

Wallneuk North

Prayer Link Letter – April 2010



The first gold of dawn

The long day
stretched into night
and time crept onwards
towards the new day.

With the first gold of dawn
came a resurrection
a new hope that grew
with the rising sun
and went out to a waiting world

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- Thurs 1st In the Garden of Gethsemane Jesus prayed for guidance and accepted what was to be - let us do the same.
- Fri 2nd As Jesus suffered on the cross for us let us remember those who are suffering today for their faith.
- Sat 3rd Easter Saturday is a day for quiet reflection on the events of Holy Week - take time to do this for yourself.
- Sun 4th Alleluia - Jesus is risen - give thanks and praise to God.
- Mon 5th For the joy of Easter and its promise of new life we give you thanks loving Lord.
- Tues 6th Lord give us vigorous, adventurous faith with you at the helm.
- Wed 7th In the school holidays may teachers and children find refreshment and renewal.
- Thurs 8th Lord, free me from being enslaved to self and motivate me to serve others for you.
- Fri 9th Help us to appreciate the springtime in the beauty of parks and gardens.
- Sat 10th The Lord says to us - my love is because I am.
- Sun 11th Worship is to fill the mind with the truth of God.
- Mon 12th Lord, we pray for the STAR Project - for David Close and all who work with him as they seek to show your love to those in the community.
- Tues 13th Lord in all my encounters with people today, give me the grace to be gracious.
- Wed 14th Lord, we pray for any who are harbouring grudges. May they be led by your Spirit, to forgive and so find peace.
- Thurs 15th Fill us, we pray, Lord, with your light and life that we may show forth your wondrous glory.
- Fri 16th Lord, help us to make spending time every day with you a priority.

- Sat 17th Lord, may I see your light radiating, feel your love vibrating and sense your touch and your healing.
- Sun 18th Heavenly Father we continue to remember the people of Haiti as they struggle to cope with aftermath of the earthquake.
- Mon 19th Lord we pray for other countries in our world who have also suffered earthquakes recently, in Peru and Turkey.
- Tues 20th Lord we are attempting to reconstitute the Boys' Brigade in one of our Network churches - endow us with vision.
- Wed 21st Lord we ask your blessing on all leaders of uniformed organisations in our churches.
- Thurs 22nd What is a friend? Someone to talk to and share your joys and troubles with - have you made God your friend?
- Fri 23rd Today we remember St George, the patron saint of England. What do you know about him and how does his example ring true still?
- Sat 24th Thank you for the members of the A-Team and especially for their care of the church grounds. Could you become part of this team?
- Sun 25th Make time for your friends and listen to them. Offer your support and concern for them and share in their good times also.
- Mon 26th Thank you for your unconditional love. Help us to know we can come to you in any way, at any time and be assured of your love.
- Tues 27th Lord, give to the bereaved your comfort and the assurance that there is a new life after death.
- Wed 28th Lord, thank you for supporting so many charities and responding to so many disasters through the generosity of our church members.
- Thurs 29th Lord bring peace to our beleaguered world
- Fri 30th As the month comes to an end reflect on all that has happened to you during it. Ask God to support you and guide you in what lies ahead.

Christ you are before us.
 This is what gives us courage to go on.
 It is you who directs.
 It is you who beckons.
 So we dedicate ourselves
 And we bless you now.



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