

Please pour out Your Holy Spirit and move us all to consider Your Word that brings light and direction, giving us a Rock to stand on. Give us wisdom to do what we must, for Your Glory and the good of all... and keep us all in your care.

Loving God, just as you inspired St Luke in the gospels, inspire all modern doctors with skill, professionalism and compassion for their patients. Enable them to cure the ills of both body and spirit that afflict so many in our day. Be their guide, strength, wisdom and hope.

And as we pray for medical workers, we think of those around the world, where resources and protective equipment are always in short supply, not only now but always. May these extraordinary times lead to deep and necessary changes in how our world works, resulting in a genuine effort to address the profound injustice of life expectancy being determined by geography, to awaken us all to the reality of how connected we all are and to work together to create the community and world we all want to be part of.

Give encouragement to those who work in care homes and day centres for elderly and sick people, and for those carers who look after family and friends in their own home. Thank you for the many charity organisations who raise money and provide supportive services to help. We pray for all finding their life painful, lonely or uncertain, especially those who are ill or vulnerable. Help them to sense your comfort in times of need and bless their families and carers. We pray for all those who are struggling in their lives. Those who are enduring financial hardship at this time...bring them the hope of an end to their worries and a resolution of their difficulties. Show us the best way to help those who suffer, without being intrusive but without simply turning away from their pain either.

Heavenly Father, We pray for all those named here on the Prayer List and those known only to us. Lift them high on eagles wings. Fill their minds with Your peace and truth and cover their hearts with hope. Protect them always and may they feel safe and secure beside You. Walk with them through each moment. Be their strength when they feel weak, be present in their dark times and when they need comfort. Help them to rest, to lie down when they need to and allow others to take the strain.

Throughout this hard time, may they know our love for them but most of all, Your healing love for them. In Jesus' Name Amen.

#### **Prayer for a Renewed Heart.**

*Source: Ambrose, d. 397*

O Lord, You have mercy on all.  
Take away my sins,  
and mercifully kindle in me  
the fire of Your Holy Spirit

Take away my heart of stone and give me a heart of flesh,  
a heart to love and adore You, a heart to delight in You,  
to follow and to enjoy You, for Christ's sake. Amen.



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Please update us about anyone for whom you have requested prayer.

Please remember to give thanks for answered prayer.

Thank you for using our Prayer List.

If you would like to add anyone to our list please

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Ramoan and Culfeightrin

## **Parishes of Ramoan and Culfeightrin Prayer List February 2021**



**“Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving present your requests to God.” -Philippians 4:6**

## Please pray for:

Eleanor, Sheila, Bridie, Siobhan M., Alan and Stella, Elaine, Jim, Sarah, Dominic, Sean, Kate O'Connor, Leah Greer, Barbara, Louise, Julie, Ruth Page, Vonnie, Hazel, Ruth, Ashleigh Gaston, Charlie, Daniel, Margaret, Paul, Irene, George, Alan, Matthew Patton, James & Margaret, Helen, Jean & Family, Karen, Dan, Baby Milo, Alex, Dave, Claire M., Marion & Family, Shauna, Jean, Emma, William, Una, Ernest, Baby Abel Campbell, Malachy, Amy, Leah, Eileen, Craig, Bertie Watson, Peter, Judith, Jennifer, Chris, Janice, Bernie McAfee, Martin Gillen, Siobhan, Tom and Kathleen, Jerry, Margaret & Sam, Maureen, Charles, Anne McQ, Jude, Philip & Jackie, Margaret Williamson, Tara, Maud, John McNeill, Margaret S., Celine, Annie, Paddy, Diana McC, Lena, Irene Mc, Meghan Rea, Anne F, Alan Tompkin, Chris Hill

Let us walk by faith into the coming year, giving thanks to God for His compassion and righteousness. Entering the New Year focused on blessings and gratitude helps us draw closer to God and stay focused on His promises. No matter what the past year brought, God is wanting to use it to increase our faith. As we pray, may these prayers truly inspire us in the renewing of our hearts and minds. To quote Watchman Nee (1903-1972) Chinese Church leader & Christian teacher:

*"Our prayers lay the track down on which God's power can come. Like a mighty locomotive, His power is irresistible, but it cannot reach us without rails."*

*"Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours." ~ Mark 11:24*

O God,  
Your days are without beginning  
and without end.  
We dedicate this coming year to You.  
Give us such prosperity as You know is good for us,  
and make us strive to do whatever is pleasing to You;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Father,  
Thank You for Your great love and blessing over our lives.  
Thank You that Your favour has no end, but it lasts for our entire lifetime.  
Forgive us for sometimes forgetting that You are intimately acquainted with all of our ways;  
that You know what concerns us, and You cover us as with a shield.  
We ask that we would walk in Your blessing and goodness today.  
That Your face would shine on us.  
That You would open the right doors for our lives and for our loved ones.  
That You would close the wrong doors and protect us from those we need to walk away from.  
Establish the work of our hands and bring to fulfilment all that You have given us to do in these days.  
We pray that You would make our way purposeful and our footsteps firm out of your goodness and love.  
Give us a heart of wisdom to hear Your voice, and make us strong by Your huge favour and grace. In Jesus name, Amen.

Dear God,  
Give me wisdom from Your truths.  
Fill me with a desire to faithfully follow after You, more than anything else.  
Thank You that You are far greater than whatever I may face in the day.  
Thank You that Your presence goes with me.  
Thank You that Your joy is never dependent on circumstances, but it is my true and lasting strength.  
I ask for Your peace to lead me and for Your grace and goodness to cover my life this day.  
Let Your Spirit and power breathe in me and through me again, fresh and new, in Jesus Name, Amen.

Heavenly Father,  
I know that You are all-powerful,  
that You are Sovereign,  
and that nothing is too difficult for You.  
Yet today, I still struggle with worry and fear;  
still carrying the same burdens leftover from yesterday.  
It's hard to shake it off even though I'm desperate to leave it fully in Your hands.  
Please lift all the things that are weighing me down, right off my shoulders and heavy heart, and give me the peace that only You can provide.  
I know that You care for whatever concerns me, and Your ears are open to my prayers.  
I know that You understand my struggles, and You see right where I am, even on the days, I feel that no one notices.  
Guard my heart and mind in You today, as I meditate on Your words and truth, in Jesus Name, Amen.

Loving God,  
Strengthen my innermost being with Your love that bears all things, even the weight of this global pandemic. In these times of isolation, when we are apart from loved ones, distant from friends and away from neighbours, thank you that there is nothing in all of creation, not even coronavirus, that is able to separate me from your love.  
And may your love that never fails continue to be shared through the kindness of strangers looking out for each other, For neighbours near and far all recognising our shared vulnerability, each of us grateful for every breath, and willing everyone to know the gift of a full and healthy life.