

Genesis 2:4-9, 15, Psalm 65, Revelation 4, Luke 8:22-25

22nd *The Lord...put him in the Garden...to work it...care for it*
God trusts us to work alongside him in the world. Offer God your wholehearted love. Ask him how to minister grace and love to your neighbour, the theme for Sunday. Pray for Crosslinks and the Robinson family. Pray for Healing on the Streets and for the Town Pastors.

Saturday Pray for your family

25th *O God our Saviour. The hope of all the ends of the earth*
Tell God your concerns for this world that he created and that we are ruining with climate change. And pray for people influenced by or at the mercy of extreme politics and fundamentalism in many countries. Pray for The Hub

26th *You are worthy our Lord and God for you created all things*
Say or sing your praise to God our Almighty Father for his creation, including your own self. Pray for Christian Aid and its work throughout the world.

27th *Master – we're going to drown!*
It sometimes seems that this world will drown through climate change, or the accumulation of plastic waste. Pray that God will save us from ourselves. Call to him now on behalf of the people of the world. Pray for this nation, that we will return to the Lord, full of love for him and for one another. Pray for Barnabas Fund. Pray for food banks and for the Salvation Army and other organisations which reach out to the hungry and the homeless.

28th *(Jesus) rebuked the wind..the storm subsided and all was calm*
Invite Jesus to calm your fears and the storms in your life. Pray for God's kingdom – on earth as in heaven. Pray for the other churches and chapels in Woodbridge and Melton, their ministers and people. Pray for the people and church at Bredfield.

Love one another as I have loved you

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**St John's Prayer Diary
February 2019
Holy ~ Compelled ~ Fruitful**

Psalm 138, 1 Corinthians 15:1-11, Luke 5: 1-11

1st *I will praise you Lord with all my heart*
Offer your praise to God the Father and to our Saviour. Pray for God's kingdom on earth. Pray for this nation, that decisions made by government will be to the benefit of all and not just a few. Pray for the presentation on Japan on Sunday. Pray for the work of The Children's Society. Pray for the Town Pastors and for the police.

Saturday Pray for your family

4th *When I called you answered me*
Place your trust in God in all things. Pray for the leaders of our Life Groups. Pray for those of our fellowship who are housebound, and for their carers, that we will support and not forget them. Pray for Just 42. Pray for the planning of Holiday Club. Pray for The Hub.

5th *You made me bold and stout-hearted*
Come before the Lord and ask him to embolden us as we reach out to our "frontline" wherever that is. Give thanks for all who help to sustain the life of St Johns as volunteers. Pray for Clive and Mary.

6th *By the grace of God I am what I am*
Thank God for your skills and talents, your gifting from him, and invite him to make use of them in his service. Pray for our families and our neighbours. Pray for David and Ivan, our Churchwardens and those who warden each service. Pray for Cafe Church. Pray for Freedom in Christ.

7th *We worked hard all night and didn't catch anything*
Pray that all that we do will be in God's will and strength and not our own. Pray for his kingdom. Pray for those who offer prayer ministry in St Johns and elsewhere, including Healing on the Streets.

Jeremiah 17:5-10, 1 Corinthians 15:12-20, Luke 6:17-26

8th Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord

We each need to seek the guidance of God in all that we do and trust him to be with us as we obey. Pray for Sunday as we hear how to make Good Work. Pray for Healing on the Streets and the Town Pastors.

Saturday Pray for your family

11th I the Lord search the heart

Praise God for his love and faithfulness in our lives, our homes, our marriages and families, and welcome his coming into our lives. Pray that we the people of St Johns recognise the Lordship of Jesus and treat each other equally. Pray for Open Doors. Pray for The Hub.

12th (God) raised Christ from the dead

Give thanks that our Saviour reigns in heaven. Pray for the ministry of St Johns to children and young people:- Pray for Andy and Michele. Pray for Clare. Pray for our outreach to schools through assemblies and Open the Book. Pray for our children and young people and their teachers and leaders. Pray for CPAS and the work among young people.

13th Blessed are you who are poor...hungry...weep...hated

Pray for those who find it difficult to accept that God loves them. Pray for the bereaved. Pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ who are being killed or persecuted for their faith. Pray for those who live or work in the residential and care homes in Woodbridge. Pray for the Wednesday congregation and for Freedom in Christ.

14th Woe to you who are rich, well fed, [well spoken of by men]

We can become complacent. Pray that we will see ways to use our wealth to reach out to the less fortunate. Pray that each of us can take part in the ministry of encouragement to one another. Pray for the Gideons. Pray for Noelle, Lois and the office volunteers.

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Genesis 45:3-15, Psalm 37:1-11, 40,41 Luke 6:27-38

15th It was not you who sent me here but God

Ask God to show you how you can obey the calling, to all his people, to make his name known throughout the world. Pray for your neighbourhood and neighbours. Pray for the Town Pastors.

Saturday Pray for God to bless your family

18th Trust in the Lord and do good. Dwell in the land

Give thanks that God has brought you to where you are. Pray for all who care for the environment – ourselves as individuals and for organisations. Pray for Holiday Club, for the children, for John Hardwick and the volunteers. Pray for OMF, the Pawsons and Heather Cox. Pray for The Hub.

19th Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him

Just sit for a while and let him minister to you. Pray for revival in this nation, which has become a desert, lacking knowledge of God and without love and compassion for one another. Pray for our part in this revival. Pray for the Sunday morning Congregation. Give thanks for those who clean the church, those who maintain it and those who decorate it with flowers making it a welcoming place week after week.

20th Love your enemies

We may not agree with what they do or say but ask God to enable you to love the person. Pray for this fractured nation to accept God's kingship and guidance. Pray for our musicians and all those who support the services in St Johns through sound and vision. Pray for Cry in the Dark. Pray for Freedom in Christ.

21st Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful

Bring your worries and concerns about others to the Lord and await his answer. Pray for the homeless and those who struggle to make ends meet. Pray for the Samaritans and other organisations which reach out to help the suicidal and the desperate. Pray for the Bible Society.