

Prayers for our Church

Help our church to live a life worthy of the calling it has received; being completely humble and gentle; being patient, bearing with one another in love. Help our church make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.

Ephesians 4:1-3

God who gives endurance and encouragement, give our church a spirit of unity, so that with one heart and mouth they may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Romans 15:5-6

“Burwood Christian Centre, arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD rises upon you. See, darkness covers the earth and thick darkness is over the peoples, but the LORD rises upon you and his glory appears over you. Nations will come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn. “Lift up your eyes and look about you: All assemble and come to you; your sons come from afar, and your daughters are carried on the arm. Then you will look and be radiant, your heart will throb and swell with joy; the wealth on the seas will be brought to you, to you the riches of the nations will come.”

Isaiah 60:1-5

Promises to Meditate On:

I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.”

John 16:33

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.

John 14:27

Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you. 1 Peter 5:6-7



2020 Prayer Resource 1

"The LORD is with you, mighty warrior."

Judges 6:12

We are always in a war, as explained in Ephesians 6:10-12

Currently, we have two enemies who are both invisible to us, but who's activity is seen all around the globe:

1. The Devil and his spiritual forces;
2. COVID-19.

One enemy attacks our body, and the other enemy attacks our faith.

The scriptures here are adjusted for you to pray.

God's Word is the sword of the Spirit, and when used in prayer, is powerful to cut through the lies of the enemy and push back every evil attack.

Take up the Word of God and use it in declaration and in prayer – you will see and experience results!

I fear not, for God is with me; I will not be dismayed, for He is my God; He will strengthen me, He will help me, He will uphold me with His righteous right hand. Isaiah 41:10

There is no fear in love. But God's perfect love drives out fear.

1 John 4:18

May I receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on me; and be Jesus' witness in the community, in Christchurch and to the ends of the earth.”

Acts 1:8

You have commanded me: be strong and courageous. I will not be frightened, nor dismayed, for the Lord my God is with me wherever I go.

Joshua 1:9

I will be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. I put on the full armor of God, so that I can take my stand against the devil's schemes.

Ephesians 6:10-11

I stand firm with the belt of truth buckled around my waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, and with my feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. In addition to all this, I take up the shield of faith, with which

I extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one.

I take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. And I pray.

Ephesians 6:14-18

"I will be strong and courageous. I am not afraid or discouraged because of the [enemy] and the vast army with him, for there is a greater power with us than with him.

...With us is the LORD our God to help us and to fight our battles."

2 Chronicles 32:7-8

Contend, O LORD, with those who contend with me; fight against those who fight against me.

Take up shield and buckler; arise and come to my aid. Brandish spear and javelin against those who pursue me. Say to my soul, "I am your salvation."

Psalm 35:1-3

No, in all these things I am more than a conqueror through him who loves me. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate me from the love of God in Christ Jesus my Lord. Romans 8:37-39

But thanks be to God! He gives me the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, I stand firm and will let nothing move me. I always give myself fully to the work of the Lord, because I know that my labor in the Lord is not in vain.

1 Corinthians 15:57-58

Praise be to the Lord, to God our Savior, who daily bears our burdens. My God is a God who saves; from the Sovereign LORD comes escape from death.

Psalm 68:19-20

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

Psalm 23:4

Heavenly Father: I pray that out of your glorious riches you may strengthen me with power through your Spirit in my inner being, so that Christ may dwell in my heart through faith. And I pray that I, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge —that I may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

Ephesians 3:16-19

God fill me with the knowledge of your will through all spiritual wisdom and understanding. May I live a life worthy of the Lord and please him in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God, being strengthened with all power according to his glorious might so that I may have great endurance and patience, and joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified me to share in the inheritance of the saints in the kingdom of light.

Colossians 1:9-12