



Wycombe  
**YOUTH  
FOR CHRIST**

# **4 Weeks of Prayer 2021**

**18<sup>th</sup> January - 14<sup>th</sup> February**



## Wycombe Youth For Christ

We are a dynamic and innovative Christian faith-based charity that has been working with children and young people in High Wycombe for over thirty-five years. We are passionate about Jesus and making a real difference to the lives of those we work with.

### Why 4 Weeks of Prayer?

Prayer is vital to the Christian faith and Jesus models for us the best way to pray. Prayer demonstrates a reliance on God and a faithful trust in Him in all circumstances.

We have held a strong emphasis on prayer since we were established and we are aware of the faithful support we receive from you, and the local Church in this. This is our fourth year of running 4 Weeks of Prayer; we dedicate this time to focus on God through worship, prayer and listening to His voice.

This year we are specifically seeking God's leading for the journey ahead; to earnestly seek Him, and ask for His leading for us and the ministry that He has given us. Reflecting on the passage:

*'Of Issachar, those who had understanding of the times, to know what Israel ought to do ...'*  
*1 Chronicles 12:32 NIV*

We would be blessed and encouraged if you can join with us in prayer, privately and corporately, over the next 4 weeks.

Thank you; God Bless

# Prayer Meetings

Throughout this season of prayer, we shall be meeting together (virtually) for times of worship and prayer. Please feel free to join with us during these times; details are below:

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> January - 9.00-9.45am

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> January - 7.15-8.00pm

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> January - 9.00-9.45am

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> January - 7.15-8.00pm

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> February - 9.00-9.45am

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February - 7.15-8.00pm

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> February - 9.00-9.45am

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February - 7.15-8.00pm

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> February - 9.00-9.45am

Due to the current circumstances and to give everyone opportunity to join with us, these meetings will be taking place via Zoom. You can access any of these meetings with the following details:

Web address: [www.zoom.us/join](http://www.zoom.us/join)

Meeting ID: 829 4179 2694

Password: Prayer

We look forward to seeing you at any (or all!) of these meetings.





## 18<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> January: Online Ministry

As a result of the circumstances of the last year we were able to spend part of our time focus on our online presence through our website and social media platforms. This has been a great opportunity for us to connect directly with children, young people and families.

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> January: Mental Health** - We have produced resources to support children and young people. Please pray that these resources would provide useful tools in looking after their wellbeing.

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> January: Digital Mentoring (via Zoom)** - Pray that it would be a blessing and support, and that God would grant wisdom as we seek to support each young person.

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> January: The Zone @ Home** (online children's club) - Please pray that this would be a blessing to families, and it would help them grow in their understanding of God and His love.

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> January: Vitalise** (online discipleship series) - Pray that the videos and blog posts would be a source of inspiration and encouragement to young people in their walk with Jesus. Pray that CU leaders would feel supported and equipped through the accompanying session plans.

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> January: Easter Eggs-plained** (Easter resource) - Please pray for all the planning, filming and editing of this, and that through this resource children would connect with the events of, and meaning of Easter.

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> January: Wisdom** - Please pray that we would have wisdom in balancing our online ministry as face-to-face opportunities restart.

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> January: Gospel** - Pray that our website and social media channels would be sources of hope, and where young people see the impact Jesus can have, in their lives.



## **25<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> January: Children's & Youth Work**

2020 has enable us to consider new ways to connect directly with children, young people and families and the result has been a variety of new projects.

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> January: Digital Mentoring** - Pray that young people would access this support, if we are unable to meet face to face or visit schools.

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> January: Mental Health** - Pray for protection for children and young people and their mental health; pray that they would be able to access the help and support where necessary.

