

Prayer Diary – 19th April 2024

Today we pray for the climate. Creator God, we pray for climate justice across the world, and for the grace required for it. We pray for communities facing the brunt of the climate crisis, experiencing extreme weather, unpredictable years and instability. God, give them strength.



CARE

World Mission

CARING FOR OUR PLANET

Lord, we pray for effective ways to be found to reduce the appalling waste of one third of all food produced globally, in the UK 9.5 million tonnes a year – while millions struggle to afford to eat. Please bless projects that redistribute surplus food to charities, foodbanks and other organisations. In Jesus' name. Amen.



Nathan Forbes

Friends International - Dundee

There are 82,440 International Students in Scotland and many come from countries where it is not easy to find out about Christianity. Friends International want to give as many international students as they can a great time here, chances to experience real local culture, and opportunities to hear the Christian message. Friends International activities are open to those of all faiths and none.

Friends International equips churches and volunteers to serve, minister, and engage with international students, caring for them holistically. They also organise a range of social events and activities for international students to be a part of. Nathan Forbes (who attended Viewfield with his family) has now enough funding to be able to work for Friends International in Dundee for 3 days a week.

Please give thanks for the finance that has been made available for Nathan to start. Please pray for Nathan as he starts in this new role at the end of April and as he looks for somewhere to stay, a Church to be involved with and other part time work to supplement his income. Do pray for the Dundee team dynamics as Nathan joins them. He will work with Ruth Farquhar (Centre Team Leader) and Qiqi (Reach Trainee)



Give thanks for the various SU Holidays that took place over the Easter Holidays.

Pray for each young person who has attended an event this Easter. Pray that they will be excited to attend other SU events. Pray for those who have made decisions to follow Jesus, or to read the Bible more or get involved in their SU group or attend a Church or Youth Group. Pray that God will protect and nurture the seeds that have been sown and that any fruit would bring glory to Him.

Prayer Opportunities

Community Outreach Prayer (includes Vision & Evangelism): **Monday 6th May @ 2pm, Centre**

Praying for the Leadership Team (Band of Prayer): **Monday 20th May @ 7:15pm, Centre**

World Mission Prayer: **Monday 22nd April @ 7:30pm, Sun Room**

After Service Prayer: **Sunday 28th April (following Tea & Coffee after the Morning Service in the Sanctuary)**

If you have any suggestions for prayer topics then please email: david.stewart@viewfield.org.uk