

# NORTH PINE PRAYER & PRAISE POINTS

## November 19 to December 16

Dear Friends,

I love the seasons of the year. As we move from Spring into Summer we are reminded of God's faithful provision for his creation.

It is the same with the Church year. Each different season brings a new focus and a reminder of God's great salvation plan. Here at NPAC we are preparing for a new season in our Church life. After 22 years of leadership, Chris and Lynda are moving on to begin a new stage in their walk with Christ. How sad it will be to say goodbye but how wonderful to look back on those years and to recall the power of the Holy Spirit as we worked together as a community to achieve our vision.

Please join with me in prayer for Chris and Lynda as they face the challenges of moving to the Gold Coast next year and settling into a new ministry in March. Let us praise God for their time with us at St John's and for their dedicated leadership and guidance. Pray for them to be inspired and sustained as they take some Long Service Leave, and then return to pack belongings, settle affairs and arrange for new accommodation. Pray especially that they and their family will cope with the emotional impact of this move.

As we begin this time of transition please pray for Bishop Jeremy and our Parish Council to be given wisdom and guidance as they initiate the process of appointing a new rector for our parish. Pray for the swift appointment of a suitable locum to manage our ministry areas and to keep us focused on our Vision.

Change always brings with it a sense of trepidation so we need to pray for God to give us peace and a deep trust in Him to provide for our needs. In all things He is Sovereign Lord. Let us give thanks that He is faithful and that He will provide for this new season in our Church.

God bless,

Anne Kratzmann

DATE	TALK TO GOD ABOUT THESE THINGS ....
MONDAY <b>19</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for all who commit to <b>weekly prayer groups</b> - may they be inspired and focused in their intercessions</li> <li>for <b>St Paul's Yr 12 students</b> to look back on their schooling with thankfulness to God for their education within a Christian framework</li> <li>for our Church Family to trust God with their daily demands: June Vosper; Catherine Walker; Maree, Grace &amp; Reuben Walker</li> </ul>
TUESDAY <b>20</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for all our <b>Growth Group members</b> as they wind up their studies for this year - may they be inspired by what they have learned</li> <li>give thanks with <b>Bruce and Libby</b> that <b>Libby</b> has been freed up from some classroom time to do administration work</li> <li>for our Church Family to grow in their Faithfulness: Rhonda Watkins; Phyllis Watson; Dashe Wells &amp; Reno Pisanelli; Ralda Wicks</li> </ul>
WEDNESDAY <b>21</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for heartfelt worship at <b>10am Holy Communion</b> and for great fellowship at the <b>MU Christmas breakup</b></li> <li>for our <b>local SU Chappies: Dave</b> (Pine Rivers High), <b>Lindsay</b> (PR Special School), <b>Sonia</b> (Petrie SS), and <b>Tracey</b> (Dayboro SS)</li> <li>for our Church Family as they grow in Generosity: Dwayne &amp; Colleen West; Cam &amp; Karen Wilson; Isis Wilson; Judy &amp; Ivan Wilson</li> </ul>
THURSDAY <b>22</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give thanks for <b>generous donations to the Care Cupboard</b> and the opportunity to share Jesus' love</li> <li>with <b>Chris and Helen (Pt Hedland)</b> for the <b>Seafarer's Centre</b> to secure freehold title to its current site or for funding for a new location</li> <li>for our Church Family to grow closer to God in Prayer: Jeremy Wilson; Eileen Wittleton; Kelvin &amp; Trudy Woodrow; Jeff &amp; Dawn Acworth</li> </ul>
FRIDAY <b>23</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for <b>Nicole Cunneen</b> and the <b>mainly music team</b> to be a great outreach to young families in our community</li> <li>for generous giving to the <b>Archbishop's November Appeal</b> to resource <b>Aboriginal Ministry in Yarrabah</b></li> <li>for our Church Family as they trust in God's enduring love: Bruce &amp; Barbara Worthington; Peter &amp; Evelyn Wray-Brown; Alison Anstee</li> </ul>
SATURDAY <b>24</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for <b>Chris, Lynda and all who preach</b> to be inspired in their preparation for Sunday services</li> <li>give thanks with <b>Graeme and Susan (BCA Longreach)</b> for Susan's <b>chaplaincy work</b> at Longreach State High School</li> <li>for our Church Family to rely on God's timing: Paul &amp; Gayle Worthington; Graeme Aldom; Don &amp; Sharon Amos; Margaret Armitage</li> </ul>
SUNDAY <b>25</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for all attending <b>Alpha</b> tonight - may their hearts be open to receive Jesus as their Lord and Saviour</li> <li>for good fellowship and a time to make new friends at <b>Lazy Sunday Dinner</b> this evening</li> <li>for our Church Family to trust in God's faithfulness: Owen &amp; Margaret Anderson; Chris, Jenny, Emily &amp; Josh Anstee; Joan Baker-Winn</li> </ul>
MONDAY <b>26</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for those in our <b>Church Family</b> who are in need of healing to know God's healing love - please check E-News</li> <li>for wisdom and strength for the elected <b>2019 St Paul's student leaders</b> and for grace and peace for those not selected</li> <li>for our Church Family as they live by our Values: Sharon, Pete &amp; Lily Armstrong; Greg, Nerissa, Tahlia, Kyah &amp; Amarii Baines</li> </ul>
TUESDAY <b>27</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for all who have been <b>nominated for Parish Council</b> and for God to bless the <b>election process</b> for <b>Wardens &amp; Councillors</b> in 2019</li> <li>for generous support for the <b>Pine Rivers Care Network Christmas Hamper Appeal</b> - may many people be blessed by this outreach</li> <li>for our Church Family to grow in their love for Prayer: Dennis Balderstone; Claire Barrett; Peter &amp; Gayle Beard; Jean Beattie</li> </ul>
WEDNESDAY <b>28</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for God to guide us during this time of transition so that we will <b>maintain our focus on our Vision</b></li> <li>for <b>St Paul's International students</b> who are living and studying far from home - may they cope well with the cultural challenges</li> <li>for our Church Family as they entrust their lives to Jesus: Michael, Donna, Bailey, Corbyn, Kaleb, Roman &amp; Castiel Barlow; Joan Bird</li> </ul>
THURSDAY <b>29</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for God to raise up new <b>leaders for NPAC ministries</b>, and to bless and guide the process to find a new <b>Incumbent</b></li> <li>for <b>Helen (Pt Hedland)</b> facing health problems - for <b>God to bring healing</b> of nerves and the muscles controlling breathing</li> <li>for our Church Family to be renewed as they read the Bible: Lorna Beattie; Sarah &amp; Elise Bennett; Clare &amp; Colin Birditt; Leonie Bond</li> </ul>

