# Springfield church prayer calendar April 2024

"Prayer should be our first response not our last resort "

### Information is for prayer, may change post publication

Please be praying for **ONE OR MORE,** of these different activities that God would bless with His presence.

Please do let Wendy know if you get any words or pictures when you are praying for a specific activity and she will pass it on.

Thank you so much for praying

		REGULAR ACTIVITIES (not all weekly)	
	Springfield	Community	Springfield Involvement
	reaching out	groups	
	Morning Service/		
	Children & Youth/		
Sun	The 7 (X2 a month)		
		Mentoring (Carol and	
Mon		Anna)	Monday Meet
			6 Guys/
	M&M/	Oasis/	Evergreen/
Tue	T&T	Women's refuge	Group with no name 2wkly
			Staff meeting/
		Mentoring (Luke)/	Men's connect/
		Wednesday Welcome/	Family connect (2x a month)
Wed		Premiere Lifeline	Jesus group.
			Encounter (2 wkly)/
Thu	Springers		Wellspring (2 wkly)
Fri	IDK – hangout	Oasis	Café 11
Sat			

M&M = Meal and Meditation

T&T = tea and toast

IDK – I don't know – youth hangout

MP&PC PM = Mission Partners & Persecuted Church prayer meeting -

http://springfieldchurch.org.uk/updates-23/

https://www.opendoorsuk.org/persecution/world-watch-list/

Work being done on Vanguard way Kitchen so no groups until end of April – please pray all goes smoothly. This affects - M&M T&T P&P

1st April	Mon	Bank Holiday, MP&PC PM
2nd April	Tue	Easter Break
3rd April	Wed	Easter Break
4th April	Thu	Easter Break, Foodbank (Diane)
5th April	Fri	Easter Break
6th April	Sat	
7th April	Sun	Lend us your ears evening prayer event St Pauls
8th April	Mon	Easter Break
9th April	Tue	Easter Break
10th April	Wed	Easter Break
11th April	Thu	Easter Break, Foodbank (Peter & Roisin)
12th April	Fri	Easter Break / Street Pastor (Peter S)
13th April	Sat	Street Pastor (Gina S)
14th April	Sun	
15th April	Mon	Schools go back
16th April	Tue	
17th April	Wed	
18th April	Thu	
19th April	Fri	Street Pastor(Wendy)
20th April	Sat	
21st April	Sun	
22nd April	Mon	
23rd April	Tue	
24th April	Wed	
25th April	Thu	Foodbank (Roisin)
26th April	Fri	
27th April	Sat	Church leadership Vision meeting
28th April	Sun	
29th April	Mon	
30th April	Tue	

For those who were Baptised Easter Sunday

**Lend us your ears** - As we prepare for the new term we are gathering for a time of listening and prayer. This is a particularly important moment to be seeking God before the church leadership meets at the end of the April, to try and discern what God is saying about His vision for the year ahead. This evening is an opportunity for the whole church to be part of the vision process, building upon our listening for the church profile last year.

## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*Springfield reaching out\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

**IDK (Youth Hangout)**- Luke and a team run a weekly, term time, Friday gathering for years 5-9. Please pray for this group who meet at the Phoenix Centre on Fridays after school for an hour. (Team –Luke, Nick, Jan, Emma, Madeline)

**M&M - Meal & Meditation** A Tuesday group run in conjunction with Roundshaw Community Network which includes games, crafts, bring and share meal, a time of meditation based on a Bible verse and an opportunity to ask questions and request prayer.

MP&PC PM - Mission Partners and Persecuted church prayer meeting – <a href="http://springfieldchurch.org.uk/updates-23/">http://springfieldchurch.org.uk/updates-23/</a><a href="https://www.opendoorsuk.org/persecution/world-watch-list/">https://www.opendoorsuk.org/persecution/world-watch-list/</a>

**Springers** – carer and toddler group run by Luke, Chris Peterkin, Elizabeth Silcock, Margaret Boardman, Yvonne Patey, Jane Prince. – meet at Crusader Hall Wallington.

**Sunday services with children and youth activities -** Mini Church, Road Runners and Fluorescent.

**Tea and Toast** -an afterschool activity run by Springfield for parents with primary school children. (team—Luke, Grace, Jules, Emma, Jenny Nash, Natalie, Tara, Mary B)

## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*connecting with other community activities \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

**Assemblies**- Luke does assemblies and RE days at Foresters, St Elphege's and Wallington Primary. Nick White (NW) in conjunction with Sutton Schools Work leads a number of assemblies in various Primary schools in the local area.

**Mentoring** – Luke, Anna D and Carol Driver mentor a child each for an hour each week of term-time at Foresters school.

**Oasis** - a number of people in Springfield volunteer in Oasis Christian book shop Wallington/ serving and supporting those visiting the shop.

**Premier Lifeline** – Jim Dimock part of team answering the phone to anyone who calls. Offering a listening ear and support to those in need.

#### **SUTTON COMMUNITY WORKS -**

**Foodbank and Community Foodshop** —Peter S, Diane and Roisin help at the Foodbank at St Michael. Gina S helps at The Community Foodshop in the St Nicholas Centre.

**Street Pastoring** -Peter, Gina and Wendy go out once a month with other Street Pastors – Caring, Listening, helping.

#### **Sutton Schools work -**

**Wed. Welcome** - Newly arrived **Asylum seekers & refugees**...helpers - Rosie Edser & David & Mary Bowen every week. Do talk to them to find out more