







#### Organisation Prayer Prompts, Together For Ipswich and Ipswich in Prayer weblinks

#### BEAM - https://www.beam.support/

- Practical voluntary support for IT and website issues.
- Female Volunteers to mentor birth mothers
- Female Volunteers to help run online wellbeing groups

Contacts: rachel@beam.support or cherie@beam.support.

## CYM - https://www.c-y-m.org.uk/

- Schools and groups to be excited by our new activities at the Vauxhall Christian Trust campsite, and book in!
- Positive conversations and outcomes regarding funding of School Chaplains for the next academic year
- Our new office hub being created at Vauxhall. Builders are commencing work in January and we hope to be working from our new 'home' by Easter.

## Family First - https://www.familyfirst-uk.org/

- Thanks to God for continuing to bless us over the year and enabling us to grow as a charity
- Prayer that He would continue to stir people's hearts to come forward and volunteer with us
- Prayer that we may continue to build a team to manage our fundraising and networking events allowing us to focus on supporting families while still growing our presence
- Prayer for God to continue to bless and strengthen families through our visiting.

## Footsteps - https://www.footstepswwy.org.uk/

- Please pray for children and young people struggling with their mental health.
- Please pray for our team of counsellors, trustees and volunteers that God will give us the wisdom and insight we need to help support vulnerable young people and their families.
- For finances to enable us continue providing counselling to 8-25 year-olds and families.

#### Selig - https://selig.org.uk/

- The search for partner churches for the Hope into Action homes that we run in Ipswich. We need partner churches for two of our homes. Each home is occupied by two tenants. Partner churches provide befriending volunteers, prayer support and practical support.
- Give thanks for all that God is doing to grow our work. We are in the midst of transforming our night shelter. We are in discussions about new Hope into Action homes. We will be recruiting new staff in the coming weeks / months. Exciting!
- All the organisations involved in addressing the housing crisis locally. The increased cost of living is exacerbating the lack of affordable homes especially for single people and/or people on lower wages.

#### St. Thomas Pilgrim Community

- Pray for visionary ideas for enabling local people to discover the joy of sharing in Christian Community
- Pray that Christian Communities will powerfully demonstrate a compassionate, hope filled, and loving way of life that enriches the lives of all

Open Evening on January  $30^{\text{th}}$  at 7pm at St Thomas church.

Contact: 07733 151348

# Talitha Koum - https://www.talithakoum.org.uk/

- May the Lord continue to bless the work of TK at the Hope Centre.
- Prayers for women who have lost their homes; lost contact with their families and friends and are vulnerable because of their life events.
- Prayers that God's love will be known to those who are lonely, in need of support, care and a place to live.





# Town Pastors - http://ipswichtownpastors.org.uk/

- Town Pastor ministry is highly valued by those enjoying a night out, the venues and the police praise God.
- We are in serious need of people to fulfil this calling pray to the Lord of the Harvest to send workers.
- We need Pastors on the streets and supporters praying at home ask God how you and your church fellowship can be part of his work in Ipswich.

#### TWAM - https://www.twam.uk/

- New Volunteers in our centres and remote roles as we continue our 5 year growth plan
- The provision of financial support during the cost of living crisis
- Protection on the health of our volunteers who tend to be of the older age brackets during the difficult winter months e.g. re: flu and Covid

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Together for Ipswich – for more information go to https://www.togetherforipswich.uk/

## **Ipswich In Prayer key links**

IIP website **signup page** to get regular emails - <a href="https://ipswichinprayer.co.uk/signup">https://ipswichinprayer.co.uk/signup</a> (or select "Get Involved/Signup" from the website menu bar)

**Monthly Prayer focus** - <a href="https://ipswichinprayer.co.uk/prayer-focus">https://ipswichinprayer.co.uk/prayer-focus</a> (or follow the link from the Home page introduction to this new initiative)

IIP Bank details - <a href="https://ipswichinprayer.co.uk/donate">https://ipswichinprayer.co.uk/donate</a>
(or select "Get Involved/Signup" and then "Donate" from the website menu bar)
Acct name: Ipswich in Prayer, Bank: Barclays, Sort code: 20-16-12, Account No.: 53195503

## <u>Ipswich In Prayer related Events</u> – go to <a href="https://ipswichinprayer.co.uk/events">https://ipswichinprayer.co.uk/events</a>:

IP Prayer Breakfast - Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February – sign up via the Events page

Ukraine Prayer Vigil – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February 5.30pm (anniversary of the outbreak of war)

Crown Him Follow on prayer – **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March** 7.30pm

Big Prayer walk – weekend of 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> May





#### <u>Good News for Everyone</u> - <a href="https://goodnewsuk.com/">https://goodnewsuk.com/</a> (formerly The Gideons)

- Pray for fruit in the lives of many who have received New Testaments and HOPE Gospel magazines.
- Pray that staff in local Primary and Secondary schools will see the benefits of offering Discover Magazines and New Testaments to their students.
- For new people to join us in presenting Scriptures to people in our local community.

#### Inspire Counselling - https://www.inspirecounselling.org.uk/

- More Volunteer Counsellors.
- More Volunteer Receptionists.
- More financial stability enabling change and growth.

#### <u>Inspiring Ipswich</u> - <a href="https://www.cofesuffolk.org/inspiring-ipswich">https://www.cofesuffolk.org/inspiring-ipswich</a>

- Please give thanks for so many wonderful answers to prayer over the last year, especially with regard to our new clergy
- Please pray for more opportunities for all of us to share our faith
- Please pray for those who are currently exploring faith that they would be drawn nearer to Christ every day.

## <u>Lightwave</u> - <a href="https://www.lightwave.community/">https://www.lightwave.community/</a>

- A wave of God's light and love across Suffolk through the activities of our Lightwave groups (from warm spaces to gospel choirs).
- Those coming to faith that they will grow in discipleship and love, richly rooted in God's word.

## Home for Good (Suffolk) - https://homeforgoodsuffolk.org.uk/

- Our new monthly Play and Craft groups starting January May they be a blessing to families in the Bury St Edmunds and Lowestoft areas.
- The planning of and participation in our upcoming fundraising events in February/March
- New volunteers for our Ipswich based Teens group and stay and play group for Foster Carers and Special guardians