

Tyne Valley Parish Church

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Prayer Diary October 2026

Short daily prayers for people & situations, our Church, our local Community & further afield by Allister & Christine.

Thursday 1st - Midweek Service @ Fala

"For I know what I have planned for you," says the Lord.

"I have plans to prosper you, not to harm you. I have plans to give you a future filled with hope." Jeremiah 29:11

Dear Lord, at the start of this brand new month may we each personally challenge ourselves to trust You more and our own strength less, to truly and faithfully seek to serve your plans for our lives and community, in Jesus' name. Amen

Friday 2nd - World Smile Day ☺

"On that day they offered great sacrifices and rejoiced, for God had given them great joy." Nehemiah 12:43

Father, for the strength you have given me I thank You. For the health You have blessed me with, I thank You. You have shown Yourself to be everything You say You are in your Holy Word and that puts a huge smile on my face. Amen

Saturday 3rd - Simchat Torah (Jewish)

"Every scripture is inspired by God and useful for teaching... for correction... for training... that the person dedicated to God may be... equipped for every good work." 2 Timothy 3:16-17
Today, our Jewish Christian brothers and sisters celebrate "Simchat Torah" and rejoice in—and even dance with—the



Word. We thank You and praise You that we can read Your Word in our English language Bibles... and in so many different versions that enrich our understanding. Please open our minds and hearts to what your Spirit seeks to reveal to us. AMEN

SUNDAY 4th - Family Celebration @ NMVH & Informal Evening @ Pathhead Pavilion & Grandparents Day

"This is the day which the Lord has made,

let us rejoice and be glad in it." Psalm 118:24

Father, thank You that this day we can make special for You... to worship You... and for the sacrificial love, limitless patience, and joyous fun of Grandparents... modelled on You! Hallelujah!



Monday 5th - World Teachers Day

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened... for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go." Joshua 1:9

Lord, giver of all wisdom and greatest of all teachers, bless our teachers with your love. Grant them the resolve to nurture our eager minds and to never give up on us.

Tuesday 6th - TVP Bible Revelation series starts

"Blessed is the one... whose delight is in the Law of the Lord, and who meditates on His Law day and night." Psalm 1:1-2
Heavenly Father, thank You for the treasures that are our Bibles. Clear up our incorrect common misunderstandings and transform our understanding of your written Word that we may be even more amazed and better able to serve You. Amen

Wednesday 7th

"For everyone... born of God overcomes the world... this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith." 1 John 5:4
Lord, may nothing separate me from You today. Teach me how to choose only Your way today, and Help me walk by the Word and not my feelings. Help me to embrace what comes my way as an opportunity... another joy gifted from You to me. Amen

Thursday 8th

"So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ." Romans 10:17

Father, I have to thank You for looking beyond my faults and for loving me unconditionally. Forgive me when I fail to love others in the same way. Give me eyes to see the needs of the difficult people in my life, and show me how to lovingly meet those needs in a way that delights You. In Jesus' Name. Amen

Friday 9th

"You are also to observe the Feast of Harvest, the first-fruits of your labours that you have sown in the field." Exodus 23:16a
Lord, You are ever watchful and bless us with abundant gifts; as You provide for all our needs, so help us to build only what pleases You and benefits others, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Saturday 10th - World Mental Health Day

"Do not be anxious about anything. Instead, in every situation, through prayer & petition with thanksgiving, tell your requests to God. And the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:6-7

Loving God, we pray today for those who are confronted by the sadness, ambiguity, isolation and confusion of mental illness, and for those upon whom they depend. Please provide them with homes of dignity and peace; with caring and understanding helpers... and the willingness to accept help. Amen



SUNDAY 11th - AM @ Cranstoun & PM Comm. @ NMVH

"Therefore ask the Lord of the Harvest to send out workers into His harvest-ready fields." Matthew 9:38