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FRIDAY <b>30</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for many young people to attend <b>Sound</b> this evening and for <b>Graeme</b> and the <b>Youth Team</b> to be blessed in their ministry</li> <li>for our <b>local SU Chappies: Troy</b> (Beachmere SS), <b>Sharon</b> (Tullawong High School) and <b>Marie</b> (Dakabin High School)</li> <li>for our Church Family as they seek to love Jesus &amp; others: Dylan Blocksidge; Ralph &amp; Sylvia Bowles; Beryl &amp; Daphne Box</li> </ul>
SATURDAY <b>1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for <b>Liturgical Assistants, Readers and Team Prayers</b> to be inspired in their preparation for Sunday worship</li> <li>for <b>students and staff at St Paul's</b> who identify as believers - that their light would shine</li> <li>for our Church Family to feel God's presence through worship: Shirley Bretherton; Alicia, Matthew &amp; Harrison Brough; Noelene Brown</li> </ul>
SUNDAY <b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give thanks for this <b>Season of Advent</b> and for the joyful hope that King Jesus, our Saviour, <b>will come again</b></li> <li>with <b>Graeme and Susan (BCA Longreach)</b> for <b>Susan's studies</b> - that she will manage assignment work &amp; continue to do well</li> <li>for our Church Family to trust in God's healing power: Wilma Brown; Alex &amp; Raiha Browning; Paul &amp; Bec Browning; Meryll Cahill</li> </ul>
MONDAY <b>3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for our <b>Ministry Leaders</b> as they finalise their ministry areas and prepare <b>ministry reports for 2018</b></li> <li>give thanks for <b>St Paul's RAVE classes</b> and <b>Chapel services</b> where God's word is being shared on a regular basis</li> <li>for our Church Family as they seek to grow Disciples: Steve, Melanie, Mattie &amp; Savannah Burtle; Meryll Cahill; Joy Cardwell</li> </ul>
TUESDAY <b>4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for those preparing for Christian Marriage in 2019: <b>Kevin and Caroline, Will and Sharn, Brad and Millie</b></li> <li>for loving fellowship and inspiring worship at the <b>Inverpine Service</b> today</li> <li>for our Church Family as they share Jesus' love: Joe, Fely, Rukudzo &amp; Tana Chapeyama; Jean Chapman; Philippa Christie</li> </ul>
WEDNESDAY <b>5</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give thanks for the dedication and talent of all our <b>musicians and singers</b> - may they inspire us to praise God</li> <li>give thanks with <b>Bruce &amp; Libby</b> that <b>Bruce</b> could take part in a <b>DAI Facilitator's Retreat</b> in Kathmandu and for ministry possibilities</li> <li>for our Church Family modelling their lives on Jesus: Yvonne Chapman; Marj Churchyard; Pat &amp; Cathy Clark; Bruce &amp; Kay Coates</li> </ul>
THURSDAY <b>6</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for the Holy Spirit to encourage us to give <b>Christmas invitations</b> to our families, our friends and our colleagues</li> <li>with <b>Graeme and Susan (BCA Longreach)</b> to be blessed in their Christmas preparations especially <b>Carols by Candlelight</b> events</li> <li>for our Church Family as they entrust their daily lives to Jesus: Barbara Cook; Bob &amp; Barbara Cooke; Lyn Cooper; Alison Dash</li> </ul>
FRIDAY <b>7</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for wisdom and discernment for <b>Chris and the Wardens</b> whenever they meet</li> <li>with <b>Chris and Helen (Pt Hedland)</b> for the <b>Seafarer's Centre</b> to receive ongoing financial support</li> <li>for our Church Family to show Jesus' love to others: David, Julie, Ben &amp; Freya Crooks; Ross &amp; Nicole Cunneen; Jill Cutlack; Bob Day</li> </ul>
SATURDAY <b>8</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for all who <b>contribute to hospitality</b> or who are <b>welcomers</b> at Sunday services - may their service bless others</li> <li>for <b>Graeme and Susan</b> to have <b>safe travel</b> as they <b>travel long distances</b> throughout the region and while on holidays</li> <li>for our Church Family to be uplifted as they love Jesus: Evan &amp; Maureen Davies; Carol Davis, Greta Dawson; Paige Deifel-Carlino</li> </ul>
