



# PRAYER DIARY

## MAY 2021

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The team trekking the Sahara later this year is hoping to meet today to plan some fundraising. Please pray for them as they start their preparations for this event.

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Praise God for the wonderful volunteers and CYM staff who are part of this year's Big Weekend. Pray for their encouragement and inspiration as they plan and prepare for the weekend.

### 3rd

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Please pray for Ant as he has the opportunity to support the whole school through assemblies at Chantry Academy. These will be reflecting on the value of kindness. We are believing for a big ripple effect throughout the school community!

### 4th

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Please pray for Beth as she runs resilience sessions with Year 7 students at Ipswich Academy.

### 5th

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Lorraine asks us to pray for the mental health of the young people at One as she is coming across more and more young people who are self-harming and having suicidal thoughts.

### 6th

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Josh Goddard asks us to pray that those facing examinations and assessments this term would feel peaceful and that things won't be overly stressful at Ormiston Endeavour Academy.

### 7th

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Please pray for the TLG coaching that happens in St Matthew's Primary School. Pray that as the coaches are now able to return to coaching in school, they come with enthusiasm and energy as they build relationships with their children based on fun and honest conversations.

### 8th

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Mirin asks us to pray today for Year 6 children as they start to get ready to go to high school and as we begin to guide them with their transition.

### 9th

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Please pray that this term will be safe, fun and as stress-free as possible for all the staff and students at Stoke High School. Please do also pray that with all the new changes in the laws of social distancing that this will be a positive change rather than a negative in regards to schooling.

### 10th

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Prayer for patience for Josh Ambrose as he waits on God to unveil more of the vision for Residential Ministry.

### 11th

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We thank God today for Cilla, who provides support for our Chaplains on a regular basis. They will meet today for supervision time with her.

### 12th

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Tim asks for prayer that students would be able to settle and concentrate with all the disruption to exams at Westbridge Academy.

### 13th

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Please pray for the students we work with who struggle with bullying and friendships. Pray that God would restore them, and that they would understand their worth and value.

### 14th

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Please pray for Josh Goddard working at Ormiston Endeavour Academy as he looks for new ways to engage students and teachers in the work we do at CYM.

### 15th

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Please pray for Tim & Mark as they lead Alpha for the staff at the Raedwald Trust.

## 16th

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Mirin asks us to please pray for all the children and staff that watch our recorded assemblies; pray that they can engage and learn about Jesus even though we aren't giving assemblies in person.

## 17th

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Dan asks us to please pray for the students and staff at Stoke High School to have energy, clear and fresh minds as well as a positive mindset for this term.

## 18th

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As CYM continues its work please pray for new opportunities to spread the good news of the gospel throughout our town at a time when there is so much spiritual need.

## 19th

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Praise God for being involved in a new Youth Café on the Chantry Estate every Wednesday after school initially for Year 9 students! Pray for Andy Jefferson from Inspiring Ipswich as he is managing this outreach project.

## 20th

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Please pray for Lorraine as she starts running a CU group and a lunchtime club for those who find lunchtime a lonely, isolating and anxious time.

## 21st

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Tim asks for prayer that he might have continued opportunities to share faith with staff and students at Westbridge Academy.

## 22nd

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Please pray for the children at St Matthew's and St John's Primary Schools as they work hard with their learning after such a long time of change and uncertainty. Pray that they would thrive in school, learn more about themselves and develop good relationships.

## 23rd

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Remember in your prayers the Trustees of CYM who we rely on in so many ways.

## 24th

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Looking ahead please pray for Godly wisdom and guidance in any fund raising that might need to be done, for the right opportunities going forwards.

## 25th

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As we review and improve our Social Media presence, pray that more people would be able to connect with this and be encouraged by our work.

## 26th

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Pray for those students who have been recently bereaved and supported through pastoral care and Chaplaincy at Chantry Academy. For God's comfort and love expressed through the care and listening they receive.

## 27th

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Please remember the ongoing work at the Raedwald Trust and especially today Mark as he seeks to share the love of Jesus in his role as Chaplain.

## 28th

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Please remember today the CYM leadership team as they meet up for prayer that wherever they are they will feel the power of the Holy Spirit and be encouraged in their work at this time.

## 29th

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Josh Ambrose asks us to pray with him today "a big thank you prayer for all Christian Conference Centres and Camps up and down the country and around the world." Thank God for all the resource and support they continue to receive and as they prepare to begin the gentle easing of allowing people to gather after a long hard season.

## 30th

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Please pray for Simon today as he shares with Fields Church.

## 31st

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The Chaplains work so hard, please pray for them all today as they seek to help and support the young people in schools & colleges that they too will feel encouraged.