LOCAL PRAYER DIARY WEEK BEGINNING 30 JUNE

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles. Acts 2:42-43.

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Sunday 30 June Trinity 5	Pray for the children whose parents are required to work on Sundays and don't have family time together.
Mon 1 July	Pray for the young people who are finishing school that they may have Godly direction and protection for the future.
Tues 2 July	Pray for opportunities to speak about your faith in conversation with others. Pray that the Holy Spirit will give you the right words.
Wed 3 July	Pray for the Lord's blessing on the Church's ministry in the schools that the children and young people will want to know more about Jesus.
Thurs 4 July	Pray for the Lord's direction to use our votes wisely in the general election today.
Fri 5 July	Pray for those families in food poverty that they may receive the provision that they need. Pray for the Food Bank and the Food Hub that they may have all the resources that they need.
Sat 6 July	Pray for the Lord's protection over all the social activities taking place in Wem and the surrounding villages. Pray for a positive community spirit.

Almighty God hear the prayers of your people for those with whom we share our lives and on whose work we depend. Be with those who mourn, the lonely, anxious, or distressed and grant your grace and strength to all whose work is essential or places them at risk. This we ask through Christ our Lord. Amen

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our needs before we ask and our ignorance in asking; have compassion on our weakness and give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.