SUNDAY <b>9</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give thanks for all involved in <b>Children's Ministry</b> and may there be great fun and enjoyment at <b>Kids Church Breakup</b></li> <li>for <b>Bruce and Libby</b> as they connect with visitors to the Centre - that they can <b>inspire and encourage</b> people to provide support</li> <li>for our Church Family as they learn more from the Bible: Nikki &amp; Pierre Demandolx; Destyn &amp; John Dennison; Nic De-Vitry;</li> </ul>
MONDAY <b>10</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for good discussion and wise decision making as <b>Parish Council</b> meets this evening</li> <li>for <b>St Paul's School</b> as they make plans for their <b>ninth annual Outreach to Vanuatu</b> in 2019</li> <li>for our Church Family as they grow in fellowship with others: Chris, Claudia, Anton &amp; Amelia De-Vitry; Peta Dixon; Jo Draper</li> </ul>
TUESDAY <b>11</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give thanks for the outreach of the <b>Furniture Ministry</b> and for all who have been helped because of generous donations</li> <li>with <b>Bruce and Libby</b> for a quick renewal process for <b>Bruce's visa</b> as this has impacted on his ability to run his own clinic</li> <li>for our Church Family to worship joyfully: Joyce &amp; Graham Duncan; Geoff, Frances, Eliana &amp; Charissa Dutton; Peter &amp; Glenda Ebert</li> </ul>
WEDNESDAY <b>12</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for a great night of entertainment at the <b>Classic Christmas Concert</b> presented by the <b>Hall Family</b></li> <li>for <b>John Naumann (Tanzania)</b> to be blessed with good health and for ongoing financial support for the <b>Amani Centre</b></li> <li>for our Church Family to know the presence of Christ: Steve &amp; Diane Eldridge; Di Evans; Hazel Fealy; Deanne Frew; Maree Gardner</li> </ul>
THURSDAY <b>13</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for many <b>new people</b> to be encouraged to <b>come to our Church this Christmas</b> - may they hear the good news about Jesus</li> <li>with <b>Chris and Helen (Pt Hedland)</b> for God to raise up a <b>Senior Chaplain</b> for the <b>Seafarer's Centre</b> to be able to visit ships in port</li> <li>for our Church Family, growing in their Prayer lives: Alicia, Shaun, Hailee &amp; Chloe Foley; Jill Garvey; Alma Gibb; Gary &amp; Kathy Gillies</li> </ul>
FRIDAY <b>14</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for all in our <b>Church Family</b> facing this Christmas without a loved one - may they find comfort and solace in Jesus</li> <li>for <b>Graeme &amp; Susan (BCA Longreach)</b> to have perseverance, resilience &amp; inspiration in a region that is physically and spiritually dry</li> <li>for our Church Family to encourage others to be Biblical: Helen &amp; Gary Gilliland; Maureen Gilliland; Nick &amp; Gail Goodwin-Smith</li> </ul>
SATURDAY <b>15</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for many families to come to <b>Christingle</b> so that they can hear about Jesus</li> <li>with <b>Bruce and Libby</b> for the ongoing <b>chapel building work</b> at Green Pastures and for the right person to head up <b>Pastoral Care</b></li> <li>for our Church Family in their quiet times with God: Rachael, Nathan, Charlotte &amp; Christian Goldstiver; Dave, Sarah &amp; Sim Gover</li> </ul>
SUNDAY <b>16</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give thanks for <b>Chris &amp; Lynda</b> and for <b>their ministry over the last 22 years</b> - may they be greatly blessed in their new assignment</li> <li>with <b>Chris and Helen (Pt Hedland)</b> for shipping agents to allow <b>ill or injured seafarers</b> to access Australian medical services</li> <li>for our Church Family as they serve: James Gover; Matt Gover; Craig &amp; Michele Graham; Joan Graham; Nigel &amp; Ros Grant</li> </ul>