

## **PRAYER TIME NOTES FOR: 4th August 2019**

Collect: Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow: though our faith is small as mustard seed, make it grow to your glory and the flourishing of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **Deanery Prayers: [For St John's, Fareham.]**

We have invited the deanery to join us in giving thanks for giving thanks:

For our recent highly creative "Big 24-hour Prayer Sleepover" and for the stimulating, York study course "Praise him".

For the conclusion to the latest phase of the LYSIG development which identified our priorities as: Youth and Children's Work; establish a regular Alpha-type course; and the CMA Connect, Fareham, money advice centre.

We request prayers for : The appointment and funding for and appointment of a Youth and Children's Worker .

For the desire of Christians Together in Fareham to set up a shelter for the homeless for the cold months of January and February 2020 . Please pray: for God's guidance and for the right venues to be offered; for the the core working team & for willing volunteers; for funding & for a smooth path through all the legalities; and for the people currently on the streets.

**St John's Mission of the month: [The Leal family serving with Operation Mobilisation (OM)]**

As OM's ship, Logos Hope, visits Brazil from mid-August- the final country on its Latin American tour, the Area leaders are planning for next year as we move into a phase of preparing and sending many new missionaries to the least-reached. Ask the Lord to grant wisdom and unity to the leadership team, and that will seek and receive God's guidance.

### **Prayer for our discipleship:**

Lord Jesus Christ, help us to walk the journey to which you have called us, keeping faith in your saving purpose. When we grow weary, revive us; when we go astray, direct us; when we lose heart, inspire us, and when we turn back, reprove us. Amen.

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