

## **The Viewfield Community**

As a Church Fellowship we have these Core values:

- A missionary community
- A loving community
- A discipling community
- A worshipping community
- · A serving community

To put the Core Values into action we have these Ministries:

- Children & Families
- Discipleship
- Fellowship

- Mission
- Pastoral Care
- Prayer
- Support

This is the prayer we used to affirm our commitment to the Core Values

We exist to enable people to become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ.

We are called to be a worshipping community, offering all to God in prayer.

We are called to be a missionary community, making known the redeeming love of God.

We are called to be a discipling community, helping one another to grow in Christ.

We are called to be a loving community, sharing the hospitality of God's kingdom with all. We are called to be a serving community, graciously giving from all God has given us.

Creating and redeeming God, we give you thanks and praise. Your covenant of grace was made for our salvation in Jesus Christ our Lord. We come to covenant with you and with our companions in discipleship: To watch over each other and to walk together before you in ways known and still to be made known.

Pour down your Spirit on us. Help us walk in your ways that the promises we make, and the lives we live together, may become an offering of love, our duty and delight, truly glorifying you, Father, Son and Spirit.

We give ourselves to the Lord and to each other, to be bound together in fellowship, and to work together in the unity of the Spirit for the sake of God's mission. Amen



As well as asking for donations from individuals for the Project Fund (Softplay, Sensory Room and Community Cafe and AV upgrade) we are looking to raise funds from Trusts and

other grant awarding bodies. David Cochrane is heading this up.



Give thanks that two sums of money have been offered so far and this shows that people outside the church acknowledge the worth of the project. Please pray:

- that those who judge our appeals will think them worthy of financial support and at the same time, perhaps see the church of Christ more positively.
- For wisdom for David as he puts all the paperwork together for the requests. There are often a large number of documents to compile.

Monday 4th April @ 2pm – Community Outreach Prayer Time in the Centre, more information: cop@viewfield.org.uk





## Weekly Prayer Diary – 1st April 2022



Heavenly Father, hear our prayers for our brothers and sisters in Ukraine.

Lord we ask for peace for those who need peace, reconciliation for those who need reconciliation and comfort for all who don't know what tomorrow will bring. Lord may your Kingdom come, and Your will be done. Lord God, we ask for you to be with all – especially children who are suffering as the crisis in Ukraine deteriorates. Lord for those who are anxious and fearful. For those who are bereaved, injured or who have lost their lives. And for those who have lost loved ones. Lord hear our prayers.

Lord, we ask that decision makers hear Your voice. Parents protecting their families – deciding whether to stay or leave. Church leaders as they support and comfort people. And Lord we ask for wise actions from global leaders - who have the power not only to start wars, but to stop them too. *PRAYER FROM WORLD VISION* 

## <u>Ukraine Refugees – Vision Romania</u>

Maria Putator in Romania, who owns and operates Casa Harului, where the Vision Romania respite camps take place has reopened to take in Ukrainian families



Give thanks that the Centre has been able to reopen quicky to give Ukrainian families a safe place to stay in the short term. Please pray that the families will get rest and recuperation. Pray for on-going repairs to the building and for sufficient income to cover repairs and running costs. (you can give at:

<u>justgiving.com/campaign/VRUkraine</u> or use the QR code.



Scripture Union Residential Easter Events begin this weekend. Give thanks that most of the places have been taken up.

## Please pray for

 all those who are preparing to welcome young people to their events in the next few weeks.

- gaps in teams to be filled
- the urgent needs for cooks as a number of had to pull out due to needing to self isolate.