

Mission and Outreach - Keith Croxton



The Centre

Please pray for the 10 year celebrations for The Centre. **Pray for** the Friday supper parties which have now started. The first one was on Friday October 3rd and the next one on Friday November 7th.

Pray that they will be times of thanks and rejoicing together for God's provision of The Centre over the past 10 years.

Give thanks that groups using The Centre also want to be involved.

We are still waiting for a response to our application to extend the lease of The Centre. **Please pray** for a response soon so we can know the way ahead.

Mission to the Elderly

Give thanks that:

- the link with Clarendon is going well.
- the weekly services continue along with a monthly Communion Service.
- requests for prayer were being met when made.
- the Friday Coffee morning is proving a great success.

Food Bank

Please pray there will be a good response from the various Harvest Festivals that contribute to the Food Bank. These contributions will put us in good shape for the busy winter period.

For the Kenya Mission Team: Will Pearson-Gee

We will already have arrived in Mombasa when you read this. I hope you can **give thanks** for our safe arrival! **Please pray** for the team as we conduct briefings and final training before the mission starts and we run through a training programme for ordained and lay leaders in Mombasa. On the 12th we will relocate to Nairobi and repeat the training there before returning on the 18th. **Please pray** for protection over the families we leave behind, our health, for a unified sense of purpose and for the Holy Spirit to be poured out on us and all those to whom we'll minister.

Created Creative (CC): Emma Elias



Thank you for your prayers and support over the last month for this ministry area, we appreciate and value them.

Thank God for

- a blessed and encouraging start to the new term.
- the creativity sessions last month and the new faces that joined us.

Please pray for

- the sessions coming up this month both online and face to face.
- those that attend the sessions, especially those new to creativity, for the Lord to touch their hearts and to bring them closer to Him, for healing and restoration.

More details from: info@createdcreative.co.uk

Our Church link BD7 churches, Bradford [Adam Dickson, associate vicar]



We give thanks to God for His promise that he will be with us always. **We pray** that we will continue to serve Him with grace, and humility, and grow His kingdom.

Please continue to pray for the 'Vacancy', and that the hearts of those expressing interest will be warmed to the challenge of ministering in our community.

Please pray for:

- St John's church family – as we look to repairing the church hall roof before winter, and make best use of the space we have in the short term, to serve our community.
- St Wilfrid's church family – as this month they celebrate 120 years of worship in their church. **Praise God** for His faithfulness.

Prayer for the World: Zena Greig

Amidst all the pain and destruction in Ukraine, Christians are working tirelessly to bring God's word to those suffering. Each day 1000-1400 bibles are printed and distributed to civilians, refugees and frontline troops and God is touching many wounded hearts. **Please pray** for Anatoliya, head of the Bible Society in Ukraine and for his wife Victoria who leads a Trauma Healing ministry where

widows, children , teenagers and soldiers are given spiritual and psychological help through the Bible. The team work hard every day meeting people in pain. **Pray** for strength and grace for the team and deep healing for those they serve.

Open Doors: Betsy Kolkea



According to Open Doors research, more Christians are killed for their faith in Nigeria than in the rest of the world combined. Islamic militant groups including Fulani and Boko Haram continue to attack, kidnap and kill Nigerian Christians and destroy their homes, churches and livelihoods. Nigeria is at number ten on the Open Doors World Watch List. Despite this a Nigeria Christian displaced by violence says "We will worship God because he has preserved our lives. I still have God and He is still on the throne. He will surely deliver me."

Let's pray for our Christian brothers and sisters in Nigeria;

- For comfort and healing for all those who have been attacked, traumatised or bereaved.
- For women and girls who have been abducted and assaulted.
- For every believer, to have the courage to endure and to recall Peter's words that when we suffer grief in all kinds of trials 'These have come so that your faith - of greater worth than gold, which perishes even though refined by fire - may be proved genuine and may result in praise, glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed'.



The MOG Report

Ministries we value and support.

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