#### Saturday 24

Pray for Felicity Wildschutte, Goodman Mcetywa, Mac Kanyoza & Wellington Salimoni as they work so hard keeping the buildings & gardens clean, neat & tidy. Give thanks for the help given to Felicity's son when his house burnt down.

### Sunday 25

This is what the LORD says: "Let not the wise boast of their wisdom or the strong boast of their strength or the rich boast of their riches, but let the one who boasts boast about this: that they have the understanding to know me, that I am the LORD, who exercises kindness, justice and righteousness on earth,

for in these I delight," declares the LORD.

Jeremiah 9:23-24

Jeremian 9:23-2

### Monday 26

Pray for the **Cape Area Council** meeting this evening, when all the local ministers get together to share their experiences, both of encouragement & challenge.

### **Tuesday 27**

Praise God that **Jesmine Kanyenda** is settling well into her role at TCC. Pray that soon she will be able to do 'one2ones' with some young ladies at church; that she balances both her Masters studies at GWC & work at TCC; that she has clarity regarding her research.

#### Wednesday 28

Pray that all those who attend the **Women's Craft Group** will enjoy friendship as they work together & share ideas about their different crafts.

#### **Thursday 29**

#### The Ascension of Jesus

When he had led them out to the vicinity of Bethany, he lifted up his hands and blessed them. While he was blessing them, he left them and was taken up into heaven. Luke 24:50-51 Pray for a meaningful time at the service this evening at 18:30.

#### Friday 30

Pray for spiritual renewal for all the **Women** who attend the **Retreat** this weekend; for Sandy Lyons who will be speaking on "*Growing Together*" & for warm fellowship to be enjoyed.

### Saturday 31

Pray for a great time of learning & fellowship at the **Children's Ministry Toolbox** workshop. Give thanks for the dedication of our teachers at Kids' Church.

These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Deuteronomy 6:6-7





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

# Prayer Diary May 2025

### **Thursday 1**

Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters. Colossians 3:23 On this **Workers' Day**, pray that everything we do should be done for God's glory!

#### Friday 2

Pray for safe travels & a wonderful time of fun, fellowship & great Bible teaching at the **Youth Camp** taking place over the next three days.

#### Saturday 3

Pray that **Glenn & Sandy Lyons** have a good time of rest as they have a break away and recharge before the next busy term; for God's comfort for the family as they mourn the death of Sandy's mom.

#### Sunday 4

He then began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests and the teachers of the law, and that he must

be killed and after three days rise again. He spoke plainly about this,

and Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. Mark 8:31-32 **Kaba Papy** gives thanks to God for His provision & strength to enable him & his helpers to do their duties at TCC. Pray for the signing of citizen certificates from Home Affairs to be speeded up!

#### Monday 5

Pray for God's wisdom for the **Church Council** as they meet tonight to discuss issues of importance before the AVM at the end of the month.

#### **Tuesday 6**

Pray for Dion Levendall, Cape Town Fire & Rescue Service, who will be speaking to the seniors at **Tuesday@10** on being a Christian in the Fire Service & on Safety in the home. The **Mom's Connect** are celebrating an early Mothers' Day – pray they will be made to feel special as they have time to relax with each other.

#### Wednesday 7

**Sandy Lyons** gives thanks to God for His faithfulness in the way He continues to gently deal with her & reveal more of Himself to her. Pray that God will give her wisdom & insight as she prepares the talks for the women's retreat; that He will speak to her heart first and that she will be encouraged & challenged as she prepares.

### **Thursday 8**

The Council on Higher Education is visiting the **Bible Institute** to ensure that the college is effectively fulfilling its mission & vision. Pray for a good visit today & for the success of their reaccreditation application in due course; for the Lord's blessings on **Pete & Dagi Smuts** as they serve on & off campus.

### Friday 9

Pray for **Kids' Club & Citizens Youth** as they meet every Friday during the school term. Give thanks for the many who attend, that they hear God's Word as well as having fun together with their friends.

#### Saturday 10

Pray for all the **Men** who attend the **Breakfast** this morning as they enjoy fellowship & consider the subject of *"The Battles Men Face – Mental Health"*.

### Sunday 11

Then the LORD reached out his hand and touched my mouth and said to me, "I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and kingdoms to uproot and tear down, to destroy and overthrow, to build and to plant."

# Jeremiah 1:9-10

Thank God for our parents, especially mothers on **MOTHERS' DAY**. Pray especially

for those who are single & have many challenges to face.

### Monday 12

Thank the Lord for his continued grace and blessing in **Graham**, **Nina**, **Emily & Nathan Van Veen**'s lives. Pray that the children will continue to grow in the Lord; for wisdom and grace as the family navigates this season of life.

#### **Tuesday 13**

Give thanks to God for providing TCC with the **finances** to help those in need as well as sufficient for the running of the church & slowly paying off the bond. Pray that everyone will be prompted to give generously.

And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased. Hebrews 13:16

### Wednesday 14

Pray for those who attend the **Foundations Course**, beginning tonight, that they will learn of the foundational truths of our Christian faith.

### **Thursday 15**

Give thanks that **Jeanne & Mark Westgate**'s son Paul has come from Munich for 5 weeks to spend time with them. Continue to pray that Mark regains his strength.

## Friday 16

Pray for energy for Wendy Phillips as she heads up **Carers Connect** this term. There are some new families joining & an exciting term is anticipated.

### Saturday 17

Give praise and thanks for blessing **Denzil & Debbie Abrahams** with 39 years of marriage & for good health through their lives. Pray for good time management and the right balance with Denzil's spiritual, personal, emotional & physical life.

#### Sunday 18

"Hear this, you foolish and senseless people, who have eyes but do not see, who have ears but do not hear: Should you not fear me?" declares the LORD.

"Should you not tremble in my presence?" Jeremiah 5:21-22

Pray that all **Newcomers** who attend the **Tea** today will feel most welcome & feel that they already belong to the TCC family!

Pray that there will be a sense of God's presence & unity at the **Annual Vestry Meeting** this evening; that God will have the people He wants on the Church Council.

### Monday 19

**Oli, Michael & Isabella Temple** are grateful for God's faithfulness & His sustaining grace through this busy season of life. Pray that Christ would be at the centre of all they do as a family; that they would learn to trust Him in times of uncertainty.

### **Tuesday 20**

Pray for **Wendy Phillips** as she oversees, plans, supports & leads Sunday Children's Ministry; that the teachers feel supported & helped in their service, teens are trained & the children enthused to follow the Lord.

#### Wednesday 21

Pray for strength & wisdom for **Tegan Duke** as she meets with & walks alongside our teens. Give thanks for the Youth Camp where she had the opportunity to spend a weekend of fun with the teens, whilst also growing together under God's Word.

### **Thursday 22**

**GWC** is offering an **Open Session** today to allow anyone who is interested in studying at the College to attend a lecture & join a chapel service. Pray for godly wisdom for the staff to advise & help those seeking to make correct decisions.

### Friday 23

Pray for both young & older men to attend the **Men's Partnership Breakfasts**, where they enjoy breakfast while reading & discussing God's word together.