



Scripture Union DAY OF PRAYER

I will give thanks to the LORD because of his righteousness; I will sing the praises of the name of the LORD Most High.

Psalm 7:17

THANKFULLY EXPECTANT!

As we head towards Christmas, there's a natural excitement and expectancy in the air. Streets are lit up with twinkling lights, shops are buzzing with people, and children wait in anticipation for what's ahead.

Just as a child runs down the stairs on Christmas morning to see what's under the tree, we want to be the eager team that runs to the call of Jesus, excited to open new doors of opportunity as we introduce more children and young people to him.

Like the supermarket that starts blaring Christmas music as soon as the leaves start changing colour, we want to be the ones that carry the good news of Jesus all year round, no matter the season. And as those lights twinkle on the streets of busy shoppers, we want to be the light and love of Jesus that shines in the darkness.

It's prayer that stokes the fire of our faith, and we're so thankful that you've chosen to join us in prayer both with us this November and in the season ahead..

Let's spend some time giving thanks for God's goodness to us this past year and, stand together in anticipation as to what God is going to do in 2025.

JOIN US AS WE:

PRAY, PRAISE, THANK
&
LOOK TO THE FUTURE

YOU CAN ALSO FOLLOW US ON OUR FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM ACCOUNTS TO SEE HOW WE'RE PRAYING THROUGHOUT THE DAY.





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HANDY PRAYER ACTIVITIES TO HELP THROUGHOUT THE DAY

As you pray, use some of the below activities and activations to help you.

As you put the kettle on or reach for a drink, pray that conversations that start over coffee and a catchup would blossom into opportunities to reach out to more children and young people.



Set a five minute timer, put on your favourite song and take a five minute praise break. Thank God for the children and young people who have met with him this year.



As you capture and upload memories to your social media account, pray for children and young people who struggle with their mental health, especially over Christmas.



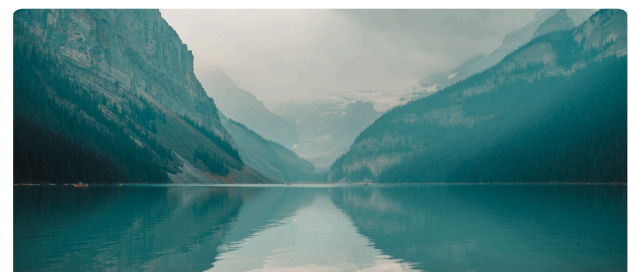
As you pay for items across your day, pray for our supporters who so generously gift into the work that we are privileged to be a part of.



Make yourself a thankfulness jar and add a stone, piece of paper or marble as a marker of praise throughout the year.



Write out your prayer for children and young people using the posters below, print it and put it somewhere you'll see it every day.



BECAUSE HE BENDS
DOWN TO LISTEN,
I WILL PRAY AS
LONG AS I HAVE
BREATH!

PSALM 116:2

My prayer for the coming year:



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OUR PRAYERS FOR THOSE ENGAGING WITH THE 95...

Over the past year, we asked our teams for their prayers for those working with children and young people who are yet to know Jesus...



I pray that they would know that they are not alone, that what they do is not in vain, that God sees their effort and is saying to them: 'Well done good and faithful servant'.

Jack, Wales Team



I pray that they would understand the world the '95' live in and have a sense of the needs of young people as God guides them to reach children and young people with his Word.

Isaac, Content Assistant



I pray that they would experience a greater depth in their own relationship with Jesus and the Holy Spirit would give them, wisdom clarity and understanding about the realities of children and young peoples lives.

Sarah, Hybrid Project Manager




I pray that they will be equipped and have a new desire to reach out to those in their community.

Eddie, Faith Guide Community Coordinator



I pray that they would be able to create spaces for children and young people to grow in faith.

Ben, head of Regional Mission



MY PRAYER FOR THOSE WORKING ALONGSIDE CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

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I pray that in this time of relativism that children and young people would seek after the truth and in doing so, will encounter Jesus.

Jo, Former Head of Mission and Events



I pray that they would discover hope, that it can be found in Jesus and that children and young people can know that he can make a difference in their lives.

Rachel, Young Leaders Enabler



I pray that they would know that God loves them more than they can ever understand.

Chloe, Safeguarding Manager




I pray they would place their identity in Jesus and know that they are valuable, worthy and created in his image.

Claire, Marketing Officer



I pray that those who are struggling with anxiety and fear, will be connected with churches that reveal the light and love of Jesus Christ. I pray that God will continue to bless the work of SU to bring the true hope of Jesus Christ to the 95.

Sharon, Director of Finance and Services



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