## Prayers for the week

Mon $24^{\text {th }}$ Loving God, we thank you for the world you have given us and all within that speaks of you. You have blessed us in so much. We thank you for all that is beautiful, all that causes us to catch our breath in wonderment. Thank you Lord.

Tues $\mathbf{2 5}{ }^{\text {th }}$ We thank you for family life, reminding us of the great family of your people to which we belong. You have blessed us on so much, our food, our clothes our homes, the comforts we enjoy. Thank you Lord.

Wed $\mathbf{2 6}^{\text {th }}$ Open our eyes to your presence around us, to your love that surrounds us each day. Speak to us through both the ordinary and the special things of life, and through them may we know you more fully and serve you more truly. Thank you Lord.

Thurs $27^{\text {th }}$ Loving God, we thank today that you are always with us, in the bad times as well as the good, the difficult as well as the easy. The sad as well as the happy. We thank you that, though we have sometimes been unsure of the way ahead, you have always been there to guide us. Thank you Lord.

Fri 28 $^{\text {th }}$ Loving God, we thank you that you are a God of love and compassion, slow to anger and full of mercy, a God of infinite patience, infinite goodness, infinite care, with infinite time for each one of us. We thank you that though we so often fail to make time for you, you always have time for us. Thank you Lord,

Sat $\mathbf{2 9}^{\text {th }}$ Loving God, we thank you that, though your faithfulness has so often been returned with faithlessness, your love so often met with rejection, and your purpose so often frustrated, you have not let us go. You continue to call us your children, delighting in our response, poor though it may be. Thank you Lord.

Sun $30^{\text {th }}$ Loving God, we thank you again today, for the fellowship we share in this church, for all it offers, all it means to us, and all the ways it enriches our love and enlarges our experience. We thank you for the experiences we have shared over the years and the bonds they have created between us. Thank you Lord,

