

February 20th – February 26th

- Mon** Families and professionals caring for the sick and elderly
- Tue** Elders in their leadership roles exercising responsibility
- Wed** Guide Thinking Day – for what do you want to thank God?
- Thu** Families of hostages as they wait and worry about loved ones
- Fri** The work of the Cambodian Hope Organisation
- Sat** Support for doctors opposed to euthanasia and/or abortion
- Sun** Lorimer House afternoon service for residents and visitors

February 27th – March 4th

- Mon** Greater integrity and restraint in media owners and operators
- Tue** Those who clean, maintain and repair our Church premises
- Wed** Those who gather for prayer and/or Bible study and fellowship
- Thu** Those with loved ones on the Missing Persons Register
- Fri** Gavin Thomson SU worker for Edinburgh west and West Lothian
- Sat** Messy Church with children and adults – pray for the leaders
- Sun** Communion services morning and afternoon

Let God restore your soul

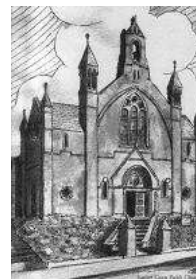
*Start your day with a quiet time of prayer or reading;
Even a few moments before you get out of bed.*

*Open yourself to the possibility of God restoring your soul;
Meditate in quietness; think on the bus; walk in the country.*

*Unburden your soul before God in prayer;
Tell him what worries you;
Thank him for what makes you glad.*

Love others with the love God has given you.

Prayer Team – Richie Adams; Charles Godon; Greg McIntosh; Sandra Paulin; Eleanor Pountain.



**Juniper Green Parish Church
Prayer Diary
December 2011 to March 2012**

December 5th – December 11th

- Mon** Those facing redundancy or employment uncertainties
- Tue** Presbytery planning for the future of the churches in Edinburgh
- Wed** Our minister as he prepares for many services and events
- Thu** Church News and those who contribute, produce and distribute it
- Fri** Safe delivery of all the shoe boxes and joy for the recipients
- Sat** Our armed forces (and their loved ones) at home and abroad
- Sun** Morning Worship Christmas Gift Service; Service for Remembering

December 12th – December 18th

- Mon** The work of The Samaritans over the festive season
- Tue** Pressure on families in debt to fund Christmas celebrations
- Wed** Christmas cards being distributed to members and whole parish
- Thu** St Margaret's Court service for residents and visitors
- Fri** Pressure on emergency service workers as Christmas approaches
- Sat** The threat of public sector pension related strikes and disputes
- Sun** Early Communion; Family Service; evening Lessons and Carols

December 19th – December 25th

- Mon** Guidance for world banking and finance leaders and governments
- Tue** Peace in Palestine and the Holy Land for Arab, Jew and Christian
- Wed** Quiet Times – a time to focus on the true meaning of Christmas
- Thu** Juniper Green Primary School Christmas service today
- Fri** Family members near and far, old and young who don't have faith
- Sat** Evening family Carol Service; Late night Christmas Service
- Sun** Christmas Day Family Service – for joy in our Lord's coming

December 26th – January 1st

- Mon** Persecuted Christians in India, Pakistan, Burma, China, etc.
- Tue** The work of local hospices and the support they give to families
- Wed** Those for whom the approaching New Year is not a good time
- Thu** Juniper Green Team catering for and running the Care Shelter
- Fri** Cambodian Hope's Safe Havens and those rescued from hard lives
- Sat** Happy and safe times for all attending the Hogmanay street party
- Sun** Do not cling to the past; I am doing a new thing – Isaiah 43:18

January 2nd – January 8th

- Mon** Health & warmth for those susceptible to flu and other winter ills
- Tue** Local primary and secondary schools – pupils, staff and parents
- Wed** Those for whom the festive season has increased their debts
- Thu** That we may better communicate the Gospel to our parish
- Fri** The congregational survey on pastoral care and its outcomes
- Sat** Families and others caring for the sick, weak and vulnerable
- Sun** The door duty teams and their welcome Sunday by Sunday

January 9th – January 15th

- Mon** People living with earthquake, flooding and other natural disasters
- Tue** The work of Fresh Start, its Hit Squads and all those who benefit
- Wed** Planning & preparation for Messy Church – leaders, parents, kids
- Thu** Church revival – more people to accept Christ as Lord and Saviour
- Fri** The effects of government and local authority financial cut backs
- Sat** The Quiz of the Year – pray for it and have fun in attending it
- Sun** Prayers for Healing following morning worship – come along

January 16th – January 22nd

- Mon** Our forces chaplains home and abroad – especially in Afghanistan
- Tue** All who suffer from insomnia, stress, anxiety or depression
- Wed** All who offer care, support or friendship in the name of Christ
- Thu** St Margaret's Court service and informal fellowship afterwards
- Fri** Wisdom and insight for Social Workers dealing with the vulnerable
- Sat** A more effective role in world peace and justice for the UN
- Sun** That visitors to our Church may want to worship with us again

January 23rd – January 29th

- Mon** Our national Church to re-grasp the vision of Scottish mission
- Tue** Families living with or affected by dementia or Alzheimer's disease
- Wed** Burns Day – reflect on and pray for Scottish people and culture
- Thu** Holocaust Memorial Day remembering those who suffered & died
- Fri** Welfare officers supporting military personnel and their families
- Sat** Modern means of communication such as Text, emails and Skype
- Sun** Joint Valley Service – Balerno, Currie and Juniper Green together

January 30th – February 5th

- Mon** All who are engaged with the war against drugs
- Tue** Children everywhere especially those who are refugees
- Wed** The business and discussions of tonight's Kirk Session meeting
- Thu** Volunteers working to provide and staff 'winter shelters'
- Fri** Help for Heroes charity in its support for wounded service people
- Sat** Messy Church afternoon – informal fun and Christian learning
- Sun** Informal Communion service following morning worship

February 6th – February 12th

- Mon** Christian Action Team – those who serve and those who receive
- Tue** Those waiting anxiously for the results of medical tests
- Wed** Church Wednesday evening – prayer and then Bible study
- Thu** Presbytery's concerns for healthy churches, mission & evangelism
- Fri** Safety for our off-shore workers on trawlers, ships and oil rigs
- Sat** Pupils and staff preparing for Higher prelim examinations
- Sun** The Church choir and musicians and their offerings of praise

February 13th – February 19th

- Mon** The working out of the Session's Goals and Aims for our Church
- Tue** The love of Christ in many hearts this Valentine's day
- Wed** The work of Tearfund and the promotion of worldwide fair trade
- Thu** Children thinking of running away from difficult circumstances
- Fri** Care Van workers in our city – protection and blessings
- Sat** Those who supply, arrange and deliver the Church flowers
- Sun** Healing and repentance in situations of violence and aggression