



# Prayer Letter

As we come to pray for the work of Keychange, it is encouraging to focus on the God to whom we are praying. I am attending a church housegroup series of studies on Prayer and the first study has this emphasis:

***‘Sovereign LORD, you have made the heavens and the earth by your great power and out-stretched arm. Nothing is too hard for you.’ Jeremiah 32:17***

***‘God is light; in him there is no darkness at all.’ 1 John 1:5***

***‘Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from the will of your Father.’ Matthew 10:29***

***‘The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.’ Psalm 145:18***

## ELDERLY CARE, HOSTELS & OUTREACH ...

### Alexander House, Wimbledon (Care Home)

- Give thanks to God for the enquiries made to Alexander House and pray that we will continue to enjoy a full house.
- Pray for the local churches who have supported the home well over the years. May volunteers continue to be encouraged.
- Pray for safety in our neighbourhood and good relations with our neighbours as our residents are often out for a stroll in the local community.

### Cressingham House, Wallasey (Care Home)

- Praise God for the involvement of the local church, St James with Emmanuel, and the success of a recent outing.
- Pray for contacts around the area as we seek to welcome more people into the care and support of the team at Cressingham House.

### Door of Hope, London (Outreach to street sex workers)

- We give thanks to God for sustaining and providing for us so far, and for the changes we have seen in the women.
- Please pray for spiritual and emotional protection for

staff and volunteers.

- Pray for the women: for their health, for freedom from their addictions, and that they will leave prostitution and be able to start new lives.
- Please pray for the children of some of the women we work with, particularly the babies, most of whom are ending up in foster care.
- Pray for the financial sustainability of the project.

### Erith House, Torquay (Care Home)

- Give thanks that the home is attracting some respite clients.
- Praise God for the lovely environment and the happy atmosphere among the residents.

### Esther Community, Exeter (Homeless Hostel)

- Please continue to pray for funding for Esther.
- We are planning a Christmas Fete on 26th November which will include fundraising and the housemates will be involved in helping with this day.

### Fair Havens, Southampton (Care Home)

- We thank the Lord for the new facilities that we are now using here at Fair Havens following the refurbishment.

### Jubilee Cottage, Lytham St Annes (Sheltered Accommodation)

- Please pray for the continued health of all the tenants at Jubilee Cottage.



- We pray that the vacant flats will be sold to the people who are looking for the caring and safe environment that Jubilee Cottage can offer.

#### **Mount Eventide, Plymouth (Care Home)**

- Please pray that two new members of staff who have joined the team will settle well.
- Some residents have recently moved on to nursing homes, leaving a number of vacancies to fill.

#### **Rahab, Plymouth (Outreach)**

- Praise God for his love for the women we work with and for the freedom and transformation he offers. One woman recently professed faith in Christ.
- Pray for more women to attend the jewellery workshops.
- Please pray for the Rahab team members to remain humble and to desire servant hearts.
- Pray that the Power Point presentations on the work of Rahab will bring fruit, both spiritual and financial.

#### **Romans, Southwick (Care Home)**

- We give thanks for Romans Care Home coming on board and pray that they will soon feel part of Keychange.

#### **Rose Lawn, Sidmouth (Care Home)**

- We give thanks for some happy celebrations and events recently, including a 106th birthday!
- We would like to pray for our vacant rooms to be filled.

#### **Rosemary Mount, Worthing (Care Home)**

- We give thanks for Rosemary Mount Care Home coming on board and pray that they will soon feel part of Keychange.

#### **Rosset Holt, Tunbridge Wells (Care Home)**

- Praise God for those staff at Rosset Holt who are always prepared to go the extra mile. This has reduced our need for agency staff a great deal.

- Pray that our empty rooms will soon be filled.
- Please pray for our residents, some of whom are now very frail.

#### **Sceats, Gloucester (Care Home)**

- We would like to pray for peace of mind for those who are troubled.
- We give thanks for a well-attended and helpful residents and families meeting.

#### **Walmer House, Torquay (Care Home)**

- We have one vacancy that needs to be filled, but give thanks for many enquiries.
- Give thanks that the residents are in fairly good health.
- We praise God for two new staff who have recently been inducted.

#### **Wayside, Reigate (Homeless Hostel)**

- Please pray for truth and righteousness to triumph within the hostel and throughout the resident group.
- Pray for the staff as they endeavour to follow the Lord's leading.
- Pray for the salvation of many souls through the work of Wayside.

#### **Head Office—Staff & Trustees**

- We give heartfelt thanks to God for our prayer and financial supporters.
- Please pray for wisdom and discernment for the trustees and management team at the Board meeting and Strategic Planning meeting—both in November.



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