

St Luke's
Willerby



St Andrew's Kirk Ella

Loved by Jesus, Living for Jesus

Prayer Diary – July 2024

Monday 1 July	The Open the Book team is in St Andrew's School today. Pray that children and staff alike would engage with Jesus.
Tuesday 2 July	We meet together this evening to pray together to our loving Heavenly Father. Pray that you and others would have the opportunity and time to come.
Wednesday 3 July	Give thanks for the BCP Holy Communion service which meets at St Andrew's each Wednesday morning
Thursday 4 July	Today in the General Election. Pray God would guide each of us as we vote today. Pray that God would answer our prayers in this election season and beyond – that he would show us undeserved grace. A daytime book group for mums with children under 5 is starting today. Pray that the mums who attend would all develop a deep love for Jesus through this.
Friday 5 July	Pray that those ladies who attend Faith on Friday this lunchtime would be reminded of the wonder of Jesus.
Saturday 6 July	General Synod is meeting over this weekend. Pray for an outcome to the present deliberations that provides a secure, permanent and legal settlement for orthodox believers to remain in the Church of England.
Sunday 7 July	We have a baptism service at St Andrew's this morning. Pray that all who are baptised will remain faithful to Christ to the end of their lives.
Monday 8 July	There is significant building work planned for both St Andrew's and the Memorial Hall. Pray that this work will enhance ministry opportunities and not detract from it.

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Tuesday 9 July	Praise God for the many families connected to Little Stars. Pray that there would be lots of formal and informal opportunities to share with them how amazing Jesus is.
Wednesday 10 July	Give thanks for St Luke's Toddler Group and pray that it would be a way into Sunday church for some.
Thursday 11 July	Tonight is pub night. Pray that this would be a time of good fellowship.
Friday 12 July	Give thanks for the children and youth who attend LaunchPad, Rockets and Impact. Pray that each one of them would see Jesus for who he is and make a personal commitment to follow him. Pray the children would enjoy their end of term parties today.
Saturday 13 July	The Keswick Convention begins today. Pray it would be a great time of spiritual refreshment for all members of our churches who attend in person or online over the next three weeks.
Sunday 14 July	This evening Dave Griffith-Jones, vicar of the Drypool Parish is preaching at St Andrew's. Pray for the ministry at Drypool to be ever more fruitful.
Monday 15 July	Thank God for all the new people who have joined our churches over the last year. Thank him especially for all the young families who have joined St Andrew's.
Tuesday 16 July	Today in the Men's coffee morning jolly. Pray that the men who come to this group would all seek to love the Lord.
Wednesday 17 July	Pray that you would have one opportunity given to you on a plate by God to share the good news of Jesus with one person this week at home, a social event, at work or at school.
Thursday 18 July	Give thanks for the Christian fellowship and mutual encouragement shared at the Women's Christian Book Club which meets this evening.

Friday 19 July	Today is the end of term for many. Pray that children, teachers and other school staff in our churches would all have a good rest.
Saturday 20 July	Pray for Harry Start and Rhianna Garrett being married at St Andrew's today.
Sunday 21 July	Give thanks for our musicians. Pray especially for the band, that this evening in our Songs of Praise service they would once again lead us in heartfelt corporate worship.
Monday 22 July	Pray for wise decisions to be made at St Luke's PCC this evening.
Tuesday 23 July	Pray that God would teach each growth group member about his glorious grace through his word.
Wednesday 24 July	Give thanks for our gospel centred Anglican heritage in the Book of Common Prayer and the other founding documents of the Church of England.
Thursday 25 July	Give thanks for our Staff Team. Pray that God would help them keep Jesus the main thing in their lives and ministry.
Friday 26 July	Pray that Friendship Club would be a source of genuine, Jesus-centred friendship for those who attend today.
Saturday 27 July	Pray that God would add one more family, couple or individual to each of our churches each month.
Sunday 28 July	Pray that our public worship would honour God's name and be attractive to newcomers as we express our delight in and dependence on Jesus Christ both this morning and this evening.
Monday 29 July	Pray that as St Andrew's PCC meets this evening, they would be led to make wise and godly decisions.
Tuesday 30 July	Praise God for new opportunities to share something of Jesus afforded by the Friendly Community Space at St Luke's church hall each Tuesday. Pray that some of the many non-Christians who attend would be born again as they encounter Jesus for themselves.
Wednesday 31 July	Praise God for his love shown to us in Jesus Christ who gave himself for our sins that we might have eternal life.

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.

Galatians 5: 22-23

Our Benefice Vision Statement

We are one people with all kinds of pasts and backgrounds, graciously forgiven at the cross and called together by God encouraging one another to be faithful to our risen Saviour Jesus in the power of the Spirit by living our whole lives according to his word, and by making Him known throughout Willerby and Kirk Ella, and beyond.