



# DIOCESE OF WEST MALAYSIA PRAYER DIARY **OCTOBER 2018**

## **Prayer:**

**O GOD, forasmuch as without thee we are not able to please thee; Mercifully grant, that thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**



**THE DIOCESE OF WEST MALAYSIA**

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**Diocesan Prayer Diary**  
**OCTOBER 2018**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Monday**

**Bishop of DWM and Archbishop of the Province of South East Asia:**

- Pray that he will look up to God Almighty
- Pray for Wisdom from God as he leads our Diocese in formation of 3 Dioceses
- Pray that God will pour His discernment upon Archbishop

**Pray for our Clergy, Deaconesses, Lay Pastors, Evangelist:**

- Pray for a powerful anointing of the Spirit
- Pray that they will be refreshed in mind and spirit through the study of God's Word and prayer.
- Pray that they will be blessed with good health.

**2<sup>nd</sup> - Tuesday**

**Suffragan Bishops:**

- Pray for our Suffragan Bishops Rt. Rev. Dato Charles Samuel and Rt. Rev. Dr. Jason Selvaraj.
- Pray for God's wisdom, guidance, and anointing upon our Bishops
- Pray that they will earnestly seek God's will and be committed to instant and complete obedience – ready for God to work powerfully in and through their ministries

**Our Children:**

- Pray that God will bless our children protecting them from harm and helping them to grow strong in the Lord as they prepare for a lifetime of serving Christ.
- Pray for parents to give top priority to the spiritual development of their children to grow in the Lord
- Pray that our children will receive the anointing of the Holy Spirit

**3<sup>rd</sup> - Wednesday**

**Archdeacons of the 6 Archdeaconry:**

-Ven. Dr. Stephen Soe of Upper North, Ven. John Kennady of Lower North, Ven. Eddie Ong of Upper Central, Ven. Charles Fraser of Lower Central, Ven. Edward M. John of Southern and Ven. Stephen Chan of Eastern.

- Pray that the Archdeacons will remain bold in proclaiming spiritual truth
- Pray that the lives of our archdeacons will be marked by integrity and godliness.

**Our Youths:**

- Pray that the youth in our church will stand strong for Christ in their schools and with their friends. Ask God to help each young person to follow His plan for their lives, both now and in the years to come.
- Pray that many will heed to the advice and keep away from vices and bad company
- Pray many will receive the anointing of the Holy Spirit

**4<sup>th</sup> - Thursday**

**Our Nation Malaysia;**

Father God, we thank you for those you have placed in strategic positions in the government. This is not about political parties, it is against principalities n powers of darkness that is still attacking even the new government. Lord help us to continue to resist the evil one and all the spirits of deceit, lying, corruption, manipulation and betrayal. Teach us not to look in the flesh but in the spirit. In your mighty name we pray, Amen

**War Room Prayers for Malaysia** II Chronicles 7:14 Lord, You promise that when your people pray, humble themselves, and seek You, You will hear and answer us. You even promise healing over our land, Malaysia. Lord, Malaysia needs your healing and I believe that it starts with me. I humble myself before You right here, right now. I seek Your face. I ask You to grant me a spirit of repentance so that I may be an instrument that ushers in Your blessing for my nation, Malaysia!

**5<sup>th</sup> – Friday****Pray for our Clergy:**

- Pray that they would be empowered by the Holy Spirit in the preaching of God's word.
- Pray for boldness for them to speak to please God.
- Pray for boldness to teach and correct the flock.

**Events & Services in the Month of October:**

- 8th – 13th October – Middle East Mission Round Table
  - 20th October – Seminary Theology Malaysia Graduation
  - 21st October – Installation of new executive director of Asia CMS
- Please pray and uphold all the above events taking place in our Diocese.

