Daily Prayer Calendar: WK3 – 9 to 15 June.

Welcome to week 4 of 40 Days of Prayer?

Please remember to use these notes as a start and allow God to guide your prayers. This means you will need to listen. It will also help us all if you add to the feedback walls in each of the churches – what is God saying to us? Please share what you believe God wants us to hear. If you lose this sheet a copy is available on our website or daily on the church Facebook page.

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| Monday 9th |
| Luke 18:13  "But the tax collector stood at a distance and dared not even lift his eyes to heaven as he prayed. Instead, he beat his chest in sorrow, saying, 'O God, be merciful to me, for I am a sinner.' (NLT) |
| Tuesday 10th |
| Today pause and be still before the Lord.  Quietly asking God to reveal himself to us and to help us grasp his desires for ministry in the Wakatipu. |
| Wednesday 11th |
| William Carey – the Baptist pastor and father of modern missions said this:  “Expect great things from God. Attempt great things for God.”  Ask God what you can expect from him – ask God for the boldness to attempt what he puts before you. |

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| Thursday 12th |
| As the Fifa World Cup kicks off in Brazil we thank God for the joy and life lessons of sport. We pray for those players of Christian faith that their witness will be clear and effective and that they be enabled to play to the glory of God. Help us to use this time to help people understand that the greatest goal in life is knowing Christ. |
| Friday 13th |
| 1 Timothy 4:7-8  “Have nothing to do with profane myths and old wives’ tales. Train yourself in godliness, for, while physical training is of some value, godliness is valuable in every way, holding promise for both the present life and the life to come.” |
| Saturday 14th |
| Our forebears worked hard and gifted us with buildings from which to share God’s Word. Yet today we find ourselves asking questions: how best to use those buildings for God’s ministry today. And as we consider St Margaret’s and St Andrew’s we must ask if what we have is serving us well for today and will into the future. |
| Sunday 15th |
| Come away from rush and hurry to the stillness of God’s peace; from our vain ambition’s worry, come to Christ and find release. Come away from noise and clamour, life’s demands and frenzied pace; come to join the people gathered here to seek and find God’s face. (from a hymn by Marva Dawn)  Pray also for Rev Chris Tweddell – new vicar installed at St Peter’s Anglican Church tonight. |

Through all this week: be still and know your God.