

### Saturday 17<sup>th</sup>

Remember all who are in **Sheltered Dwellings and Nursing Care Homes** in our community.

### Sunday 18<sup>th</sup>

Remember the "Tech team" as they work faithfully each Sunday to aid us in our worship. Remember those who will watch the services from their homes.

### Monday 19<sup>th</sup>

**Jonathan & Nicola McCracken** write: *Calvary Mission will have their annual prayer days on 19th and 20th February in Athlone. Pray for the workers here in the West of Ireland as we meet together.*

### Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>

**John & Sarah Kennedy** write: *From Feb 20 to the 23 we have the annual camps. John is with the Lower Sixth - 27 students - perhaps a third of them are non-Christians. There will be opportunities to speak to them and get to know them better. Most of them are willing to 'listen' and some of them are definitely searching. Pray for safety on the roads - some of the camps involve long drives - over 6 hours (up to 8 hours) on country roads.*

### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>

Pray for the "**Building for the Future**" project with Calvary Church Claremorris as **Jonathan & Nicola McCracken** seek God's leading and guiding. Currently, they are trying to promote the project so that people can pray and give towards it.

### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>

Remember all who are in **sheltered dwellings and nursing/care home** in our Church family.

### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>

Pray for those in our church family who are in hospital currently or are awaiting treatment. Pray that God will strengthen them at this time.

### Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>

Pray for the many in the congregation who serve God in practical ways within the church, that they will know protection and joy in all they do.

### Sunday 25<sup>th</sup>

Pray for those who are struggling with feelings of loneliness at this time. Pray they would know the presence of God with them.

### Monday 26<sup>th</sup>

**John & Sarah Kennedy** write: *Our biggest staff needs for August 2024 are an Art teacher, a Music teacher and a P6 teacher. Pray that those gaps will be filled by teachers who are called and obey the call,*

### Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup>

Remember the **Eden Girls** as they meet this evening. Pray for the leaders as they witness to the girls through talks, devotions and activities.

### Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>

**Avisai & Judith Suarez** - **Judith** will speak at Vinecash PW. Please pray for her as she shares about her work with Shine Cafe.

### Thursday 29<sup>th</sup>

Pray that all who gather at the **Luncheon Club** will know both physical and spiritual refreshment. Pray also for the **Edenderry Fellowship**.

## First Presbyterian Church Portadown

### February 2024

### Prayer Calendar

*Please use this information to pray for our congregation and its ministries every day.*

*"Let us approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need."*

*Hebrews 4:16*



### Thursday 1<sup>st</sup>

**Luke & Karis Carson** write: *Please pray for the 'Life Explored' course we are running throughout February in Pentonville. We will have many men in the group who are brand new to Christianity and will be hearing the gospel for the first time. Pray for the discussion groups, the volunteers helping us lead the course, the men who attend, and that people will give their lives to Jesus through it.*

### Friday 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Jonathan & Nicola McCracken** write: *Geoff Donaldson and Colin Holmes, from ECM, will be visiting us in Claremorris from 2nd to 4th February. Geoff will be speaking at the church service on Sunday morning and Colin will be doing our annual review.*

### Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Robert & Kyla Cuthbert** write: *Praise God that kids have settled in well to life back in Senegal. They certainly loved being home and miss family, friends and church but are doing well here. Praise God that the work has started on the house. Pray for speedy progress and that all would go smoothly.*

### Sunday 4<sup>th</sup>

As we break bread together this morning in Church, Give thanks to God for the sacrifice of His son Jesus.

*We surround the families of*

*Mrs Marion Allen  
Mrs Eva (Yvonne) Millar*

*with our love and prayers in  
their recent bereavement and  
sorrow*

### Monday 5<sup>th</sup>

**H & S B** write, *'After looking at many different sites and after much prayer we have decided to formally apply for land. Even though we have been invited to apply by the local municipality, the process is complex as we must consult the community and a number of different government offices. Please pray that the Lord would lead us through the process and that we might soon be able to begin landscaping and developing the farm.*

### Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup>

Pray for those in our fellowship who are going through or recovering from treatment. Ask God to strengthen them in the coming days.

### Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>

Remember **Chatterbox** this morning. Pray for each little one that comes along.

### Thursday 8<sup>th</sup>

Pray for members of our congregation that have been bereaved in recent days. Pray that God will continue to uphold them in this time of sorrow.

### Friday 9<sup>th</sup>

Pray for **Shine Café** this morning. Thank God for this ministry. Pray that despite the language barrier those who come along will hear and understand the truth of the gospel.

### Saturday 10<sup>th</sup>

Remember the young people who attend CE this evening. Thank God for this organisation, those who take part and those who lead.

### Sunday 11<sup>th</sup>

Pray for **Avisai & Judith Suarez** who will be sharing in the evening service today.

### Monday 12<sup>th</sup>

Pray for our **Pastoral Team** that they will have sensitivity and wisdom in every situation.

### Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>

**Luke & Karis Carson** write: *Pray for our lunchtime service at church in Kings Cross. We want to make it accessible for people who use our outreach services, for example people who attend our homeless brunch, the refugee cafe, or are recently released from prison. Pray for the church leaders to hold these groups of people in mind as they organise the services, and that we could all make everyone feel very welcome when they turn up.*

### Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup>

**Robert & Kyla Cuthbert** write: *Pray for preparations for summer plans with an Ambassadors team coming in June and 22 people coming out on the 'Holiday with a difference'.*

### Thursday 15<sup>th</sup>

**H & S B** need to move out today from the house they have been staying in as the owners return. Pray that the Lord would provide them a new more permanent place to rent that will be near to the farm. Thank you.

### Friday 16<sup>th</sup>

**Avisai & Judith Suarez** 16-19 Feb **Avisai** will travel to England for the WEC Neighbours Worldwide Annual conference. Please pray for safety in travels. And that God would bless the time together as a Team. There are approximate 60 people in the NW Team, working all across the UK. All working with refugees/ asylum seekers / foreign nationals like us here in Portadown. There are 3 of us here in Northern Ireland, Ourselves and Heather (based in Belfast).