

through Carl in this unreached area of Brighton.

**Thursday 26th October** *Ezra 4:17-24*

Give thanks for Lindfield Life and the way it seeks to serve our community. Pray for David Tingley and his team that they may be encouraged in their work.

Pray for the Lindfield Dramatic Society as they put on their annual performance this week.

**Friday 27th October** *Ezra 5:1-5*

Pray for the work of those recently sent from All Saints into ordained ministry; Sam Carter, Tim Gage, Sarah Jones, Brendan Martin, Steve Ransley and Chris Sutton and for Jez Lowries in his final year at Oakhill.

Pray for Andrew Thompson as he takes on a new role of leading the Bereavement Support Team.

**Saturday 28th October** *Ezra 5:6-17*

Pray for our Light Party this afternoon celebrating with families that Jesus is the Light of the World. Pray for safety, lots of fun through games and singing songs. Ask that parents and children alike might be captivated by the light and life which only Jesus can bring.

**Sunday 29th October** *Ezra 6:1-5*

Pray for Jeremy Taylor and Hugh Bourne as they preach at our services today.

Give thanks for the life of James Hannington, martyred on this date as he took the gospel to Uganda. Pray for the

ministry of Bishop Hannington Church, Hove and for our mission partners in Uganda.

**Monday 30th October** *Ezra 6:6-12*

Pray for the staff team as they meet to plan and pray this morning. With the busy Christmas period approaching ask that they might be kept in good health, communicate together well and have a good balance of work and rest.

MP: Simon & Becky Lunt

**Tuesday 31st October** *Ezra 6:13-18*

On this 500th anniversary of Martin Luther 'starting' the reformation across Europe ask that we might be committed to the message of grace alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone. Pray for James Laing and his work in planning a special service at Westminster Abbey today, commemorating the Reformation.

Pray for Tiger@Ten meeting this morning, for all who come to feel welcomed and loved.

Pray for the Alpha Course tonight.

# Prayer Calendar

**Sunday 1st October** *1 Tim. 4:6-16*

Pray for Steve Hagger, James Clarke and Hugh Bourne as they preach at our services today.

Give thanks for Tim Osborn in his new role as Ministry Assistant, for all the support he gives to the church family on a Sunday and throughout the week.

**Monday 2nd October** *1 Tim. 5:12-16*

Pray for the country of Spain, with ongoing tensions over the Catalan independence referendum and the huge problem of youth unemployment. Pray for Julian Milson, minister of Holy Cross, Hove, as he and his family make plans to move to minister in Valencia.

MP: Five Talents

**Tuesday 3rd October** *1 Tim. 5:17-25*

Pray for our ongoing ASPIRE project, especially for a resolution to the drain problem, funding and permissions to complete phase 2 of the project, and wisdom for the steering group and PCC as they take big decisions going forward.

**Wednesday 4th October** *1 Tim. 6:1-2*

Pray for our Bible Overview session tonight, as Stuart Silk explains the whole Bible in one hour! Ask that it might be an

encouragement to all of us and an help in our own reading.

Pray for the local clergy as they gather for Chapter meeting this morning.

**Thursday 5th October** *1 Tim. 6:3-10*

Pray for the ongoing tensions in North Korea. Pray for peace around the world where there is conflict.

Pray for the Tiger Cubs AGM tonight. Give thanks for their 25th anniversary. Pray for Clare Nibloe in her work as manager.

**Friday 6th October** *1 Tim. 6:11-21*

Today the church gives thanks for William Tyndale, who worked to get the Bible translated into English - give thanks for your Bible that you can read! Pray for the work of Wycliffe Bible Translators getting God's word to all people and especially for Gill Storey as she continues to work for them.

**Saturday 7th October** *2 Tim. 1:1-7*

Pray for the SGP 'Come and See' event at Christ Church today. Pray for evangelist, Martin Povey as he speaks about helping young people to share their faith.

Pray for tonight's Women Together event as Anne-Marie Prescott shares what God is doing in Asia.

**Sunday 8th October** *2 Tim. 1:8-14*

Pray for Ian Prescott and James Clarke as they preach at our services today.

*The November Prayer Calendar will be available on 29th October 2017*

*This Prayer Calendar is also available on the church website and through the PrayerMate app on smartphones. praynow4.org/lindfield*



Pray for the Good News Club leaders who each week care for our children and young people and teach them more of God's love for them in Christ.

**Monday 9th October** *2 Tim. 2:1-13*

Pray for our Alpha Course which begins tomorrow night. For Steve and Lindsay Norris as hosts and others who help on tables and with food. Pray that you might have confidence to invite a friend and go with them, ask that all who come might be intrigued by Jesus, and want to come back to find out more.

