Sunday 1

Jesus said to her. 'I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do vou believe this?' John11:25-26 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 2

Pray for those who were baptised during this year & for those who became **new members** at TCC, that they will all grow more in their faith of Jesus.

Tuesday 3

Give thanks for the **Seniors** who have met regularly throughout the year; pray that they enjoy a time of fellowship at their Christmas Lunch today.

Wednesday 4

Pray for a great time as the whole church gets together for a final Finishing Together - Bring & Share Supper – followed by a time of thanksgiving, as we have so much to be thankful for!

Thursday 5

Give thanks for those who give of their time to help Denzil with the Pastoral Care ministry which covers hospital visits, going alongside those who are hurting & always being available when people need help. Praise God that we have Him as our ultimate Shepherd/Pastor who promises to lead His people into eternity with Him.

Friday 6

Pray for a happy time at the Kid's Club Christmas Party, as this will be the last time they meet this year; for the Youth as they end the year off too.

Saturday 7

Thank God for the gift of Music, which brings so much pleasure to many people; pray for Oli as she leads the Choir as they rehearse for tomorrow's Carol Service.

Sunday 8

ZECHARIAH'S SONG

And you, my child, will be called a prophet of the Most High; for you will go on before the Lord to prepare the way for him, to give his people the knowledge of salvation through the forgiveness of their sins.

Luke 1:76-77

Pray for a blessed time at this evening's Carol Service as we celebrate the birth of our Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ.

Monday 9

Pray for the Arise Children's Ministry, especially at this time of the year, when they take particular care of vulnerable children who are often left on their own during the school holidays & can so easily come to harm; give thanks for this caring ministry.

Tuesday 10

Thank God for our ministry team who has met together, planned & prayed for the work of TCC so regularly; pray for a time of relaxation when the busy Christmas season is over, so that they all may start the New Year rested & refreshed.

Wednesday 11

Government Schools have come to the end of the last term of the year! Pray for all teachers, pupils & parents as they enjoy the holidays & have time together with their respective families.

Thursday 12

Pray for the two exciting **Crossword Camps** of six days of fun, friendship & great Bible teaching; for the Speakers, Leaders & all those who attend to learn what it means to be followers of Jesus: the camps begin tomorrow after preparation & setting up today.

Friday 13

The Men's Partnership Breakfasts are in recess until the new year, but pray that they would remember many of the conversations had in Galatians 5 & Psalm 139; that the one2one concept would be applied during the break.

Saturday 14

Praise the Lord for the growth in number & spiritually of the Young Adults who meet regularly on a weekly basis. Pray that they will eagerly get back to meeting next year after the Christmas break.

Sunday 15

JOHN'S SONG

The people were waiting expectantly and were all wondering in their hearts if John might possibly be the Messiah. John answered them all, 'I baptise vou with water. But one who is more powerful than I will come, the straps of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie. He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire. Luke 3:15-16

Monday 16

DAY OF RECONCILIATION

For if, while we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life! Not only is this so, but we also boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

Romans 5:10&11

Tuesday 17

Pray for Single Parents who have to work & take care of their children on their own; there are challenges which are not easily overcome – pray that they seek God's wisdom & guidance.

Wednesday 18

Give thanks for U-turn, working with homeless people; for the Table Café, a new initiative opened in the Kirstenhof area. Pray for many to support the work of U-turn, especially at this time of the year.

Thursday 19

Continue praying that Michael & Reneé Watson will soon have their little Caleb home to live with them. They are grateful for God's provision of solar power & also enables them to share it with others.

Friday 20

Praise God for the **Prayer Ministry** at TCC in its various forms – Daily Prayer Diary, Sunday 9:30 Prayers, Tuesday Morning Prayer WhatsApp Group, Prayer Support Group, Start Together & Finish Together Central Prayers once a term & all the Connect Groups who pray at their meetings.

Saturday 21

Thank God for all those who give of their time to work on the **computers** & **sound desk** at TCC. "And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him." Colossians 3:17

Sunday 22

MARY'S SONG

And Mary said:

'My soul glorifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour, for he has been mindful of the humble state of his servant. From now on all generations will call me blessed, for the Mighty One has done great things for me—holy is his name.'

Luke 1:46-49

Monday 23

Pray for the **Welcome Teams & Stewards** who perform various duties at all our services, to help make people, especially new folk, feel at ease & part of the TCC family.

Tuesday 24

While they were there [Bethlehem], the time came for the baby to be born, and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no guest room available for them. Luke 2:6-7

Wednesday 25

ANGELS' SONG

'Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favour rests.' Luke 2:14

Thursday 26

But Mary treasured up all these things and pondered them in her heart. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things they had heard and seen, which were just as they had been told. Luke 2:19-20

Friday 27

Give thanks for the faithful work that **R & L B** & their family do in far-away places. Pray that they have a blessed Christmas, celebrating away from their extended family.

Saturday 28

Praise God for the way the gospel is being taught & is spreading in rural areas of Malawi. Pray for Lee Furney as he teaches young pastors; for Aubrey Kanyosa, who is building a Christian community with very few resources; that they may continue worshipping safely in spite of setbacks like the church roof blowing off!

Sunday 29

SIMEON'S SONG

Simeon ... praised God, saying, Sovereign Lord, now let your servant die in peace, as you have promised. I have seen your salvation, which you have prepared for all people. Luke 2:28-31 NLT

Monday 30

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.

Tuesday 31

Pray for **Henry Kanyoza** who is leaving TCC to return permanently to Malawi. Give thanks for the time he has worked for us & pray that he settles back in his home country.



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

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