

Prayer sheet for Sunday 24th January 2021

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

Collect from the Anglican tradition:

God of all mercy,
your Son proclaimed good news to the poor,
release to the captives,
and freedom to the oppressed:
anoint us with your Holy Spirit
and set all your people free
to praise you in Christ our Lord.

Bible readings for today

Methodist: Jonah 3: 1-5, 10
I Corinthians 7: 29-31
Mark 1: 14-20

Anglican: Genesis 14: 17-20
Revelation 19: 6-10
John 2: 1-11

Bible readings for 31st January

Methodist: Deuteronomy 18: 15-20
I Corinthians 8: 1-13
Mark 1: 21-28

Anglican (Sunday nearest to Candlemas):
Malachi 3: 1-5
Hebrews 2: 14-18
Luke 2: 22-40

We Invitation to remember in our prayers this week:

In the news:

We pray for everyone affected by flood, especially in South Yorkshire; for people in the Caribbean who have suffered in the hurricane season; and for communities threatened by rising sea levels.

Around the world (from the Anglican Prayer Cycle):

We ask God's blessing on Christians in Bangladesh, praying that God will strengthen and protect them.

From Churches Together:

We pray for everyone who would like to be worshipping at Southville today, including those of the PIWC Pentecostal church; we ask God's blessing on all of them, and on the Revd. Juliet Ushewokunze.

In the parish:

We remember all who live or work in Cassiobury Avenue, Letchworth Avenue, Ruscombe Way, Veitch Close, Fruen Road, Shore Close or Owen House.

We give thanks with those who have received their first vaccination. We pray for those expecting vaccination in the coming weeks.

Those who are ill or in particular need:

Peter Collins (brother to Jack Collins), Josie Coates, Brian Elliott (brother to Shirley Howell), Barbara Meakin (The Cloisters Nursing Home), Fiona Cairncross, Barbara Tonkins.

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

Those whose lives we remember:

Betty Cross, Richard Yates, Jim Press, May Gamble.