
Tuesday 19

Remember the young families in our church. Pray for parents to manage their busyness, to regularly spend time together as families reading the Bible and praying. Pray that these families will invest and commit to church life.

Wednesday 20

Thank God for our Church Wardens and Council members. Pray for wisdom and guidance so that they may lead our church wisely and effectively in God's will and ways.

Thursday 21

Thank God for our Thursday Feeding scheme ministry. Thank God that we have opportunities to reach out to the less fortunate and pray that they will be fed physically and spiritually. Thank God for the team of ladies who lovingly serve them.

Friday 22

Thank God for Siobhan Smith and her team of leaders who assist in children's ministry on Friday nights at GAP and EPIC. Pray that God will give the team wisdom as they plan to re-launch Friday nights and that the team will continue to teach the children faithfully and that many gospel seeds will be planted.

Saturday 23

Thank God for the "coffee and fellowship" initiative which never had a chance to take off due to lockdown. Thank God for the team willing to serve and pray that He will use this ministry to grow our GenNext ministry.

Sunday 24

Thank God for Junior Church. Pray for the children who attend, for their spiritual growth and genuine commitment to Jesus! Thank God for the teaching team too! Ask God to raise up teachers to teach the children the Bible well.

Monday 25

Pray for all our Growth Group leaders to willingly and conscientiously lead their groups and for more people to join a Growth Group. Thank God for His Word and the importance placed on it.

Tuesday 26

Pray for all musicians, sound, screen operators and registration teams. May their focus be on Jesus as they serve Him in this practical ministry.

Wednesday 27

The A-Team & Heidi's Angels (our maintenance crews) are a group of men and women who meet every Wednesday doing various odd jobs around the church, but these jobs help us greatly! Thank God for these teams who so faithfully give up their time to serve in this practical way!

Thursday 28

Thank God for the library facilities at our church. Pray that these books will be used to enrich the lives of many and grow us in Christian knowledge and maturity.

Friday 29

Pray for the teens. Pray for Glen Cooper and Chris Horn as they head up the teens work. Pray for more leaders to get involved in this very important ministry.

Saturday 30

Thank God for Kevin Bannister and his team of men who willingly serve as caregivers on Sunday mornings. Pray for their safety.

Sunday 31

Pray that God will weld us together in unity of faith and love as we formally launch into ministry for 2021. Ask God to teach us truth from His word and give us a passion to serve Him and others.



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Friday 1

Ask God to guide you to walk in His ways and serve Him faithfully together with the Christ Church family in this New Year Thank Him for providing abundantly for our needs and for His goodness to us during the past year, keeping us safe and secure in His love.

Saturday 2

Pray that this year you would cultivate a deeper, more loving relationship with God. Ask Him to help you grow in your love and appreciation for who He is and what He has done for you. Ask Him to give you a desire to read the Bible diligently.

Sunday 3

Be mindful that unbelievers are hell-bound! Pray for someone you know specifically to come to know Jesus Christ. Pray that God will give you opportunities to share the gospel with this person.

Monday 4

Pray that 2021 will be the year you invest in the life of your family showing them you love and value them. Ask God to show you ways to serve them in practical ways at home as you also set an example of godliness for them to imitate.

Tuesday 5

Pray that God will help you grow in your Christian maturity and that busyness or laziness will not get in the way of you reading your Bible daily and spending time talking to God.

Wednesday 6

Pray that God will shape your character, helping you to work on your patience and perseverance, helping you to be more disciplined, to intentionally pursue a greater godliness of lifestyle, in words and ways, striving for maturity in discipleship. Ask God to identify areas of immaturity in your life and work on improvement.

Thursday 7

Pray that God will help you find a way to serve others in the church family this year, using your unique God-given gifts to serve wherever needed. Ask Him to open your eyes to the opportunities for ministry in church life.

Friday 8

Thank God for the perfect goodness of the Lord Jesus Christ. He has done everything needed for our salvation. Give Him praise and thanks that we need not fear death because He has given us the gift of eternal life.

Saturday 9

Sometimes it is hard to speak up for what is right, or we may feel afraid to tell others what God is like and what He has done in our lives. Pray that God will help us as a church to be bold and courageous as His witnesses.

Sunday 10

Praise God for His amazing love and care for us as His people that He should send His Son into this world to reconcile us to Him and bring us out of spiritual darkness into the light. Give Him all the glory!

Monday 11

Remember Wayne Barkhuizen as he leads us as a church family for guidance and direction to grow our church. Ask God to give him insight into His Word to enable him to preach Bible truths faithfully and clearly.

Tuesday 12

Pray for Chris Horn as he heads up the GenNext families, to help them grow in grace and knowledge, and be well equipped to play an active role in our church life. Also, ask God to strengthen young families in the faith and to integrate singles well into the church family.

Wednesday 13

Pray for Siobhan Smith, for strength and energy as she takes care of children's ministry. Pray that our children's ministry will grow from strength to strength as children learn about Jesus.

Thursday 14

Pray for Heidi Hill who oversees housekeeping as well as Patience Mothepu who keeps the church premises clean. Give thanks for their hard work that's mostly unseen but necessary, especially as they sanitize our facilities to keep us safe.

Friday 15

Thank God for Luis Esteves who heads up Men for the Master, a group of men who faithfully meet on Friday mornings. Pray that these men will grow in spiritual maturity through God's word, and that more men from the church will join on Friday mornings to be encouraged.

Saturday 16

Pray for Glenn Lyons as Presiding Bishop and for the other Bishops, for God's guidance to lead our denomination and for gospel growth countrywide.

Sunday 17

Thank God for His faithful financial provision for our ministries through His people over the years, and for Craig Markham, the church Treasurer, as he competently manages and organizes church finances. Pray that the congregation will be motivated to be as generous in their giving as they are able to.

Monday 18

Pray for the ladies' ministry. Pray for Nikki Horn as she works alongside the team of ladies heading up this ministry, to enrich lives of our ladies as they're encouraged and equipped to serve in various spheres of life as godly women.