

## Prayer sheet for Sundays 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> December 2020

### for the Ecumenical Parish of Feltham: St Dunstan's Anglican and Southville Methodist churches

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#### Collect from the Anglican tradition:

Eternal God,  
as Mary waited for the birth of your Son,  
so we wait for his coming in glory;  
bring us through the birth pangs of this present age  
to see, with her, our great salvation  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### Bible readings for today

II Samuel 7: 1-11, 16  
Romans 16: 25-27  
Luke 1: 26-38

#### Bible readings for 27<sup>th</sup> December

Isaiah 61:10 – 62:3  
Galatians 4: 4-7  
Luke 2: 22-40 (*Southville*), Luke 2: 15-21 (*St. Dunstan*)

#### Bible readings for 4<sup>th</sup> January

Jeremiah 31: 7-14 *or* Ecclesiasticus 24: 1-12  
Ephesians 1: 3-14  
John 1: (1-9) 10-18

#### Invitation to remember in our prayers this week:

##### In the news:

As Christmas approaches, we pray that God may be glorified and that there may be peace on earth.

##### From Churches Together:

We ask God's blessing on the new congregation meeting at Christ Church, for the Revd. Andy Watkins, and for the Good Grub Club which they run with the Salvation Army to feed vulnerable children in the school holidays.

##### In the parish:

We remember those who live or work in Cambria Court, Park Way, New Road, Station Estate Road, Nursery Close and Fern Grove.

##### Those who are ill or in particular need:

Barbara Meakin (The Cloisters Nursing Home), Fiona Cairncross, Jean Macdonald recovering from a knee operation, Barbara Tonkins in hospital, Mary Walden.

##### For those who have died recently and those who mourn them: Elsie

##### Those whose lives we remember:

20<sup>th</sup> December: May Archer, Samuel Dolby, Joan Langley, Derek Rozario,  
Ethel and James Devine, Daisy Gamble

27<sup>th</sup> December: Fred and Yolande Day, Rita Perry, Babs Parsons.