MP: Caminul Felix

**Tuesday 10th October** *2 Tim. 2:14-19*

Today is World Mental Health Day, pray for those suffering with depression, anxiety, OCD and other kinds of mental health conditions. Ask that they may know God's peace, the care of the church family, and the support of health professionals.

Pray for the Chichester Diocese Evangelical Fellowship AGM and conference today.

**Wednesday 11th October** *2 Tim. 2:20-26*

Pray for the Sussex Gospel Partnership leaders meeting at Lindfield URC this morning. Pray for John Stevens as he speaks about the cultural and political challenges facing the church in the next few years and for others sharing about ministry to older people.

**Thursday 12th October** *2 Tim. 3:1-9*

This week is 'Baby loss awareness week'. Pray for all those who are grieving the loss of children in miscarriage, stillbirth or other causes in the early years. Pray for the medical staff who work to support such young lives.

**Friday 13th October** *2 Tim. 3:10-17*

Pray for Cuckfield Baptist Church as tonight they host the 'Roots of Jazz' event (previously here at All Saints). Ask that as the gospel story is told through the history of jazz that those who come would want to find out more about Jesus. Pray for the church, it's members, the community they serve, and their elder, Will Cockram.

Pray for Blackthorns Primary Academy as they have their Harvest service here this morning. Pray for Stuart Silk as he speaks, that he would be engaging to pupils, staff and parents and wider family. Pray that all would feel warmly welcomed.

**Saturday 14th October** *2 Tim. 4:1-8*

Give thanks for the ministry of Tiger Arts, for Peter Ford's vision and the dedication of his team of volunteers. Pray for tonight's event with the Rhos Welsh Male Voice choir and Elin Manahan Thomas, that it would be well supported and a joyful evening.

**Sunday 15th October** *2 Tim. 4:9-20*

Pray for Cavan Wood, James Clarke and Ian Prescott as they preach at our services today.

Pray for those who are new to our church family, that we might all be welcoming. Ask especially that they might begin to feel part of the family through the welcome tea this afternoon.

**Monday 16th October** *Titus 1:1-9*

Pray for the PCC which meets tonight that they may have wisdom to make godly decisions. Pray especially as they consider a draft budget for next year and that they and we might trust God to provide for our financial needs.

MP: Open Doors

**Tuesday 17th October** *Titus 2:1-15*

This week is Adoption Week. Give thanks for parents who adopt and foster. Pray for those waiting or considering becoming adoptive parents. Give thanks for the adoption which we have all received through the Gospel.

Pray for the Alpha Course tonight.

**Wednesday 18th October** *Titus 3:1-7*

All Saints at Prayer

Join us at 12noon or 8pm in the Tiger Lounge to pray together for the world, our community and our church.

**Thursday 19th October** *Titus 3:8-15*

Today is Anti Slavery day. Pray for all those organisations working to end modern day slavery, bonded labour and human trafficking. Ask that those held captive might come to know Jesus, who can truly set the prisoners free and bring redemption.

**Friday 20th October** *Ezra 1:1-11*

Pray for the town-wide youth Open Mic event tonight, being organised with other youth leaders across Haywards Heath. Ask that it might be a fund evening where unchurched youth might feel welcomed and loved. Pray for our youth, that they might be bold to invite their friends.

**Saturday 21st October** *Ezra 2:1-2,64-70*

Pray for Dads and Tots which meets this morning.

Pray also for the Single Mums Support Group which meets this afternoon.

Pray for those struggling with financial difficulties, ask that they can find the right support.

**Sunday 22nd October** *Ezra 3:1-7*

Pray for Stuart Silk, Cavan Wood and Chris Steynor as they preach at our services today.

On this Bible Sunday, ask that we might all, whether young or old, be captivated afresh by the truth and beauty of God's written word. Ask that we might make more time to hear God speak as we read our Bibles.

**Monday 23rd October** *Ezra 3:8-13*

Take some time to pray especially for the names listed on your Operation Andrew card. Pray for opportunities to speak of Jesus with them and for the courage to invite them to a service over Christmas.

MP: Mohan & Moses (Cross Mission), India

**Tuesday 24th October** *Ezra 4:1-6*

Pray for those who are housebound or in care and won't be able to gather with the rest of the church tomorrow.

Give thanks for the ministry of home communion, visiting and services in care homes.

**Wednesday 25th October** *Ezra 4:7-16*

Pray for Carl Chambers and his family, formerly pastor of Christ Church Brighton until it's recent closure. Ask that God might bless him in his new role working at Park Hill Church. Ask that God might work powerfully