LOCAL PRAYER DIARY WEEK BEGINNING 29 OCTOBER

Jesus said "Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you." Luke 6:38

Sunday 29 October Bible Sunday	Pray that the Holy Spirit may fill our hearts with praise and worship pleasing to God in the services today. Pray that we may be renewed and refreshed for the week ahead.
Mon 30 October	Pray for a spiritual awakening among the children and young people in the Benefice. Pray that they will discover Jesus and the gift He offers them.
Tues 31 October	Pray that the love of Jesus may grow among Church members and be visible to all through their words and deeds.
Wed 1 November	Pray for the sick and suffering that they may receive help, relief and healing. Pray for medical staff that they may receive the support they need to work effectively.
Thurs 2 November All Souls	Pray for all those grieving for lost loved ones, that they may receive God's comfort.
Fri 3 November	Pray for the teachers in the schools that they may teach with wisdom and love for the children and young people. Pray for protection from illness.
Sat 4 November	Pray for all the venues where people gather for social activities that they may have Godly protection and blessing.

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.