Faithful God, through our services today, help us praise You for your constancy as we see at this time of year the leaves fall, and daylight shorten. Though the seasons change, we know You do not. Renew our hope, as we marvel at the beautiful Autumnal colours & watch nature settle down to rest from summer busyness. Amen

Monday 12th

"I also know that whatever God does will endure forever; nothing can be added to it, and nothing taken away from it." Ecclesiastes 3:14



Lord, may my thoughts and my actions not hinder or limit the marvellous blessings You have in store for me. Allow me not to limit the path I am supposed to be on, let there be no shortcuts or detours; lead me, guide me, may your will be done. Amen

Tuesday 13th - TVP Bible Revelation

"The Lord is on my side, I am not afraid!

What can people do to me?"

Psalm 118:6

Loving Lord, thank You for being my refuge and my strength. Thank You for revealing yourself to me through your living Word. May we all seek to encourage each other to meditate on your Word day and night: including our children, our youth, our young families, our older members, our community. Amen

Wednesday 14th

"For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength."

1 Corinthians 1:25

Dear loving Father, we are sorry for destroying your world... We are sorry for the pollution of the sea... and for acid rain and all the things it destroys... for litter in the streets. Please help us to make our world a better place. Amen (Geraldine Murphy, 10)

Thursday 15th

"Therefore, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in Him, rooted & built up in Him and firm in your faith... and overflowing with thankfulness." Colossians 2:6-7
Father, as Jesus is our salvation, may we be messengers of your salvation... where ever and whenever you call us. Amen

Friday 16th - World Food Day

"When you have eaten and are satisfied, Praise the Lord your God for the good land He has given you." Deuteronomy 8:10

We praise You our Creator for the wonder, diversity, and majesty of creation! We thank You for our indigenous apples and plums, continental oranges and lemons, from further afield bananas and pineapples, and all the other incredible fruit we enjoy from furry kiwis to star fruit, from chayote to cherimoya... you are amazing! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Saturday 17th - International Day for Eradication of Poverty



"Life does not consist in an abundance of possessions." Luke 12:15

Lord, I have too much... Thank You!
I see so many who have too little...
challenge me to make a difference, now!

SUNDAY 18th - AM @ Cranstoun & PM @ Pathhead Pav.

"Go, stand in the Temple court and keep telling the people all about this new life!"

Acts 5:20

On this glorious sabbath, thank You Lord for Your goodness... grace... love... mercy... peace... power... provision... direction... joy... strength... and Your guidance. Thank You for what You have done and continue to do in our rich lives. Bless us in our worship as we share in exalting You this holy day... putting You first... in Jesus' name. **Alleluia!**

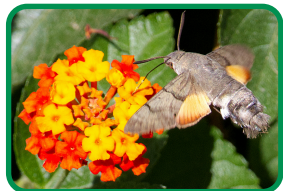


Monday 19th

"At the bottom of the sea where the mountains take root. I was as far down as a body can go, and the gates were slamming shut behind me forever—yet you pulled me up from that grave alive, O God, my God!" Jonah 2:6

Dear Lord, thank You for the night's rest You gave me. I am grateful for the renewed energy and enthusiasm. Accept my gratitude for bringing me to the beginning of this new day. I accept it as a precious gift from You. May I use it minute-by-minute to do Your will. Guide me in every problem I face and every decision I make this day. Help me to treat everyone kindly, fairly and thoughtfully as I seek to be like You. Amen

Tuesday 20th - TVP Bible Revelation



"O Lord my God, I cried out to You and You healed me." Psalm 30:2

Lord, I am tempted to worry about so many things, instead of simply trusting You. Our world is a mess! Right now, I declare that You are our only hope. Nurture my faith so

that I truly know in my heart that You really are in control. Amen

Wednesday 21st - Apple & Orchards Day

"The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer." 2 Sam 22:2
Holy Lord, please bless Reece & all our faithful Impact helpers, and all Youth everywhere who meet together to grow in your knowledge and a desire to serve You alone faithfully! Amen

Thursday 22nd

"For God has not given us a spirit of timidity, but of power and love and discipline." 2 Timothy 1:7