**6<sup>th</sup> – Saturday – William Tyndale, translator, martyr 1536****Prayer:**

Lord, give to your people grace to hear and keep your word that, after the example of your servant William Tyndale, we may not only profess your gospel but also be ready to suffer and die for it, to the honour of your name; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

**Church:**

- Pray that our churches would receive God's direction and vision.
- Pray that each congregation gets nourished from the substance of His word.
- Pray that our churches becomes real Disciples of Christ who are learning and growing.

**7<sup>th</sup> – Sunday – 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity****Church:**

- Pray for visible unity in the Body of Christ.
- Pray that Christians will live out authentic holy lives that manifest Jesus' love and compassion. Being salt and light in this world.
- Pray for Christian leaders to be godly, humble and loving towards one another.

**The Officers of the Diocese:**

- The Chancellor – Lay Canon Andrew Khoo. The Registrar - Mr. D. Raja Singam, The Secretary - Mr. David Joseph, The Treasurer - Mr. Kingsley Yuen. The Standing Committee of the Diocese, Bishop's Chaplain – Rev Fred David.
- Pray for a powerful anointing of the Holy Spirit upon them
- Pray for Godly wisdom as they plan, direct and build our Diocese for the Glory of God.

**8<sup>th</sup> - Monday****Events & Services in the Month of October:**

- 27th October – Wedding of Rev. Stephen Raj
  - 27th October – Gereja Shalom Anniversary
  - 31st October – Ordination Service at the Corner Stone Sanctuary, Ipoh.
- Please pray and uphold all the above events taking place in our Diocese.

**The Clergy and Deaconesses:**

- Ask God to heal any hurt that the Clergy has suffered in the ministry.
- Pray that they will serve God with gladness and encourage the congregation to worship God with a joyful and surrendered spirit.
- Pray that God's Spirit will work in their heart in power and that they will value and follow biblical priorities.

**9<sup>th</sup> - Tuesday****War Room Prayers For Malaysia**

**Isaiah 6:1** Oh Lord, we need to see You as You truly are, not as what others say You are. Let Your people see You high and lifted up! Let us see You as holy. Let us understand Your nature, character and sovereignty. Let us know Your word. Sweep across Malaysia and reveal Yourself like never before. Let us know You, God!

**Diocese of West Malaysia**

-Praise God for the formation of the three dioceses – Diocese of the Northern Peninsula, Diocese of the Central and Eastern Peninsula and Diocese of the Southern Peninsula.

-Pray that our Diocese, Clergy and Leaders become more surrendered and poured out to Christ, so they can have spiritual breakthroughs by seeking the fear of God and the mind of Christ and the Spirit's leading.

**10<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday****Every Congregation in our Diocese:**

- Pray that believers will be united in our worship of God, fellowship with one another, and ministry to the community.

- Ask God to help believers confront and remove issues and problems that threaten this unity.

- Pray that believers throughout the church will grow in relationship with Christ as they follow the path of discipleship.

**Prayer:** God our Saviour, who sent Paulinus to preach and to baptize, and so to build up your Church in this land: grant that, inspired by his example, we may tell all the world of your truth, that with him we may receive the reward you prepare for all your faithful servants; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

**11<sup>th</sup> - Thursday****Pray for the Leaders in Malaysia:**

Pray for the Prime Minister Tun Dr. Mahathir bin Mohamad, Deputy Prime Minister Wan Azizah Wan Ismail, and all politicians

- The fear of God, wisdom and truth to govern their thoughts

- Make wise decisions based on justice and righteousness

- Uphold Constitutional rights and the freedom to worship

**War Room Prayers for Malaysia**

Matthew 16:18 Lord, You promise that the gates of hell will not overcome Your church. You have a people and You have a plan that will not fail. No matter what, Your purposes will prevail. You are in Your church & Your people. In this we take great hope. Strengthen Your people, Lord! Strengthen Your church in Malaysia. Let us rise to the battle cry & faithfully stand firm! Stir up our passions & desires for purity, holiness & intimacy with You. Let us walk in the unquenchable fire of Your Spirit.

**12<sup>th</sup> - Friday****National Unity & Religious Freedom:**

- Pray for all peoples to work together in love and humility to bring peace and unity to the nation.

