

# Prayers for November 2019

Friday                      November 1<sup>st</sup>:                      Acts 20  
Pray for the many changes taking place within the structures of the Church of Scotland, and decisions that need to be made at national, regional and local level.

Saturday                      November 2<sup>nd</sup>:                      Luke 19  
Pray for a growth in the number of young people coming to faith.

SUNDAY                      November 3<sup>rd</sup>:                      Psalm 133  
Pray for understanding and a new harmony between the people of the world, whatever their faith or creed.

Monday                      November 4<sup>th</sup>:                      1 Chronicles 16  
Pray for people preparing for family celebrations and special occasions.

Tuesday                      November 5<sup>th</sup>:                      Leviticus 25 v 35-36  
Pray for the work of charities like Fresh Start and the Bethany Christian Trust, as they help homeless people.

Wednesday                      November 6<sup>th</sup>:                      Genesis 33  
Pray for young parents and their children, especially those who are finding life challenging at the moment..

Thursday                      November 7<sup>th</sup>:                      1 Peter 5  
Pray for Martin Scott, the new Chief Executive of Richmond's Hope in Edinburgh, may their work extend and grow as they support children through the pain of bereavement.

Friday                      November 8<sup>th</sup>:                      Deuteronomy 4  
Pray for Parent Councils, Fundraising teams and teachers/staff in the local schools as they continue to develop the social aspects of school life.

Saturday                      November 9<sup>th</sup>:                      Psalm 46  
Pray for preparations for this weekend's Remembrance events around the area.

SUNDAY                      November 10<sup>th</sup>:                      Isaiah 25  
Take time to remember today, remember the families who lost loved ones, the sacrifice of so many and those who still bear the scars today.

Monday                      November 11<sup>th</sup>:                      Micah 4 v 1-8  
Pause to remember those who have died in conflicts across the last century, and pray for a lasting peace in places of conflict today.

Tuesday                      November 12<sup>th</sup>:                      Ecclesiastes 4  
Pray for all staff at the hospitals across Fife, giving thanks for their skills and talents, as well as their dedication and compassion.

Wednesday November 13<sup>th</sup>: 1 Corinthians 15 v 50 to end of chapter  
Pray for the Armed Services across the world who face danger today, praying that they will be protected and kept safe.

Thursday November 14<sup>th</sup>: 2 Corinthians 4  
Pray for the Ministries Council of the Church of Scotland who recruit, train and guide all the various Ministries in the Church and who face mounting financial pressures.

Friday November 15<sup>th</sup>: Philippians 4  
Give thanks for the dedication and commitment of all those who take time to visit others in our congregation, taking time for the housebound, unwell and recovering from surgery.

Saturday November 16<sup>th</sup>: Luke 1  
Pray for the preparations for Advent, Nativity Plays and Christmas Services.

SUNDAY November 17<sup>th</sup>: Proverbs 31 v 15-17  
Give thanks for the new families who have been coming regularly to Church.

Monday November 18<sup>th</sup>: Hebrews 13  
Pray for the teams who serve meals and lunches, as well as tea/coffee after Services throughout the year.

Tuesday November 19<sup>th</sup>: Romans 12  
Pray for family celebrations that take place this month.

Wednesday November 20<sup>th</sup>: Luke 6  
Pray for those who are grieving for their loves ones at this time, may they find solace and comfort in scripture and the friendship of those who care.

Thursday November 21<sup>st</sup>: 3 John 1  
Pray for our neighbouring congregations, giving thanks for ways in which we can work together.

Friday November 22<sup>nd</sup>: Psalm 37  
Pray for people suffering from depression and despair.

Saturday November 23<sup>rd</sup>: Ephesians 4  
Pray for families where disputes have torn them apart, may there be a healing between them..

SUNDAY November 24<sup>th</sup>: Luke 14  
Pray for people who have a learning disability that means they are often misunderstood.

Monday November 25<sup>th</sup>: Zephaniah 1  
Pray for victims of abusive relationships and for the provision of help to everyone who needs it.

Tuesday November 26<sup>th</sup>: Matthew 20  
Pray for fellowship to grow between members of our congregation and for faith to deepen through Bible Study and prayer .

Wednesday            November 27<sup>th</sup>:     Isaiah 7

As we approach Advent, pray for a time of blessing and assurance for others, particularly those who face financial difficulties at this time of year.

Thursday             November 28<sup>th</sup>:     Luke 3

Pray for the work of Crossreach, the Church of Scotland's Care Council who provide care homes, support and counselling, as well as young people's services around the country.

Friday                 November 29<sup>th</sup>:     Philippians 2

Pray for the work of the Doctors, Nurses and other staff in the Health Centres around the area, giving thanks for their care and dedication.

Saturday             November 30<sup>th</sup>:     Matthew 10

Pray for our country and its leaders both national and local as we mark St Andrews Day..

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