God's blessing on the Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations in Wem which begin today.
Fri 3 June	Pray for God's protection over the people of Wem, especially young people, that all criminal activities such as drug dealing may cease.
Sat 4 June	Pray for the people of Wem as they come together on the park to celebrate the Jubilee. May it be a be a positive and joyful event.

Almighty God hear the prayers of your people for those with whom we share our lives and on whose work we depend. Be with those who mourn, the lonely, anxious, or distressed and grant your grace and strength to all whose work is essential or places them at risk. This we ask through Christ our Lord. Amen

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our needs before we ask and our ignorance in asking; have compassion on our weakness and give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A prayer for all those affected by the coronavirus

Keep us, good Lord
under the shadow of your mercy.
Sustain and support the anxious,
be with those who care for the sick,
and lift up all who are brought low;
that we may find comfort
knowing that nothing can separate us from your love
in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.