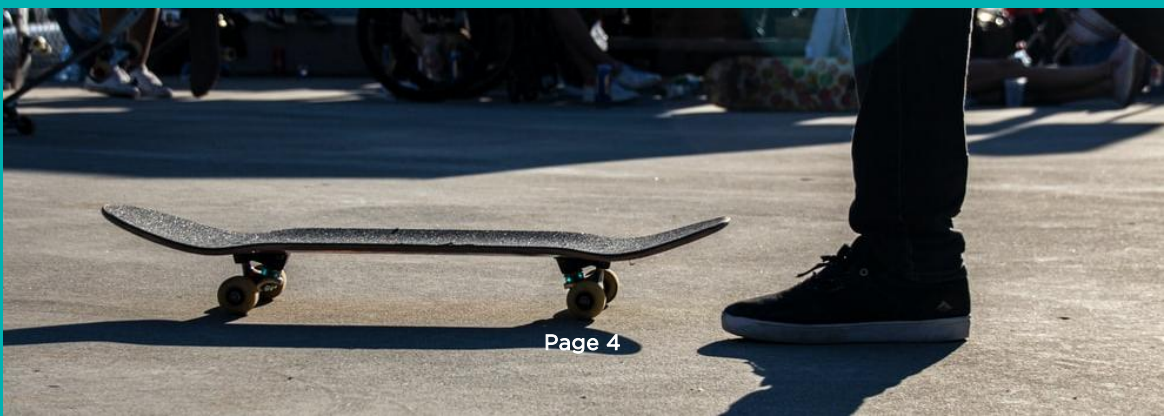
**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> January: The Zone @ Home** (online children's club) - Thank God for the opportunity to engage with families and pray for engagement from children and families to discover Jesus.

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> January: Parenting Course** - Please pray that we would know God's leading in running parenting courses for schools and families over this coming year.

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> January: Detached Youth Work Project** - Please pray for wisdom and discernment as we set up this project to connect and support young people where they are.

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> January: Gospel Creativity** - Pray for new and creative ways for us to meet young people to share the good news of Jesus. Pray that young people would know there is hope in Jesus.

**Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> January: Wisdom** - Please pray for all those working with children and young people, for wisdom and discernment as we seek to support them.





## 1<sup>st</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> February: Schools Ministry

Our ability to work and support schools is increasing, and we are privileged to continue to support schools and students in a variety of ways.

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> February: Workshops & Lessons** - Pray that students will have fun as they learn more about God and ask questions and deepen their understanding and faith.

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February: Assemblies**- Pray for God to guide us as we lead assemblies and shine the light of Jesus; pray that there would be openness to hear the message that we bring.

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February: Mentoring** – Pray for God to give wisdom and discernment as we support children and young people; that relationships will be strengthened, and trust developed with each one.

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> February: Christian Unions** – Please pray for increased favour as we run and support CU's. Pray that these would be an opportunity to explore the Christian faith, and that God would strengthen and encourage Christian young people.

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> February: Church Partnerships** – Please pray for strengthening networks and partnerships with churches in supporting schools, children and young people.

**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> February: New Opportunities** - Pray for God's leading in opening doors into new activities and new schools, and deepening relationships with staff and students.

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> February: Schools Ministry** – Please pray in all our ministry, that we would sow the seeds of love and faith; that we would continue to commit each child and young person into God's hands.

## **8<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> February: Relationships**

Strong relationships are a key factor to the ministry. We are committed to seeing all our relationships, including schools, students, churches and supporters grow and flourish this year.

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> February: God** - Pray that our relationship with God would grow stronger and deeper, and we would rely on him for all that we need.

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> February: Schools** - Pray that God would help our relationships with staff in each school to grow, enabling his work to flourish in each and every school we work in.

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February: Children & Young People** - Pray that we would continue to have good and strong relationships with children and young people; that they would see God in us and grow in their relationship with Him.

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February: Churches** - Please pray that God would bring opportunity to support and draw close to local churches.

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February: Supporters** - Please pray God would bless our supporters, for all the time, prayer and financial support they give. Pray that they know how vital they are to our ministry.

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> February: Wycombe YFC Team** - Pray God would continue to bless the relationships in the team, that we would complement, support and encourage each other.

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> February: New Relationships** - Please pray for God to continue to provide new contacts in all areas of the ministry over the coming year.





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