- Pray for grace in the face of persecution to respond and persevere with love.

- Pray for the freedom of religion for all and be allowed to manage our own religious affairs as guaranteed by the Constitution.

**The Clergy and Deaconesses:**

- Ask God to heal any hurt that the Clergy has suffered in the ministry, pray that they will serve God with gladness and encourage the congregation to worship God with a joyful and surrendered spirit.

- Pray that God's Spirit will work in their heart in power & that they will value and follow biblical priorities.

**13<sup>th</sup> - Saturday****Pray for our Clergy:**

-Pray that they would have the wisdom of Solomon to know what to say.

-Pray for patience, peace and joy in their ministry.

-Pray that they will be true men and women after God's own heart.

**Prayer:** Almighty and most merciful God, of thy bountiful goodness keep us, we beseech thee, from all things that may hurt us; that we, being ready both in body and soul, may cheerfully accomplish those things that thou wouldest have done; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**14<sup>th</sup> - Sunday - 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

**Music Ministry:**

- Pray for a powerful anointing upon music ministries across our churches, that hearts and minds will be lifted in praise and adoration to God
- Pray for wisdom and guidance for the worship leaders, choir and musicians as they prepare for each service.
- Pray that worshipers will participate fully in the worship service and experience the wonder of God's presence.

**Pray for Malaysia:** Let us decree that more Prayer Warriors will be raised in this land. Let us decree for a spiritual awakening over the people of Malaysia, a burden to stand in the gap for the nation. Let us together declare and decree that the people of Malaysia will seek first God's Kingdom and His righteousness and all things will be added. Let us declare that no weapon formed against the righteous in this nation will prevail. Amen.

**15<sup>th</sup> - Monday**

**Bishops and Clergy:**

- Ask for God's hand to rest upon our church Leaders that they will operate in His wisdom.
- Ask God to pour His Spirit of Discernment upon them.
- Pray for their health and protection.

**The Bishop of the Diocese & Archbishop of the Province of SEA**

- Pray for our shepherd - Archbishop Ng Moon Hing to daily experience the mighty anointing, power and fullness of the Holy Spirit.
- Pray that he will seek spiritual unction from above

**16<sup>th</sup> - Tuesday**

**Pray for our Retired Clergy:**

- Rt. Rev. Tan Sri Dr. Lim Cheng Ean, Rt. Rev. Ponniah Moses, Rt. Rev. Datuk Dr. S. Batumalai, Rt. Rev. Andrew Phang
- Rev. Canon Emeritus Dr. Lakshman, Rev. Canon Emeritus Peter Devanayagam, Rev. Canon Emeritus David Devapitchai, Rev. Canon Emeritus Fred David, Rev. Canon Emeritus Peter Chiang, Rev. Canon Emeritus Dr. Teoh Soong Kee
- Rev. Stephen Ng, Rev. Dato Dr. Yeoh Beng San, Rev. Samuel Jacob, Rev. Dr. Joseph Ponnampalam, Rev. Kwok Hon Kai, Rev. Roderick Koo, Rev. Chiang Yee Ann

**17<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday**

**Pray for our Retired Clergy:**

- Rev. Mah Chee Peng, Rev. Samuel John, Rev. Philemon Paul, Rev. Isaac Visuvasam, Rev. Robin Arumugam, Rev. Reginald Rajendram
- Rev. Gordon Kong, Rev. David Cheong, Rev. John Peramaloo, Rev. Ong Ah Bah, Rev. David The, Rev. Luke Choy, Rev. Alex Kok,
- Dss. Puan Sri Amy Lim, Dss. Datin Dulcie Abraham, Dss. Lee Gek Cheng, Dss. Lee Ah Mooi, Dss. Chan ooi Fong, Dss. Datin Mary Lim, Dss. Samidial Samuel, Ev. Mariappan Johnson, Ev. Alfred Philips

