



Daily Prayers – Week of December 30, 2024

GATHERING

Leader: Train me, O God, to walk with you;
then I will follow your true path.

**People: Put me together, one heart and mind,
then, undivided, I will worship with joyful praise.**

A SONG OR PSALM

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Leader: Let us offer a sacrifice of praise. Thank you, God, for....

..... We are grateful for what you have given, Generous Lord,
for what you are providing, and for what you will do.

People: Amen.

SCRIPTURE

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray for those who are in need....

.....Eternal God, give us such grace and generosity
that this day we may bring your love and peace and joy
to the lonely, the troubled, the grieving.

**People: Help us by your Spirit
to recognize your presence with us throughout the day,
that we may do what is good
in the name of Jesus Christ, our Redeemer. Amen.**

BLESSING

Leader: May the love of the Triune God surround you and guide you this day and all days.

People: Amen.

Monday

For the members of our congregation: Mendi & Valdis Kruze; Bessie Kudjoe; Ian Malone

For those listed on prayer request cards: The Hand Family – for Sean O’Hara who is going into hospice. Evan Cahoon – for Ange Cahoon.

For our missions: Bread ‘n’ Bowl; Mid-North Food Pantry; Farmers Market

For our ministries: Alternative Worship; Children’s Council; Youth Group; Youth Council; Young Adults; Sunday School Classes; Discipleship & Formation

For this local community: Mapleton Fall Creek Neighborhood; Butler-Tarkington Neighborhood

For Central District Churches: Southport; Speedway; St. Andrew; St. Luke; St. Luke Midtown

From the United Women in Faith Prayer Guide: Angel Raza, scholarship recipient at Kinnaird College for Women, Pakistan

For the Nations Around the World: Stateless people

Our church staff: Joan Barclay; Pat Cavanaugh; Becca Choate

Tuesday

For the members of our congregation: Patrick Malone; Rory Malone; Linda Mansfield

For those listed on prayer request cards: Safe travels to all and warm beds and refuge to those without homes tonight. Sandra Brown – for Marilyn Leatherman; Larry Nelson – illness; family.

For our missions: Umoja Project; Constructing our Future

For our ministries: Board of Directors; Board of Trustees; Finance Committee; Staff-Parish Relations Committee

For this local community: Butler University; Meridian-Kessler Neighborhood; Crown Hill Neighborhood

For Central District Churches: Trinity; Union Chapel; University; University Heights; West Newton

From the United Women in Faith Prayer Guide: Grassroots International, Boston, MA

For the Nations Around the World: Stateless people

Our church staff: Tosha Christie; Darren Cushman Wood; Mark Gilgallon

Wednesday

Happy New Year!

For those listed on prayer request cards: For Alice Shoemaker. For all those who are traveling in the upcoming weeks. The Ceruti Family – for mixed status families; undocumented people; vulnerable immigrants and children; the Kotian Family and their status; Sue Wood.

For our missions: Coburn Place; Indiana Women's Prison

For our ministries: Mid-North Shepherd's Center; Mission and Outreach Ministry; Justice & Advocacy Ministry; Green Team

For this local community: School #43; MLK Center

For Central District Churches: Willow Branch; Abundant Vida Nueva; Acton; Avon; Barnes

From the United Women in Faith Prayer Guide: Church World Service, Washington, D.C.

For the Nations Around the World: Stateless people

Our church staff: Heather Hinton; Danita Hoskin; Jeff Linnan

Thursday

For the members of our congregation: Joni Fleck & Tony LaFata; Jerry & Kathy Hacker; Kevin, Allison, Tamene & Dagim Harrott

For those listed on prayer request cards: For the families of the murder victims. Safe travels for Nathon & Carson as they return to their adult lives; healing for Jay's back. Philip Coons – for John Grudzien – illness, hospital.

For our missions: Family Promise; Indiana Justice Project

For our ministries: Care and Nurture Ministry; Ministries Council; Hospitality Team

For this local community: Damien Center; IYG; Raphael Health Center; Trinity Haven

For Central District Churches: Beech Grove; Bethel; Bradley; Bridgeport; Broadway

From the United Women in Faith Prayer Guide: House of Mercy Orphanage, Mexico

For the Nations Around the World: Stateless people

Our church staff: Karena Lofton; Linda Mansfield; Shelia Rains

Friday

For the members of our congregation: Brian & Leigh Hurst; Sandra & Bill Kurker

For those listed on prayer request cards: For the Cushman Family. For all those who are struggling with addiction and are in need of the grace of God.

For our missions: Stewardship Team

For our ministries: United Women in Faith; Worship and Arts Ministries

For this local community: Indiana Justice Project; Mapleton Fall Creek Development Corp;
Near North Development Corp

For Central District Churches: Brownsburg Calvary; Indianapolis Calvary; Carrollton; Castleton;
Centenary

From the United Women in Faith Prayer Guide: Ganta United Methodist Hospital, Liberia

The Bishop and District Superintendent: Bishop Tracy S. Malone, Aleze Fulbright

For the Nations Around the World: Stateless people

Our church staff: Nancy Ricketts; Jennifer Tavitas; Brandon Wallace