

## PRAISE AND THANK GOD FOR...

- **S**, a precious man who is also a drug addict who, with tears, professed faith in Jesus in August.
- **A**, a single mum who also professed faith in August.
- **B**, who professed faith in July... but at time of writing, is not so sure.
- **Amanda** – a long-time member of the church family who is joining the staff team in a voluntary capacity to help lead our ministry amongst women.
- An encouraging Bible Overview last term attended by over 30 people and which helped the church family to get more of the big picture of the Bible.
- Nine young people who attended Christian youth camps in August.
- Thirteen people whom we have met through our 'Road to Recovery' addictions ministry. They have all heard something about Jesus, and some are still coming!
- An encouraging and helpful Elders away day at the end of August.

## PRAY FOR...

- **S** (see above) meeting with Pete each week to read the Bible. Pray that God will help him to overcome his addiction to drugs and that he will be well enough to come to church each week.
- **A** (see above) to get established in the church and to have the courage to tell her wider family (whom she believes will be hostile to this change). Meeting up each week with Helen. Pray for her as she works out what living for Jesus will mean in her life, and also for her three boys.
- **B** (see above) also meeting up with Pete... to be really persuaded that Jesus is the Way, the Truth, and the Life, and that he cannot know God apart from Jesus. Please pray that his sister (**A**) would also come to church.
- **Youth and children's groups** as they restart for the new term.
- **The Road to Recovery**
  - for more people to come, and for God to be at work saving more precious souls – the poor, lowly and outcast – for himself.
  - For wisdom caring for those with addictions (**A, N, L**), and for God's protection as we do so.
  - For **M, J, C, J, J** – who have all talked about coming (and who need to come) but have not yet shown up. Pray for God's Holy Spirit to be at work in them.
- **Harvest school assemblies** coming up in October
- **Remembrance Sunday Guest Service** (10 November)
- **Christmas outreach Guest Services** (22 December) - 10.30 Family Carols; 6.30 Carols by Candlelight – please pray that the church family will be bold in inviting others and that many would come, hear the good news and believe in Jesus.
- For God to revive his church in Kendray – that we would delight afresh in Jesus, and live for him more wholeheartedly to the glory of God in the wider community.
- For men at StAK to get really serious about the things of the Lord (as many of the women are) and to want to live with integrity, purity, gentleness, servant-heartedness – that we may be more like the One whom we follow, and that others will be drawn to Him.
- For our Sunday sermons and midweek Growth Groups as we learn from the book of Nehemiah.



Thank you so much for your prayers.

With love from us all,

*Pete, Sharon, Ben, Rosie & Sam*

NOT TO US, O LORD, NOT TO US, BUT TO YOUR NAME BE THE GLORY,  
BECAUSE OF YOUR LOVE AND FAITHFULNESS. PSALM 115:1