**18<sup>th</sup> - Thursday - Luke the Evangelist**

**Prayer:** Almighty God, who called Luke the Physician, whose praise is in the Gospel, to be an Evangelist, and Physician of the soul: May it please thee that, by the wholesome medicines of the doctrine delivered by him, all the diseases of our souls may be healed; through the merits of thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**War Room Prayers For Malaysia**

Psalms 33:12 Lord, Your blessing has been upon this nation, Malaysia and I thank You for your kind mercies! But Your word says that the blessed nation is the one whose God is the Lord and Malaysia has turned from You. God, on behalf of myself and my people, I confess our disregard of You. Bring Your people to repentance and let Malaysia once again be one who calls You "Lord".

**19<sup>th</sup> - Friday**

**Our Clergy and those who minister:** Pray that God would give our Clergy good health and strength. Pray that God would keep our Clergy safe as they travel. Pray that God would protect our Clergy from every harm and danger

**Seminary Theology Malaysia:**

- Pray for the Principal – Dr. James Wong
- Pray for the Assistant Principal – Rev. Canon Dr. Steven Abbarow
- Pray for all the lectures and students

**20<sup>th</sup> - Saturday****Prayer of Self Dedication:**

-Almighty and eternal God, so draw our hearts to thee, so guide our minds, so fill our imaginations, so control our wills, that we may be wholly thine, utterly dedicated unto thee; and then use us, we pray thee, as thou wilt, and always to thy glory and the welfare of thy people; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen. (Book of Common Prayer, Protestant Episcopal Church in the USA.)

**Prayer:** Grant, we beseech thee, merciful Lord, to thy faithful people pardon and peace; that they may be cleansed from all their sins, and serve thee with a quiet mind; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**21<sup>st</sup> – Sunday - 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Trinity – Maria Dyer, missionary in Malaya & Singapore 1846****Diocese of West Malaysia**

-Praise God for the formation of the three dioceses – Diocese of the Northern Peninsula, Diocese of the Central and Eastern Peninsula and Diocese of the Southern Peninsula.

-Pray that our Diocese, Clergy and Leaders become more surrendered and poured out to Christ, so they can have spiritual breakthroughs by seeking the fear of God and the mind of Christ and the Spirit's leading.

**Pray for Children & Youth:**

- Pray that our youths and children's lives will be established upon a firm foundation biblical teaching.
- Pray that our youths and children will excel in every area of their lives.
- Pray for parents to give top priority to the spiritual development of their children to grow in the Lord.

**22<sup>nd</sup> - Monday**

**The Clergy and Deaconesses:** Thank God for all those serving in all the churches. Thank God for their love of God to serve in this ministry. Thank God for their love and devotion for their flock. Pray for God's protection upon them and their families. For the Holy Spirit to daily guide and lead them. For God's anointing in preaching the word of God.

**The Diocesan Staff:**

- Kannagi K, Margaret Tan, Ensa, John, Keneth, Chun Peng, Soosan, Selvam and Kien Min.
  - Pray that Jesus will meet all their needs and wants. Thank God for them.
  - Pray for good health and strength. Pray for unity and oneness as they work in the Diocesan office.
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**23<sup>rd</sup> - Tuesday****Events & Services in the Month of October:**

- 17<sup>th</sup> November – Diocesan Men's Seminar
  - 1<sup>st</sup> December – St. Andrew's Bidor 66<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> December – Chinese Youth Camp
  - 7<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> December – English Youth Camp at Cameron Highlands
  - 8<sup>th</sup> December – St. Mark's Cozy Home Christmas Celebration
  - 8<sup>th</sup> December – Anglican Institute of Ministry – AIM Graduation
- Please pray and uphold all the above events taking place in our Diocese.

### 24<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday

#### **Bishops and Clergy:**

- Ask for God's hand to rest upon our church Leaders that they will operate in His wisdom.
- Ask God to pour His Spirit of Discernment upon them.
- Pray for their health and protection.

