



## PRAYERNET

Hope Whangārei has a confidential prayer network where 25+ people are committed to pray for people in need. It is centralised through the main office. An important aspect of PrayerNet is that the person being prayed for must have given their consent.

If you have a prayer need please contact the office :

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If you are willing to commit to pray for others and would like to join the network, please contact the office.





# Prayer Calendar



## December 2022



| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday  | Friday  | Saturday   |
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|   |  |  |   | 1<br>  | 2<br><b>God's promises</b><br>The Lord is my light and my salvation; so why should I be afraid?<br>The Lord is my fortress, protecting me from danger, so why should I tremble? (Ps 27: 1)  | 3<br><b>Missions</b><br>Please pray for Marion Roke and her family as they have Dave's funeral today. We also give thanks to our Lord for the contribution that Dave made to our church and our community. |
| 4<br><b>2nd Sunday in Advent</b><br>Father we pray that we can celebrate your coming with gladness. We also pray for renewed appreciation of your sovereignty and your plan for our world. | 5<br><b>God's promises</b><br>Let's give thanks that when we are overwhelmed and stressed Jesus promises to give us respite and rest. (Matt. 11: 28)   | 6<br><b>Missions</b><br>Please pray for <i>Elaine H</i> our inner city chaplain and her team as they set up the new ministry at the court-house opposite the church.   | 7<br><b>Our Church</b><br>Please pray for our council as they gather for their prayer night and seek God's guidance for the church.   | 8<br><b>Missions</b><br><b>Sulis B:</b> <i>For prayer:</i> Please pray for security in Indonesia during Christmas and New Year & for no tension with Islamic believers. That the Father guides the government with the rebuild after the Java earthquake. | 9<br><b>Missions</b><br><b>Hân P:</b> <i>For praise:</i> That the Lord is providing for her needs in tough economic times. For prayer: That Hân can be faithful even in small things, so that she can say like Jesus: <i>"My food is to do the will of Him who sent me and to finish His work"</i>          | 10<br><b>Our Church</b><br>Please pray for our church council as the members plan the future of the church and the way that the church will continue in these Covid times.                                 |
| 11<br><b>3rd Sunday in Advent</b><br>Today we pause for a moment to think about what we anticipate the most eagerly about the birth of Jesus.  | 12<br><b>Our Church</b><br>We pray for the Father's blessing on Kris and Howard as they celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary today, and that their relationship continues to deepen.     | 13<br><b>God's promises</b><br>Yes, my soul, find rest in God; my hope comes from him. Truly he is my rock and my salvation; he is my fortress, I will not be shaken. (Ps. 62: 5 - 6)  | 14<br><b>Our community</b><br>Please pray for all those who work in emergency services during a really busy time of the year.   | 15<br><b>Whangārei</b><br>Let's pray for the peace and prosperity of our city and for the Father's blessing on it. (Jer. 29: 7)   | 16<br><b>Missions</b><br><b>Shane &amp; Helen B:</b> <i>For prayer:</i> For the students & staff at HOPE school Siem Reap. It closes permanently today. For the Cambodian churches using all of December to preach the Christmas story in the rural villages. For safe travels as the family returns to NZ. | 17<br><b>Our Church</b><br>Please pray for a successful event with the "Carols on the Grass" gathering at Hope Tikipunga this afternoon/ evening.  |
| 18<br><b>4th Sunday in Advent</b><br>Today we pause for a moment to think about peace and promises made about Jesus bringing peace to an unhappy world.                                    | 19<br><b>Our Church</b><br>Please pray for Howard and Kris as they take some leave and spend time with family, that this will be a good break and a refreshing one.                          | 20<br><b>Our community</b><br>Please pray for the students and teachers in Whangārei as schools finish after another year and the anxious wait for results continues.  | 21<br><b>Our Church</b><br>Please pray Lorne as he takes on the Christmas services and the church services in January while others in the team are away.                                  | 22<br><b>God's promises</b><br>The Lord works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed.<br>Ps. 103:6   | 23<br><b>Hanukkah</b><br>The miracle of Hanukkah is of God's preserving power. Because God keeps His promises, He will save and sustain Israel and all those who call upon His name through faith in Christ Jesus.  | 24<br><b>Christmas Eve</b><br>Lord please help us clear our minds to remember the prophecies foretelling your coming since time began.   |
| 25<br><b>Christmas Day</b><br>Lord please bless the families in our church today. We especially ask your love and blessings on those who have had loss or grief this year.                 | 26<br><b>St. Stephen's Day</b><br>We think of Stephen the first martyr, and pray that we too will not be afraid to say what we believe in. We pray for all believers being persecuted today. | 27<br><b>Missions</b><br><b>Stephanie H:</b> <i>For prayer:</i> That the students strengthen the Kingdom in their homes and communities during the break. For the protection of the school and the staff as there've been robberies in the area. | 28<br><b>God's promises</b><br>"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jeremiah 29: 11 | 29<br><b>Missions</b><br><b>Sulis B:</b> <i>For prayer:</i> Please pray for friend G who wants to know Christ but can't because of her family. May the LORD lead Sulis to be able to serve her.   | 30<br><b>Missions</b><br><b>Stephanie H:</b> <i>For prayer:</i> For safe travels for staff going on leave. That the father will bless those who are coming to the Bible School for retreats and conferences.  | 31<br><b>New year's Eve</b><br>Thank you Lord for bringing us through 2020. Thank you for making all things new. We put you at the centre of our lives as we enter a new year.                             |