

Prayer Resource

week beginning Sunday, 4th January 2026

'Trust in the Lord with all your heart; ... seek his will in all you do, and he will show you which path to take.' (Proverbs 3)

At the beginning of this New Year, we thank God:

- That we can place our trust in Him knowing that He is always with us in our joys and in our struggles.
- For the Christmas tree and flower displays in church during this special time; pray for all who give up their time throughout the year to make sure our church has fresh flower displays.

Please pray for:

- Peace, hope and joy in our world and in our lives this year.
- People living in war-torn areas: in Gaza, Ukraine, Sudan, and other places that do not hit the headlines so frequently.
- The healing of bad memories; may we place our trust in a faithful Lord, thanking him for being that baby who changed us.
- All whose lives have been disrupted already this year by ill-health, bereavement, family breakdowns or accidents.
- The safety and comfort of all this Winter, praying especially for those who do not have warm homes and nourishing food.
- Our Church family: all who are struggling; for Edith, Alice, Jill, Sandra, Brenda, Elizabeth, Carol, Di, Ray, Percy and Paul; and for Meaghan and Alison.
- Let us look forward with hope and trust to all that lies ahead.

You may like to use this prayer during the week:

Cleanse my heart, O God, and renew my spirit. Teach me to do what pleases you and lead me sensitively into this new year and always. Amen.