

### ***1<sup>st</sup> day of the month***

Our Mission is to serve God, and serve our community. Ask God to guide our churches to fulfil this mission, directing us where to concentrate our energies effectively and with fruitfulness.

### ***2<sup>nd</sup> day of the month***

Praise God for our church wardens and the many ways they serve. Ask Him to send them continuing energy and wisdom in all they do, serving in the strength He gives.

### ***3<sup>rd</sup> day of the month***

Lift before God Eric and Rhena serving in Asia. Pray that their work would be strategic, successful and clearly guided in every way by the Holy Spirit.

### ***4<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Give thanks for Frittenden Primary School and pre-school. Ask God to bless all the pupils, teachers, staff, and governors and Headteacher, Ms Nichola Costello.

### ***5<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray for the Charities supported by our churches. They include Weald Family Hub, Fegans, Farming Community Network, Maidstone Homeless Care, and Kenward Trust.

### ***6<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Ask God to guide the leaders and helpers at Trinity Tots and (St Mary's) Little Lambs, and bless the children and their parents or carers.

### ***7<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Ask God to give you opportunity this week to invite someone to a service, or an event run by the church, or speak about Jesus.

### ***8<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray that God's healing power be felt by all who suffer from Covid-19 and its after-effects. May He supply endless stamina and skill to the medical staff who look after them.

### ***9<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Lift with thanks before God, Tony our Reader, Hubert, John Mulrenan and all who lead and preach in our services. Bless their termly get-togethers, and ask for His enabling and guidance as they use their gifts for His glory.

### ***10<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Ask the Lord to direct the leaders of the Church of England, and His church throughout the world, in the way ahead. Pray for those who are persecuted for their Christian faith.

### ***11<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Praise God for Pete and Claire, and ask Him to empower them in the many ways in which they serve. Ask God to fill them with His joy and peace, and pray that we would encourage them by serving joyfully and cheerfully.

### ***12<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Give thanks to God for the welcome you have enjoyed into His family, and into the Church family. Pray that the welcome we offer as a church mirrors the welcome we ourselves have received.

### ***13<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Thank God for our Small Groups and Bible Studies. Ask for God's wisdom for those leading, and the Spirit's empowering to be outward-looking.

### ***14<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray for safeguarding in our two churches. Ask God to support our safeguarding officers, and to grant that everyone will recognise and understand their responsibility in this area.

### ***15<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray that God will guide the nations and large corporations of the world to pursue policies that combat climate change and promote biodiversity. May He also lead us individually to avoid misusing His gifts to us.

### ***16<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Give thanks for those who give their time and money to supporting the fabric of our church buildings. Ask God to show us how to use them truly to serve the communities in which He has placed us.

### ***17<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Give thanks for all who serve on the PCCs and rotas in our churches, and run the Sunday children's groups. Ask God to put the right people where He wants at the right time.

### ***18<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray for any special person you know in the local community who is sick, unwell, or recovering from trauma, mental or physical. Pray for all who suffer in the same way, that insight may be gained into how to help them.

### ***19<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray that God will bless the pupils and parents, staff and governors of Sissinghurst School, Headteacher Mrs Joanna Langton, and also the Learning Tree Nursery School.

### ***20<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray for our monarch, the Royal Family and our political leaders. Pray for God's continued blessing on our nation, and that our leaders will be provided with sound judgement and wise decision making.

### ***21<sup>st</sup> day of the month***

Praise God for our musicians' willingness to use the gifts He has given them to assist our worship. Pray for these gifts to be developed and fine-tuned to bring Him glory and praise.

### ***22<sup>nd</sup> day of the month***

Pray for all who are making perilous journeys to escape war, oppression, persecution and poverty. Give thanks for those who make it their job to care for the migrants who end up here in Kent.

### ***23<sup>rd</sup> day of the month***

Thank our heavenly Father for opening the door for Open the Book, telling bible stories in Frittenden and Sissinghurst Primary Schools. Ask God's blessing and enabling as the team rehearse and perform.

### ***24<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Praise God for the welcome offered by CAMEO, and Trinity Coffee Mornings. Ask Him to bring along more people, and to continue to work through the teams.

### ***25<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Ask for God to bless local businesses and self-employed, that they may thrive. Thank Him for the farmers who look after the countryside that we all appreciate every day.

### ***26<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray to Our Father in Heaven that he will inspire the prayer life of our church. May His presence be felt at the Moving Mountains prayer meetings. Ask God to speak to us clearly, and to help us to respond obediently.

### ***27<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray that God will watch over those who are struggling with poverty in many parts of the world. Ask Him to remind us when our "cup runneth over".....

### ***28<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

.....and show us how we can help, praying that, inspired by the the Diocese "Year of Living Generously," every area of our common life will be infused with God's generosity.

### ***29<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Pray for young people in our two villages. Give thanks for the Frittenden Youth Club, and Sissinghurst uniformed organisations, and ask Him to strengthen all provision in this area.

### ***30<sup>th</sup> day of the month***

Ask our Good Shepherd to watch over those of His flock who are nearing the end of their life. May He bless residents and staff of Larchmere, Hartley House and other local care institutions.

### ***31<sup>st</sup> day of the month***

Pray for all who run the admin of our churches, in secretarial work, financial supervision, and IT production.

# ***The United Benefice of Sissinghurst with Frittenden***

## ***2022 Prayer Diary***

*Jesus said:  
Therefore, I tell you,  
whatever you ask in prayer,  
believe that you receive it,  
and you will...*

***Mark 11:24***