

DAILY PRAYER IN NOVEMBER

- 1st ALL SAINTS DAY – that we may follow their example of faithfulness
- 2nd ALL SOULS DAY – that the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace
- 3rd The US presidential election - for a fair outcome
- 4th Those who live in Church View
- 5th The Queen and Royal family
- 6th Churches Together in Ash, Ash Vale and Tongham
- 7th Those under stricter lockdown measures
- 8th REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY – those who died in war
- 9th Staff and residents of Care Homes
- 10th REMEMBRANCE DAY – peace and justice for the world
- 11th Our churchwardens Philip and Maria
- 12th The elderly feeling isolated in their homes
- 13th Local shops, pubs and restaurants facing uncertainty
- 14th The staff at Ash Vale Health Centre
- 15th Ashbourne Court Care Home – staff and residents
- 16th Walsh Junior School – staff, children and parents
- 17th Those suffering from Alzheimers and their carers
- 18th Those using our Care and Share food scheme
- 19th Young people unable to find a job
- 20th Those who live in White Lane
- 21st The health and safety of public transport employees
- 22nd CHRIST THE KING – praise the majesty of Jesus
- 23rd People suffering from eating disorders

- 24th Shawfield Primary School – staff, children and parents
- 25th Marriage guidance services
- 26th Single parents struggling with finances and Covid restrictions
- 27th Citizens Advice
- 28th ADVENT SUNDAY – that Advent may be a time of reflection & renewal
- 29th Those who live in The Garth, Christine Close and Priors Court
- 30th ST ANDREW – the people of Scotland

November is the 'Kingdom' season when we remember that no Christian is solitary. Through baptism we become members one of another in Christ, members of a company of saints whose mutual belonging transcends death: One family, we dwell in him, one Church, above, beneath; though now divided by the stream, the narrow stream of death. *(Charles Wesley)*

Holy Father, almighty and eternal God, we give thanks that you are the hope of the nations, the builder of the city that is to come. Your love made visible in Jesus Christ brings home the lost, restores the sinner and gives dignity to the despised. In his face your light shines out, flooding lives with goodness and truth, gathering into one in your kingdom a divided and broken humanity. Therefore, with all who can give voice in your creation we glorify your name, for ever praising you with joy. Amen.

God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age: as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness and joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Grant to us, Lord God, to trust you not for ourselves alone, but for those also whom we love and who are hidden from us by the shadow of death; that, as we believe your power to have raised our Lord Jesus Christ from the dead, so may we trust your love to give eternal life to all who believe in him; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Lord God our Father, we pledge ourselves to serve you and all humankind, in the cause of peace, for the relief of want and suffering, and for the praise of your name. Guide us by your Spirit; give us wisdom; give us courage; give us hope; and keep us faithful now and always. Amen.