



HOLY TRINITY KENDAL PARISH CHURCH

Prayer Calendar November 2021

Our God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home
Isaac Watts



Give me such love for God and men
as will blot out all hatred and bitterness.
Dietrich Bonhoeffer

<p>Mon 1st</p>	<p>All Saints' Day</p> <p>“Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses...” Hebrews 12 1-2.</p> <p>May we walk in the footsteps of saints, inspired by their faith, dedication, worship and love.</p>
<p>Tues 2nd</p>	<p>You are the God of the dead as well as the living. In the quiet we remember those who have gone before us. Bring us like them to the joy of your heavenly home.</p>
<p>Wed 3rd</p>	<p>But we put our trust in your mercy. Our hearts are joyful because of your saving grace. We will sing to the Lord, for He has dealt with us richly. We will praise the name of the Lord Most High. (from Psalm 13 v5)</p>
<p>Thurs 4th</p>	<p><i>Over the next few days we will reflect on the Beatitudes (Matthew 5:3-10), from the New Living Translation.</i></p> <p>God blesses those who are poor and realise their need for Him, for the Kingdom of Heaven is theirs. (v3)</p> <p>Pray that we might trust in God's strength, not our own.</p>
<p>Fri 5th</p>	<p>God blesses those who mourn, for they will be comforted. (v4).</p> <p>Pray for those we know who are grieving and lonely at this time, seeking opportunities to walk alongside them.</p>
<p>Sat 6th</p>	<p>God blesses those who hunger and thirst for justice, for they will be satisfied. (v6)</p> <p>Pray for those who strive to make the world a fairer place for all, especially for the work of Christian Aid, and for the Fairtrade movement. Pray for our willingness to share resources more fairly.</p>
<p>Sun 7th</p>	<p>God blesses those who are merciful, for they will be shown mercy. (v7)</p> <p>We pray for oppressive governments and regimes, that the light and love of God would reach into their darkness.</p>
<p>Mon 8th</p>	<p>God blesses those whose hearts are pure, for they will see God. (v8)</p> <p>Give thanks for those who have been faithful Christians, and who have helped us to grow in faith.</p>

Tues 9th	God blesses those who are persecuted for doing right, for the Kingdom of Heaven is theirs. (v10) Pray for the persecuted church; for protection and blessing; and for the opportunity to witness in difficult situations.
Wed 10th	God blesses those who work for peace, for they will be called the children of God. (v9) Pray for the role of international peacekeepers worldwide; and for the work of our security forces.
Thurs 11th	Forgiveness is the supreme work of God for the re-creation of all things. Nothing ever happens without it. Richard Rohr
Fri 12th	We should spend as much time in thanking God for benefits as we do in asking for them. St Vincent de Paul (see Psalm 103 v2)
Sat 13th	<i>Over the next few days we will reflect on passages from the Psalms</i> "The Lord's is the earth and everything in it". Ps 24 Help us to tread gently, O Lord, and protect Your earth.
Sun 14th	"The Lord has granted peace in your borders." Ps 147 We pray for peace in places of conflict.
Mon 15th	"The father of orphans and defender of widows". Ps 68 Lord may we look after the vulnerable, as You do.
Tues 16th	"Look, answer me, O Lord, my God". Ps 13 We pray for the Prayer Chain at Holy Trinity Kendal and all those on it.
Wed 17th	"The heavens declare the glory of God". Ps 19 May we always have a sense of awe and wonder before God.
Thurs 18th	"The Lord has done great things for us". Ps 126 Help us to be thankful Lord and remember Your goodness.
Fri 19th	"Blessed are the people You instruct". Ps 94 Keep us teachable, Lord, always learning from You.

Sat 20th	World Children's Day “Whoever receives one of these children in my name receives me”. Mark 9:37
Sun 21st	Christ the King “All authority in heaven and earth has been given to me. Go therefore, and make disciples of all nations”. Matthew 28:18-19
Mon 22nd	Your Son drew around Him a company of friends. Bring love and joy to all who are alone. May we be loving and considerate to all who may still be hesitant about socialising with others again.
Tues 23rd	You have made your church a spiritual family. We are the brothers and sisters of Christ. Deepen our fellowship together, that we show your love to all we meet.
Wed 24th	You gave your Son a share in the life of a family in Nazareth. Help us to value our families, to be thankful for them and to live sensitively within them.
Thurs 25th	Isaac Watts (died today 1748) Were the whole realm of nature mine, That were an offering far too small; Love so amazing, so divine, Demands my soul, life, my all.
Fri 26th	Sovereign Lord, your Son has revealed you as our heavenly Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named. We pray for those known to us who have difficulties in providing for the needs of their families. May they be able to seek the help they need.
Sat 27th	Power of God bringing order out of chaos. Work in and through us. David Adam
Sun 28th	Grace is always given to those ready to give thanks for it. Thomas a Kempis