

# Oasis Prayer Diary

## August 2010



1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday	<b>Take time to thank God</b> for all that he has been doing in and through Oasis. For his leading and guiding. For his strengthening and equipping. Most of all for lives being touch and transformed through his amazing love.
2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Alpha Nurture Group.</b> Please pray the group continuing to meet each Monday following the last Alpha course. Thank God for them and pray that he will draw them on in their journey with him. Pray too for those who drop in to the church simply because the doors are open.....
3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Songs of Praise.</b> Please pray for those who attend this popular service that they may meet with God as they come together to worship week by week. Pray too for June and the team who lead, that they may know God leading, anointing and empowering
4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Building Staff.</b> Our recent training with MIND highlighted afresh the real need to care for the carers. Please pray for the building staff as they meet together to share and pray for one another
5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Friday Eucharist.</b> Lord please be at work in the midst of this faithful community as they meet tomorrow and each Friday. Please meet with them and enable them to live and work for your praise and glory. Please bless and anoint Andrew as he leads
6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Street Angels.</b> Take time to pray for the Street Angels who will be out this evening and every Friday (on a rota basis). Pray that they would know God's leading and guiding and that those they meet would see the light of God's love shining through them
7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Debenhams Chaplaincy.</b> Take time to pray for each one of the staff at Debenhams. Thank God for calling Sandra Hall to take on this ministry and pray for her as she visits week by week to listen, support and care.

8 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	As Oasis seeks to share the love of God in many different ways, we are very aware that we are engaged in a <b>spiritual battle</b> . Please pray that day by day we will be 'strong in the lord and his mighty power' (Ephesians 6:10). May he continue to be at work in us and through us.
9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Footprints.</b> This group takes a break this month but please pray for those who continue to meet on an informal basis. Some may be finding it a difficult month, missing the support which the group provides. We pray that they will continue to know God's love and support.
10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Mall Chaplaincy.</b> Thank God for the invitation to provide a chaplaincy to the staff at the Mall. Pray for Andrew as he starts to take on this role visiting regularly to pray, care and support the staff. May he know God's leading, guiding and enabling
11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Praymates –</b> As Praymates takes a break this month, pray for those who usually come and especially for any who are missing the support that this group gives.
12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Thursday Eucharist.</b> Lord we ask that you would be at today's service and bless all those that attend. May they worship You the only true and faithful God.
13 <sup>th</sup>	Thank God for the faithful ministry of our <b>bellringers</b> under the leadership of Alan Rix and pray for them, especially as they ring regularly for Songs of Praise. May people continue to be drawn in through their ministry
14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Saturday Coffee Bar.</b> Pray for all who work in the coffee bar on Saturdays. Ask God to be with Patrick Colbert as he leads the team and ministers to those in need.
15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	<b>Take time to praise God and thank him for all his goodness and grace.</b> Pray for each person who comes into contact with us through the ministry of Oasis that they may see and experience something of his love and grace
16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Foodbank.</b> Thank God for the ministry of the Foodbank, supplying food to people facing difficult times. Pray that God will bless, enable and empower Kingsborough Family Church as they lead this initiative and for the Foodbank ministry in the coffee bar during the week on Monday and Friday

17 <sup>th</sup>	<b>CTU Ministers meet to pray.</b> Thank God for the relationships of trust which have begun to build as a number of CTU ministers have been praying together each month. Pray that God will lead, guide and bless their time together today.
18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Bucks Nursing Centre.</b> Pray for Joy as she pursues this chaplaincy at the nursing training centre. Although it has started out as a 'virtual' chaplaincy, ask God to open doors to enable good and lasting relationships to be built that will extend his Kingdom
19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Staff Holidays.</b> Several of the building staff are taking holiday over the course of this month. Thank God for all the service they give and pray that, as they spend time away, they will know real rest, refreshment and renewal
20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Coffee Bar Development Group.</b> We thank God for the ministry of the coffee bar, but recognise that the redevelopment which enable this ministry is now 20 years old. Please pray for the coffee bar development group (June, Carrie, Chris Green, Patrick Colbert and Mark Skinner) as they explore where God may be leading us in the future.
21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Outreach Pastoral Workers.</b> The people who come to the church on a daily basis to talk have a variety of pastoral needs. Pray for Tina Rapson, Shirley Hills and Patrick Colbert as they minister to people, that through the work of the Holy Spirit in their lives they would be able to connect with people, pray for them and offer appropriate support.
22 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	<b>Speak Lord in the stillness.</b> Take time to listen to God and ask him what he wants to say about the work of Oasis. Please do let us know of anything you sense him saying.
23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Praymates –</b> As Praymates takes a break this month, pray for those who usually come and especially for any who are missing the support that this group gives
24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Assisted Shopping Day Planning.</b> It is mid August, but the team working on planning the Christmas Assisted Shopping Day in late November are meeting today. Please pray that God will lead, shape and direct.

25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Weekday Coffee Bar.</b> Thank God for the ministry of the Oasis Coffee Bar and for the many different people who visit. Take time to pray for those who will come this week and for Carrie and the team of volunteers who serve. May each one know and experience something of the love of God at work in their hearts, minds and lives .....
26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Chaplaincy to Police.</b> Take time to thank God for all the police in Hillingdon Borough and to pray for them. Pray too for June as she visits the police at Uxbridge and Ruislip police stations and for Wyn Price as he visits Hayes police station. Ask God to use them in miraculous ways that show His presence and love.
27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Chimes Chaplaincy.</b> Take time to pray for each of the staff at the Chimes and for Peter Lillystone as he visits. Lord please be in the middle of every conversation, drawing people to your love.
28 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Eucharist with Prayer for Healing.</b> Lord thank you for your healing love. Please draw people today to the Friday congregation and touch them with your healing love
29 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	As we recognise the <b>spiritual battle</b> we are involved in, please continue to pray that God's name will be honoured and glorified in all that we are and all that we do. May we stand firm in the armour that he supplies.
30 <sup>th</sup>	Lord we pray for each one of our clergy this month, that they may find the rest they need to be able to recharge their batteries and hear your quiet word leading them forward.
31 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Chaplaincy at Civic Centre.</b> Lord we pray for the many staff who work at the Civic Centre. May they know your leading as they seek to serve those in our community. We pray especially for the Christians there that you would shin your light in them and through tem day by day. And we continue to pray for Shirley Hills as she serves as chaplain, visiting week by week.