| Worship: Pray that we will let the Holy Spirit take control of our worship | | Service: Pray for our churches' involvement in community activities. | | Learning, Caring and Discipleship: Let daily Bible reading and prayer give light to our paths each day. | | Evangelism: We pray for a new sense of urgency about inviting people to meet Jesus. | |
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| Prayer focus | 2023 December | | nber | | | | |
| Seeking to be Spirit-filled followers of Jesus | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 01 Pray for peace in the Middle East, that the Hamas Terrorists release their hostages and stop hiding behind people who need help or hospital treatment. Lord help them know your love. | 02 Pray for the people the Hamas Terrorist group have captured. We pray for their mental well-being and that they pray for their captors in this latest Israel/ Palestine conflict. | 03 Pray for the Coventry and Nuneaton Circuit CLT in their continuing need to seek for a replacement Minister for the rural parts of the Circuit. |
| Willingness to recognise the need to deepen our faith | Icountry We continue to pray the | 05 Pray that there is no escalation of the war the Russians started and that any Ukraine children captured and now living in Russia are not conscripted into the Russian Army. | 06 Pray that the Japan's damaged Fukushima nuclear plant discharges cease and the plant can be decommissioned safely thereby allowing the sea life to recover in and around Japan. | 07 Pray the waste water discharges into the UK rivers can be stopped and there is sufficient resource and planning to prevent future contamination occurring. | 08 Pray for a significant reduction in plastics being dumped into the worlds seas and oceans. The current levels of microplastics in the Sealife is a an environmental marker that should not be ignored. | 09 Pray for peace in Yemen, a country where children are recruited between the ages of 13 and 17, and as young as 10 years old into armed forces despite a law against it in 1991. | 10 Pray for Haiti, where more than 2,700 intentional killings were recorded between October 2022 and June 2023, and more than 200,000 people have been displaced. |
| Seeking to ensure that our faith is translated into action | in Haiti has reached new levels of offered aid for decades have pul has reported violence has sprea | of horror, so much so, that many r | | the Children of Haiti, Inc' which | 15 Pray for the children of Namibia, where 80% of children do not have enough water to meet their daily needs. Namibia has been named one of the most impacted countries along with Niger, Jordan, Burkina Faso, Yemen and Chad. | 16 Pray for children globally, where one in every three children, 739 million worldwide, already live in areas exposed to high or very high water scarcity, with climate change threatening to make this worse. | 17 Pray for the work of Christian Aid, who have been advocating for a ceasefire in Israel and the occupied Palestinian territory. The killing and violence taking place across Gaza, Israel and the West Bank is shocking. |
| Counting the blessings individuals bring to others | 18 Pray for Rhoda in Nigeria, who is accused of blasphemy faces three years in prison for defending murdered student. Rhoda has already been detained for over a year following the accusation. | 19 Pray for Germany as officials raided the homes of 17 people accused of posting threats to Jews and antisemitic hate speech through various media platforms online on November 21. | 20 For the Chinese, the Communist Party government is rewriting portions of the Bible in an effort to increase its control over religion in country, according to U.S. Representative Mike Gallagher. | 21 Pray for the Indian house church in Uttar Pradesh, which was raided by police in the middle of their Sunday service early last month, Pastor Chotelal, remains in custody for more than a month. | the head while preaching on a | 23 Pray for Kenyans, as the night of 19/09/2023, the Salama Village was engulfed in terror as a jihadist group invaded the peaceful community. Two men were killed and several homes were reduced to ashes. | 24 Pray for Australians, as their Christian heritage endured renewed calls from atheist groups & politicians to remove the use of Christian prayers from the Australian Federal Government's processes. |
| Making a difference through serving others | 25 Pray for peace in homes that have historically known domestic violence or domestic modern day slavery. Pray that the slave masters & the domestic abusers know God's love & set the people free. | 26 Pray for love & understanding for those that do not know God's love, those that blame People of Faith with starting fighting or wars throughout the ages. Lord, help them to know Jesus' teaching. | 27 Pray for Indonesia, where Pastor Yosa, who was telling a story about Jesus Christ to Muslims. Yosa was summoned by local Muslim leaders & teachers, who interrogated him, released him & told not to return. | 28 Pray for an increase in Green energy sources including Tidal power, as the UK is an island, this energy source has really significant potential which has never been developed at scale. | 29 Pray for an improvement in water quality around our coastline following the number of people telling a campaign group they have become unwell after being in sea water has more than doubled in the last year. | 30 Pray for a better greenhouse gas emissions accounting method, which will assist those whose goal if is to achieve Green house Gas emission neutrality by a given date. | 31 Pray for the Coventry and Nuneaton Circuit and the CLT and all the churches in the Circuit, that we have a growth in Church numbers and that we can truly treat one another as brothers and sisters. |
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