Lord, help me to remember that nothing is going to happen to me today that You and I together can't handle. Thank You for holding my hand as I step out to serve in our community. Amen

Friday 23rd

"He is the mediator of a new covenant, so that those who are called may receive the eternal inheritance He has promised, since He died to set them free from the violations committed under the first covenant." Hebrews 9:15

Lord, thank You that when I am weak, You are strong. Lord, the Devil schemes and I know he desires to keep me from spending time with You. Don't let him win! Give me that measure of your strength so that I may never give into his discouragement, deception... doubt! Help me honour You in all my ways. Amen

Saturday 24th - United Nations Day - clocks go back... ☺

"...pray for one another... the prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective." James 5:16



UNITED NATIONS

The UN commitment is to: repair broken trust, heal our planet, leave no one behind, uphold dignity for one and all... as *united nations*.

Thank You for the UN. May we reflect these Christ-like qualities in our lives. Amen

SUNDAY 25th - AM @ Cranstoun & Messy Church @ NMVH

"I am the resurrection and the life." John 11:25

Jesus, on this Your special day we pause to remember your sacrificial love... to thank You for your sacrifice, so that we might have freedom & life. Forgive us that we do not thank You enough... for who You are... for all that You've given... for all that You do. May all our praise and worship honour You. Amen

Monday 26th

"Praise the Lord, O my soul. Do not forget all His kind deeds!" Psalm 103:2

Father, thank You for intervening in my life and allowing me to have a personal relationship with You. Thank You for your love forgiving me today and forever. Thank You for the blessings You've given to me & my family. Help us use those blessings to bless others. May I live a life of true joy as I see You around me, in others, in creation... today... & every day! Amen... **Hallelujah!**

Tuesday 27th - TVP Bible Revelation

They were singing a new song: "You are worthy to take the scroll & to open its seals because You were killed, & at the cost of Your own blood You have purchased for God persons from every tribe, language, people, and nation." Revelation 5:9



Lord God, may we be Heavenly-minded all the time, so that our minds are fixed on You and not mired in the world, so that others see You and not the world in us, so that your kingdom may come sooner, and so

that we can join sooner in that new heavenly song. Amen

Wednesday 28th - St Simon's and St Jude's Day

"... the only thing that matters is faith working through love."

Galatians 5:6b



Dear Lord, help me—every single morning—to find faith in the midst of the chaos of a new day that can seem so overwhelming. Give me the desire and ability to see You, hear You, talk to You,

and to give You thanks and praise for blessing me. Amen

Thursday 29th

"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing." 1 Thessalonians 5:11

O Lord, we thank you for the pleasure, joy and companionship of true friendship with our family and our friends... and for those of us with pets for the joy they bring to our lives. Amen

Friday 30th

"The trumpeters and musicians joined in unison to give praise and thanks to the Lord." 2 Chronicles 5:12

O Lord, please bless all musicians that they might glorify the hearts of your people, so that they draw closer to You. Amen

Saturday 31st - All Hallow's Eve

"And just as people are appointed to die once, and then to face judgment, so also, after Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many, to those who eagerly await Him He will appear a second time, not to bear sin, but to bring salvation." Hebrews 9:27-28

Today we give You thanks for the great times we've shared with those family and friends who have gone on ahead of us, and through whom—over the years—we've been blessed in our Christian journey. Father, we praise You for all You have achieved through them.

We thank You for the privilege of being able to take on their responsibilities in your amazing plan for all humanity, through your son, our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen



Bible readings from: The Complete Jewish Bible, English Standard Version, New American Standard Bible, New English Translation, New International Version, The Message & Revised Standard Version.

Things to pray for throughout the year:

Our Minister Dale & Youth Worker Reece...

Our Session Clerks... Kirk Session...

the move to a Unitary Constitution...

Congregational Board... Prayer Circle...

Musicians... Messy Church & Impact+...

Home Groups... Our Church Family

