

## **PRAYER WEEK at St TEILO's Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May to Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2013**

This year we holding our annual Prayer Week over the Summer half term week and hoping that many in our church and wider community will be able to participate. We invite you to **join in** as many of the **Prayer week activities** as you can during the week! As an act of worship we are setting aside time in this **focussed communal WEEK OF PRAYER at St Teilo's** asking God to bless and work in our church family and communities. If you can't make it to **an event** or **pop in** to church during the week to the **Prayer Café open between 11am and 4 pm (from 2 - 4 on Wednesday)**, you can join in by **praying at home** or wherever you are! Visit the church website at [www.llandeiloofawr.org.uk](http://www.llandeiloofawr.org.uk) to post a prayer or share in the prayer for the day posted at 7:30pm.

On **Sunday 26th** we start the week with a **Prayer Picnic at Parc Penlan (or in the church hall if it is wet) after the 11 o'clock service.**

If you are on duty for the opening of the church during the week please also be ready to **invite members of the public to leave prayer requests in the box**, which is always available, or to **use the Prayer Café where there will be someone available ready to pray with anyone who would like this.** If you are leading a weekly church activity during this week please take a few minutes to let your group know that we are praying for our community this week and give them the opportunity to request prayer and use the **prayerbox slips.**

On **Tuesday and Friday** members of the **Prayer Ministry Team** will be available to **pray with you in the Prayer Room and for the prayer requests that have been received** in the week. The **Prayer Room** can be visited during the week for your own use if you wish.

We will be inviting the **local school children** to drop into church with their family during the week to follow a **Prayer Trail** and write a prayer and these **prayers will be presented at the 11 o'clock service on 2nd June.** We will also be inviting them to visit the church website and send prayers and prayer requests.

From **Monday to Friday** there will be a **daily rhythm of prayer** with **short services of communal said prayer in the Side Chapel at 10:30 am (not Wednesday as Communion Service), 1 pm and 4 pm.** On **Wednesday at 12:15** there will be a **Soup Lunch.**

On **Thursday evening 7:30 to 8:30 pm** we will be holding a **sung Prayer Meeting with the worship group.** On **Friday 3 pm - 4 pm** there will be an opportunity to be led in quiet **Contemplative Prayer in the Side Chapel.**

On **Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> from 9:45 (St Teilo's) to 12 o'clock** we will join other Christians in a **Prayer Relay** held around various chapels and churches in town. On **Sunday 2nd** we will end the week with a **Prayer Walk around Llandeilo** after the 11 o'clock service, when we stop at all of the entry/exit points and pray God's blessing on our town. This is a gentle walk, with a number of stops, which starts and finishes at St Teilo's taking about two hours but you can bow out at any point.

**ST TEILO'S PRAYER WEEK PROGRAMME 2013**

Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> May	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> May	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> May	Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> May	Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May	Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June
<p><b>Prayer Picnic at Penlan Park</b> – leaving from the church after the 11 o'clock service coffee time. Bring your picnic and some to share. If it is wet we will hold this in the Church Hall instead.</p>	<p><b>Daily rhythm of Said Prayer</b> - Side Chapel, 10:30; 1 and 4.  <b>Prayer Café</b> – 11am - 4 pm. Drop in for coffee and cake and to pray or share a prayer request.</p>	<p><b>Daily rhythm of Said Prayer</b> - Side Chapel, 10:30; 1 and 4.  <b>Prayer Café</b> – 11am - 4 pm. Drop in for coffee and cake and to pray or share a prayer request.  <b>Prayer Ministry Team Drop-in</b>, available for prayer at St Teilo's 11am-5 pm.</p>	<p>10:30 usual mid week <b>Communion Service</b> and coffee.  Followed by a <b>Soup and Prayer Lunch at church</b> at 12:15.  <b>Daily rhythm of Said Prayer</b> - Side Chapel, 1 and 4.  <b>Prayer Café</b> – 2pm - 4 pm. Drop in for coffee and cake and to pray or share a prayer request.</p>	<p><b>Daily rhythm of Said Prayer</b> - Side Chapel, 10:30; 1 and 4.  <b>Prayer Café</b> – 11am - 4 pm. Drop in for coffee and cake and to pray or share a prayer request.  <b>Sung Prayer Meeting</b>- 7:30 - 8:30pm. Led by the worship group.</p>	<p><b>Daily rhythm of Said Prayer</b> - Side Chapel, 10:30; 1 and 4.  <b>Prayer Café</b> – 11am - 4 pm. Drop in for coffee and cake and to pray or share a prayer request.  <b>Prayer Ministry Team Drop-in</b>, available for prayer at St Teilo's 11am-5 pm.  Quiet <b>Contemplative Prayer</b> – 3 pm - 4 pm, Side Chapel.</p>	<p><b>Church and Chapel Prayer Relay</b> – praying in various churches and chapels in town. <b>Start at 9:45 at St Teilo's church, finish at 12.</b></p>	<p><b>Presentation of local school children's prayers</b> at the 11 o'clock service.  <b>Prayer Walk around the perimeter of Llandeilo</b> – leaving from the church after the 11 o'clock service coffee time.  Join us for the first part or full walk (approx. 2 hours with a number of prayer stops.)</p>
<p>Details: Led by Angela Davies.</p>	<p>Details: Led by Mike Clark.</p>	<p>Details: Led by Mike Clark; Sally Sadler; Angela Davies.</p>	<p>Details: Led by Michael and Sally Sadler; Mike Clark.</p>	<p>Details: Led by Mike Clark; Angela Davies.</p>	<p>Details: Led by Mike Clark; Ian Anderson.</p>	<p>Details: Led by Mike Clark.</p>	<p>Details: Led by Angela Davies.</p>

**Tasks/Responsibilities:**

Amanda – Flyers to schools/Children’s Prayer Trail/craft area/ incorporating in Sunday 2nd 11 o’clock service; Daily Prayer post and screening.

Roderick –Info on church website/ manage tumbler screening of prayer requests/prayers.

Angela – timetable of events and leaflet to distribute to congregation; Rota for Prayer Café manning/making cakes/soup; Prayer menus; lead Prayer Picnic and Walk Sundays; lead Sung Prayer Meeting.

Mike – Prayer Week sign; Prayer walk prayer leaflet/oil; Daily rhythm of Said Prayer leaflets and to lead Mon-Fri except Wed 1pm; Prayer Relay. Collecting and collating written prayers from the congregation; liaising and supporting Ian re Contemplative Prayer session on Fri.

Sally – Daily rhythm of Prayer Wed @ 1pm ; Poster of Prayer Week events for church noticeboard; Poster for Prayer Café to go onto sandwich board; Prayer Ministry Team availability for Tues 11-5; Refresh Prayer Room; projection of song words visuals at Sung Prayer meeting.

**Themes:** Healing; Salvation for family members; Peace/Reconciliation; Deepening our Faith; Realising our ministry; Caring for our Community; Caring for our Environment; Reaching Out especially to Families and Children.