

Tuesday 1

Pray for the team from U-Turn who will tell those attending **Tues@10** this morning about “*U-Turn in Action*”; how homeless people in Cape Town are provided with meals, clothing, skills & work opportunities.

Wednesday 2

Pray for strength & energy for **Bishop Glenn & Sandy Lyons** as they still need to travel a lot & attend meetings before Synod in September. Thank God that they had an opportunity to take a break during the recent school holidays.

Thursday 3

Pray that as the **GWC students** come to the end of their studies at the College, God will guide those who **select & decide** where to place them in different churches.

Friday 4

Pray for those who attend the **Bible Club** on Fridays that they will have fun & at the same time learn about Jesus & how to live lives as Christians; for those who prepare to lead the children.

Saturday 5

Pray for **Graham, Nina, Emily & Nathan van Veen** as the new term begins; that they earnestly seek the Lord & trust Him as they go about their daily lives at work & school; for Graham to continue to preach the truth of God’s Word.

Sunday 6

Sometimes I wish everyone were single like me—a simpler life in many ways! But celibacy is not for everyone any more than marriage is. God gives the gift of the single life to some, the gift of the married life to others.

1Corinthians 7:7 [The Message]

Pray for the **Newcomers’ Tea**; that those attending will learn of what TCC is all about & enjoy fellowship with staff & each other.

Monday 7

Pray for the 4-day **Westlake Kids’ Outreach** which started yesterday. The children will hear the gospel through the story of Joseph. Please pray that many will accept Jesus as their Saviour through this programme.

Tuesday 8

Pray for complete healing for Jessica’s leg as she continues co-ordinating the **Moms’ Connect Tokai**; for all the moms & caregivers to relax together with their babies & toddlers, enjoying tea & cake.

Wednesday 9

NATIONAL WOMEN’S DAY

Don’t be concerned about the outward beauty of fancy hairstyles, expensive jewellery, or beautiful clothes. You should clothe yourselves instead with the beauty that comes from within, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is so precious to God.

1 Peter 3:3-4 NLT

Thursday 10

Please pray for protection for **Denzil & Debbie Abrahams** in their marriage; that they continue to trust the Lord as they minister together, caring for the sick & those who have pastoral needs.

Friday 11

Give thanks for the opportunity that our teens have to join together on Friday evenings at **Citizen Youth** where they have fun & fellowship & meet around God’s Word. Give thanks for their leaders too.

Saturday 12

Pray for the **CT Arise Adoption Conference** at TCC today; for God’s leading & wisdom for all current and prospective adoptive parents wanting to learn more about the core issues of adoption. For always having sufficient funding, so that **Arise** can continue the good work that they do with vulnerable children and families.

Sunday 13

And remember, if you were a slave when the Lord called you, you are now free in the Lord. And if you were free when the Lord called you, you are now a slave of Christ. God paid a high price for you, so don’t be enslaved by the world.

Each of you, dear brothers and sisters, should remain as you were when God first called you.

1 Corinthians 7:22-24 NLT

Monday 14

Pray for good fellowship & discussion as the **Women’s Reading groups** continue meeting during the school term to talk about the book, “*Pray Big*”.

Tuesday 15

Continue praying that the **Divorce Care** facilitators will be faithful to the Scriptures as they present each week’s session; for continued strength & health for them too.

Wednesday 16

Pray that **Oli, & Michael Temple** benefitted from a short holiday earlier this month. Thank God for the blessing of little Isabella’s 1st birthday.

Thursday 17

Pray for the **Men’s & Women’s Connect Groups** that meet in different homes throughout the week. Give thanks for the fact that they are able to be very open with each other as they are comfortable in the company of their friends.

Friday 18

Give thanks for **Brenda Beckett’s** return to work at TCC. Pray for God’s strength & wisdom as she continues to lead the Children’s Ministry.

Saturday 19

Pray for good fellowship at the annual **REACH Women’s Conference**, as women gather together from all over Cape Town to study the book of Habakkuk: “*Living by Faith in a broken world*”.

Sunday 20

Be careful, however, that the exercise of your rights does not become a stumbling-block to the weak.

1 Corinthians 8:9

Monday 21

Give thanks that **Jeanne & Mark Westgate** have had a holiday & pray that they are refreshed & ready for another term; that God would equip Jeanne & all the staff & strengthen them throughout the whole of the 3rd term.

Tuesday 22

Pray for our **staff** as they prayerfully spend time discussing the past weekend & planning ahead for the following week.

Wednesday 23

Pray for the **Family Central Connect Group** & give thanks for the convenience of all the families being able to meet at the same time & with their own age groups.

Pray, too, for the **Morning Central Connect**, meeting on Thursdays, enabling many to attend who don't want to be out in the evenings.

Thursday 24

Thank God that there are not only the Central Connects, but other **Connect Groups** available for all ages & stages of people; pray that God's Word will be studied & learned & that there will be great fellowship in all of these groups.

When I discovered your words, I devoured them.

They are my joy and my heart's delight, for I bear your name, O LORD God of Heaven's Armies.

Jeremiah 15:16 NLT

Friday 25

Pray that many men will have an opportunity to have fellowship with each other, around God's Word as they get together in Hermanus for a 2-day **Men's Retreat**; for the speakers Pete Smuts and Andre le Roux who will be speaking on lessons from Habakkuk: "*From Why to Worship*".

Saturday 26

Pray for many who suffer from varying degrees of **depression**; for doctors who need to give advice & prescribe medication if necessary.

Sunday 27

Yet preaching the Good News is not something I can boast about. I am compelled by God to do it.

How terrible for me if I didn't

preach the Good News!

1 Corinthians 9:16 NLT

Monday 28

Pray for the **Church Council** members, that they would all seek God's will & guidance as they manage the affairs of TCC.

Tuesday 29

Thank God for **Ros Kerr's** cheerful approach to all she does in Reception. She longs to be more disciplined in her prayer life & asks for prayer in this regard.

Wednesday 30

Pray for the monthly **Women's Craft Morning**, that there will be much fellowship & caring among those who attend.

Thursday 31

Praise the LORD!

Let everything that breathes

sing praises to the LORD!

Praise the LORD!

Psalm 150:1&6



Together, we serve to know Christ and to make Christ known for the glory of God.

Prayer Diary

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