

Sunday 1

Sanballat and Geshem sent a message asking me to meet them at one of the villages in the plain of Ono. ... They were just trying to intimidate us, imagining that they could discourage us and stop the work.

So I continued the work with even greater determination. Nehemiah 6:2,9 NLT

Pray that many will attend the **Watsons' Baby Shower** this afternoon & enjoy an online catch-up to welcome little Caleb into their family!

Monday 2

Pray that **Aubrey Kanyosa** will follow the guidance of the Holy Spirit as he makes decisions for the New Life Church, Mulanje, Malawi & Nursery School.

Tuesday 3

Pray for the **Seniors** as they meet @Ten & hear Yolande Offord, a Clinical Psychologist, speaking about "*Coping with Getting Older*".

Wednesday 4

Every **GWC student** is placed at a "home church" for the duration of their studies. Pray for them to enjoy time serving and being fed at their placement churches; that these churches would provide excellent opportunities to grow in confidence while putting ministry skills and gifting into practice.

Thursday 5

Pray for **St Timothy's Church, Woodlands Park**, led by Jean-Phillipe Engel; for all the ministries that are offered, especially the Timmy Tots Educare which focuses on early childhood development.

Friday 6

Pray that the carers who meet at **Carers' Connect** would enjoy time together as they look after their small "charges"!

Saturday 7

Pray for a great time as teenagers from different churches get together at a **Cutting Edge** gathering; for Jesus to be the focus of their attention.

Sunday 8

So the people went away to eat and drink at a festive meal, to share gifts of food, and to celebrate with great joy because they had heard God's words and understood them.

Nehemiah 8:12 NLT

Monday 9

Pray for **Holy Trinity Church, Botshabelo**, led by Lekhetho Sennanyane who faithfully preaches God's word & truths; for the constant threat of the congregation being lured into the bigger "prosperity" churches.

Tuesday 10

Pray that the **Divorce Care** participants would find healing and hope through the scriptures given to them & that they would engage with the resources offered; that they would accept the Lord as their Saviour & learn to trust Him in all things.

Wednesday 11

At **Solid Ground** everyone is encouraged to live their lives in truth & integrity. Pray that lives will be changed through the Discipling and Skills Development in Web Design Course.

Thursday 12

Pray for those who have **fears & doubts** about their **faith**; that they will bring those issues to the foot of the cross & experience God's peace.

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:6-7

Friday 13

Pray for the **Kids Clubs & Citizens** as they meet. Thank God for all the leaders who spend time with those who attend, making it fun & at the same time, teaching about Jesus & how to live lives that are pleasing to God.

Saturday 14

Pray for the **Arise Adoption Conference**, which is designed for all current & prospective adoptive parents wanting to learn more about the core issues of adoption. Pray for extended families & friends of adoptive families to learn about these issues too.

Sunday 15

Yet whenever your people turned and cried to you again for help, you listened once more from heaven. In your wonderful mercy, you rescued them many times!
Nehemiah 9:28 NLT

Pray that those who attend the **Newcomers' Tea** will be made to feel welcome, resulting in them wanting to come to TCC on a regular basis.

Monday 16

Pray for God's guidance & wisdom for the **Church Council** as they meet tonight to discuss all the issues of the daily running of TCC.

Tuesday 17

Pray for the **TCC Staff** as they meet regularly to encourage one another, discuss & plan matters of importance & pray together.

Pray for those attending the current **Grief Share** course, that they will find comfort & encouragement in the grieving process. This will be the last meeting this term & will resume in October.

Wednesday 18

Pray for those who have been attending the **Foundations Course** this term, that they will spend time during the holidays thinking over what they have learnt.

Thursday 19

Pray for the young people who have been through the **Woza Coffee** initiative, to have built relationships with those who have trained them & learnt about the love of Jesus.

Friday 20

Pray that scholars, teachers & parents will enjoy the change of routine as **schools close** today & spend more time together as families during the **holidays**.

Saturday 21

Pray for **St Paul's Church, Lavender Hill**, led by Andrew Barnes. Pray for the struggles of poverty, drugs, crime & gangsterism & thank God for the faithful Bible teaching that is an encouragement to that congregation.

Pray for all those who work on the **computer & sound** at both St Paul's & TCC, that they remain focussed & concentrate throughout the services to ensure a smooth running of the services.

Sunday 22

For the dedication of the new wall of Jerusalem, the Levites throughout the land were asked to come to Jerusalem to assist in the ceremonies. They were to take part in the joyous occasion with their songs of thanksgiving and with the music of cymbals, harps, and lyres. Nehemiah 12:27 NLT

The *"Forever Together"* **Marriage preparation course** begins today. Pray for those attending, that they will learn the biblical foundations for a lasting marriage.

Monday 23

Give thanks that TCC has a passion for **Missions** & missionaries & that we give sacrificially to the work in several parts of the world. Pray for God's hand of protection on all those who diligently serve the Lord far from their homes.

Tuesday 24

HERITAGE DAY

And now I entrust you to God and the message of his grace that is able to build you up and give you an inheritance with all those he has set apart for himself. Acts 20:32 NLT

Wednesday 25

Pray for the **Women's Craft Group** as they meet & enjoy fellowship & friendship, sharing their crafts with one another.

Praise the Lord for giving **Denzil & Debbie** a great sabbatical; pray for him as he returns to work.

Thursday 26

Thank God for those who help Paul Battista **maintain the buildings** at TCC; for a sense of friendship to develop as they work together.

Friday 27

Pray for all those who make a point of getting up really early on Friday mornings to attend the **Men's Partnership Breakfasts**; may these times be an encouragement to them as they go out into the rest of the day.

Saturday 28

Continue to pray for land so that **Westlake Community Church**, led by Hendrik Jansen, could own a building for Sunday services & mid-week gatherings. Give thanks for the great time at the recent Women's Retreat & pray that each of their personal relationships with Jesus will grow.

Sunday 29

I immediately confronted the leaders and demanded, "Why has the Temple of God been neglected?" Then I called all the Levites back again and restored them to their proper duties. Nehemiah 13:11

Thank God for the for the **teams of stewards** who make everyone feel **welcome** on Sundays.

Monday 30

Give thanks for the many years that **Susan Newkirk** has worked so humbly & conscientiously here at TCC, & specifically with the Westlake Village ladies. Please pray for her to know God's peace & calm as she prepares to leave next month to return to her home & family in America.



Together, we serve to know Christ and to make Christ known for the glory of God.

Prayer Diary

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