# Prayer Diary For each day in November.



## Friday Nov 1st All Saints Day.

Almighty God,

you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord:

Grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

#### Saturday Nov 2nd For our Sunday Worship.

Our 8.30am and 10.00am Communion Services, for Ian, Chris and others leading and sharing.

# Sunday Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> For our Diocese.

Bishop David and the staff team in Diocesan office and the way the serve us.

# Monday Nov 4<sup>th</sup> For our Schools.

For governors in each School as they plan and recruit staff. For Pitter Patter (Mums & Tots) in our Hall and new friends.

Tuesday Nov 5<sup>th</sup> For the elections in America as the votes are recorded and counted.

Wed Nov 6<sup>th</sup> For our 2<sup>nd</sup> Training Night for sharing Jesus. Parish Hall, Diane Casement.

#### Thursday Nov 7<sup>th</sup> For Residential Homes

Chris visits and leads worship in Residential Homes @ Silver Birch and Tully West Manor. Pray for these moments of sharing God's fellowship.

Friday Nov 8<sup>th</sup> For our SAMS Partner Church of the Redeemer. La Paz. Bolivia.

Dear God, may the boldness of your Spirit continually transform SAMS as a mission agency. May the gentleness of your Spirit lead our mission partners in all they do and say.

May the gifts of your Spirit equip us all to serve the wider community. We worship you, now and always, through Jesus Christ, the Lord of all. Amen

Saturday Nov 9<sup>th</sup> For International week of science and peace.

#### Sunday Nov 10<sup>th</sup> For Remembrance Sunday.

For our Sunday Worship to reflect the vital need to remember all that was given for us through the sacrifice of those in the Armed Forces in both World Wars and all conflict.

#### God of peace,

whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom and restored the broken to wholeness of life: Look with compassion on the anguish of the world, and by your healing power make whole both people and nations; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

# Monday Nov 11<sup>th</sup> For Parishes with new Ministers.

Kilmore and Inch, Ballynahinch. Belvoir and those Churches seeking people to respond to a call to serve them.

#### Tuesday Nov 12<sup>th</sup> For Vestry tonight.

That the Select Vestry continue to work together to make decisions for the Mission and Ministry in the Parish.

Wednesday Nov 13<sup>th</sup> For our Roman's study.

#### Thursday Nov 14th

#### For the youth organisations in the Parish Hall.

Girl Guides, Brownies, Rainbows and the Scout Group. For all their leaders and the challenges, they face in having enough volunteers to do the super job they do.

#### Friday Nov 15th

For our 3 Church Mission in Saintfield.

#### Saturday Nov 16th



Sunday Nov 17<sup>th</sup> For SPACE in the Parish Hall with Millie Bellew from the Diocesan office team.

# Monday Nov 18th For Ministers and Churches.

Sam Bostock and congregation in 1<sup>st</sup> Saintfield. John Torrens and congregation in 2<sup>nd</sup> Saintfield. Father Tony McHugh and congregation in Roman Catholic Church.

For the Baptist Church and congregation that they can call a pastor to come & lead them, teaching God's Word.

#### Tuesday Nov 19<sup>th</sup> For our Church Office staff.

Sally as our Office Administrator, Ian as Sexton, William as Graveyard Convenor and Chris as Vicar.

# Wednesday Nov 20th For World Children's Day.

#### Thursday Nov 21<sup>st</sup> For Peace in our World.

That agreement will come to end war in Russia and Ukraine, Israel, Gaza, Lebanon and in South Sudan.

# Friday Nov 22<sup>nd</sup> For our Health Service.

All who work in our hospitals, the community for our physical & mental health.

# Saturday Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> For our Security Forces.

Our Police Service and Armed Forces serving in Northern Ireland and beyond.

# Sunday Nov 24th For our Sunday Worship.

Stir up Sunday
Stir up, we beseech thee, O Lord,
the wills of thy faithful people;
that they, plenteously bringing forth
the fruit of good works,
may of thee be plenteously rewarded;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### Monday Nov 25<sup>th</sup> For all who are bereaved.

Take a few moments and remember those as they struggle with grief. Those who have lost loved ones recently as well as those who have endured many years of loss.

Bless those who mourn, eternal God, with the comfort of your love that they may face each new day with hope and the certainty that nothing can destroy the good that has been given.

May their memories become joyful, their days enriched with friendship, and their lives encircled by your love.

# Tuesday Nov 26<sup>th</sup> For Church groups.

That people enjoy the fun of Bowling on Tuesday, Badminton on Wednesday, Pitter Patter on Monday. Pray for the leaders who organise it all.

## Wednesday 27th Nov For Wednesday Welcome.

For Golden Agers who meet at 10.30am for friendship, support and fun. For it's leaders and their dedication.

# Thursday Nov 28<sup>th</sup> For our growth as a Church.

# Friday Nov 29<sup>th</sup> For all who are alone That we pay attention to those who are isolated in our community, and we reach out to them.

# Saturday Nov 30<sup>th</sup> For entering December.

Dear Lord,

don't let us miss You this Christmas season.

Help us to simplify our activities and traditions so we can focus our celebration on Your birth.

Thank You for being the Prince of Peace, and I ask You for that supernatural peace to reign in our hearts.

Amen

# Our beautiful Parish Church captured recently with the Northern Lights



