

Prayer Resource for Christmas 2025

'The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light...' (Isaiah 9: 1a)

We thank God for:

- The birth of His Son that first Christmas, and for the people who He may have sent into our life as a gift, to show us something of himself.
- 2025, and as we look back, we give thanks for the good times and leave with God the struggles and worries of the world.

Please pray for:

- The peace and joy of Jesus to touch each person's heart this Christmas.
- God's love and hope to reach every corner of our world.
- The loved ones of all who have been killed or injured this year: in war-torn areas, terrorist attacks, road traffic accidents, natural and man-made disasters, and in other incidents around the world.
- All who have to work during the festive season; for the bereaved or those separated from loved ones; for people spending Christmas on their own or in unfamiliar surroundings.
- The homeless, hungry and frightened, and may God's loving presence fill every night shelter and warm space this winter.
- Our Church family: all who are struggling; for Edith, Alice, Jill, Sandra, Brenda, Elizabeth, Carol, Di, Ray, Percy, Paul; and for Meaghan, Alison, and all at Maidstone Care Centre.
- Our memories of this year, leaving with God the struggles, worries and uncertainties faced and hopes dashed; and, as we look ahead, ask God to lift our eyes, renew our minds, soften our hearts, transform our lives and give us hope for the future.

Hope. Peace. Joy. Love.

It is about the light of the world that broke our fear.

An Emmanuel. A God who is here.