PRAYER DIARY NOVEMBER 2025

Sat 1 Nov: All Saints Day

Every time I think of you, I give thanks to my God. Whenever I pray, I make my requests for all of you with joy, for you have been my partners in spreading the Good News about Christ from the time you first heard it until now. *Philippians* 1:3-5

Let us give thanks for those who have helped us in our Christian journey and here in Wellesbourne we give thanks for the wonderful community spirit encouraged by the Poppy Cascade

Sun 2 Nov: The monthly prayer from the Prayer Diary- Restore our faith in your eternal purposes; renew in us the hope that never fails; lift our eyes to the things that are unseen and eternal; that we may discern and embrace the new things you have prepared for us, in Christ's name. Amen

Mon 3rd Nov-Sat 8th Nov: End of half term ---Gratitude for our schools/ teachers/ all the ancillary staff / parents----statistics of children with difficulties---parents struggling ---bullying

We give thanks for our nurseries, schools and colleges and for those who teach, support and learn in them

We pray for those students who find school frightening, difficult or a hostile environment and consequently do not attend. We pray for those on the Autistic spectrum, for those who have been bullied, those with special educational needs, and those who struggle to learn or fit in. We lift them, their parents, carers and all who support them to our loving heavenly Father

Sun 9th -Sat 15th Nov: Period of Remembrance

Sun 9 Nov: All have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God.

The hatred which divides nation from nation, race from race, class from class, **Father**, **forgive**.

The covetous desires of people and nations to possess what is not their own, **Father**, **forgive**.

The greed which exploits the work of human hands and lays waste the earth, **Father**, **forgive**.

Mon 10 Nov: Our envy of the welfare and happiness of others, **Father**, **forgive**.

Our indifference to the plight of the imprisoned, the homeless, the refugee, **Father**, **forgive**.

The lust which dishonours the bodies of men, women and children, **Father**, **forgive**.

Tues 11 Nov: The pride which leads us to trust in ourselves and not in God, **Father**, **forgive**.

Be kind to one another, tender hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

Wed 12 Nov: MU Quiet Day at Attleborough led by Rev Denise Burgess **Thurs 13 Nov:** Let us remember before God all the veterans who often suffer for many years after their time in the services is over –with unemployment, PTSD which has such an effect on their families too and maybe major life changing injuries

Fri 14 Nov:The birthday of our King Charles Ill. – Thanks for him, his service, pray for his health and that of the Princess of Wales; prayer for Sophie Duchessof Edinburgh our Patron

Sat 15 Nov: Goodness is stronger than evil; Love is stronger than hate; Light is stronger than darkness; Life is stronger than death; Victory is ours through Him who loves us. *Desmond Tutu*

Sun 16 Nov: Sunday 16th

Father we pray for the Royal British Legion, the Red Cross help for heroes and all organisations who seek to support those who have served and those affected by War.

We give you thanks for those who laid down their lives to secure our

freedom.



We are so aware of wars in other lands at this time, we pray for the people of Ukraine, we pray for the people of Palestine and Gaza the land where our saviour Jesus preached love and peace for all.

May hostilities cease, love, hope, reconciliation and tolerance be the building blocks that secure worldwide peace for all mankind.

Mon 17th - Fri 21st Nov: Families in difficulties

Mon 17 Nov: Give thanks for Foodbanks and a prayer for those who depend on them

Tues 18 Nov: Pray for those who are Homeless ---families in temporary accommodation---families tormented by debt and rising expenditure **Wed 19 Nov**: Pray for refugees ---watching the short video by Save the Children helps us reflect on how suddenly life can change -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RBQ-IoHfimQ

Thurs 20 Nov: Encourage those who are timid. Take tender care of those who are weak. Be patient with everyone Always be joyful. Never stop praying. Be thankful in all circumstances for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus.

1 Thess5: 14, 16-18

Fri 21 Nov: We give thanks for organisations such as Carriers of hope, Coffeetots and the Children's Society and others who do so much to support families

Sat 22 Nov: Give thanks as you pray for members of your MU Branch **Sun 23 Nov**: Give thanks as you pray for our Diocesan President Karen, our Board of Trustees and all the various initiatives in our Diocese –may the 150th anniversary celebrations worldwide be successful and the Join Us Join In campaign bring us new members and friends

Mon 24 Nov: As we look to the 16 Days of Activism against Gender based Violence we hold before you God, all those who have become victims and survivors and all who work for their relief and healing. Help us to pray for them every day during the next 16 days. Amen

Tues 25th Nov-Wed10th Dec 16 Days of Activism against Gender based Violence Please use the 'Purple pages' in the Prayer Diary – we have included some of the prayers – we felt they couldn't be improved on Tues 25th Nov: International Day for the elimination of violence against women Start of 16 Days of Activism against Gender based Violence Today we pray for those trapped in relationships that harm them –may our heavenly Father pour out his healing grace upon their wounds, both seen and unseen and grant them peace and comfort

Wed 26 Nov: We pray for our local refuges and organisations like Safeline **Thur 27 Nov**: Lord Jesus, you came to heal the broken-hearted. We ask you restore the spirits of those hurt by violence. Help them find refuge in your presence and in a community of supporters. **Fri 28 Nov:** Lord we ask for your protection over women and girls everywhere. Guard them from harm and give them strength and courage. Amen

Sat 29 Nov: Prayer for Christmas fairs --- the Advent sheep trail that is being held in Wellesbourne with the hope it will engage families who don't usually have a Christian involvement in Christmas and already it has helped forge good links in our community

Sun 30 Nov: Advent Sunday

Dear Lord of all, look down on us today; It seems our world is wrenched apart once more. Where lives are just a nightmare without hope And man fights man to scrape a crumb of food. Oh Lord of Love, make good our devastation, As many families are broken and distraught, And children know no hint of peace on earth. So Lord of Heaven, we clasp our hands together

To pray that nation speak to warring nation And peace at last returns to every home. Amen Wendy Scott

Mon 1 Dec:

Advent Service St Giles Exhall