#### **Finance:**

- Pray that we as a church family remain faithful and good stewards.
- Pray that the giving financially will grow this year in all our churches and Diocese.
- Pray that each church commits to a healthy understanding, wisdom and accounting and handling of its stewardship and finances to better receive God's blessings.

### 25<sup>th</sup> - Thursday

**Prayer Warriors:** Lord, I lift up the Prayer Warriors in our Diocese. Make us into a house of prayer. We desire to be clear-minded and self-controlled so that we can pray first, always, continually and thankfully. Use us to stand in the gap for others. Let our house of prayer grow strong, powerful and effective. Amen.

**Our Clergy:** Father, I pray for our clergy as he prepares his messages, that You will give him just the right words and illustrations to communicate effectively to Your people. I pray that our clergy will speak the messages You give him to speak with power, with the Holy Spirit, and with deep conviction. I pray that his message will be fleshed out as he lives his life openly before Your people. Amen

### 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday - Province of SEA Prayer & Fasting

#### **Pray for our Bishops:**

- Archbishop Datuk Ng Moon Hing – Diocese of West Malaysia
  - Bishop Rennis Ponniah – Diocese of Singapore
  - Bishop Danald Jute – Diocese of Kuching
- Bishop Datuk Melter Jiki Tais – Diocese of Sabah

**Clergy, Deaconess, Lay Pastors, Evangelist and Workers:** Thank you for the clergy who answer the call to ministry and work so hard for the good of your kingdom. We continue to pray for the spiritual, emotional, and physical well-being of our Clergy. We also pray for our Seminarians that they will be fully empowered by the Holy Spirit as they prepare for their ministry in our Diocese. Amen.

### 27<sup>th</sup> - Saturday

**Prayer:** Lord, we beseech thee to keep thy household the Church in continual godliness; that through thy protection it may be free from all adversities, and devoutly given to serve thee in good works, to the glory of thy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **Indigenous:**

- Pray for our Indigenous peoples - the Orang Asli in Semenanjung, the Orang Asal from Sabah and Sarawak.
- Pray that many may be lifted up from poverty, their land rights restored and be empowered to play a productive and leadership role in the affairs of the nation.
- Pray for Indigenous Church to be strong and courageous.

### 28<sup>th</sup> – Sunday – 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Trinity - Bible Sunday

#### **Province of South East Asia:**

- Thank God for the missionaries who brought the good news
- Thank God for all our clergy and deaconesses who work hard to spread the gospel and draw people to Christ
- Pray for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon all churches in the Province of South East Asia

#### **Pray for our Clergy:**

- Pray that those going through difficult times in their churches that they will be renewed in God's strength.

-Pray that they will not forget to lean on God when they are weary and worn out.

**29<sup>th</sup> – Monday** - Simon & Jude, Apostle

**Prayer:**

O Almighty God, who hast built thy Church upon the foundation of the Apostles and Prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the head corner-stone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their doctrine, that we may be made an holy temple acceptable unto thee; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**The Clergy and Deaconesses:**

Thank God for all those serving in all the churches. Thank God for their love of God to serve in this ministry. Thank God for their love and devotion for their flock. Pray for God's protection upon them and their families. For the Holy Spirit to daily guide and lead them. For God's anointing in preaching the word of God.

**30<sup>th</sup> - Tuesday**

**War Room Prayers For Malaysia**

II Corinthians 6:17 God, call Your people to come out and be separate. All across this land, call Your people to set aside worldly wisdom, pride and appearances, materialism, the need for approval, idolatry of all sorts. Lead us out and lead us up. Malaysia is a holy nation, a royal priesthood, set apart for worthy purposes. Stir in each and every heart to come out and be different!

**Men's Fellowship:**

Pray that the men in our church will have a powerful impact on its ministries, and that they will provide godly leadership in their homes, the church, and throughout the community.

**Women's Fellowship:**

Pray that the women in our church will serve as leaders and role models of strength, maturity, and ministry at the church, in their families, and in the community.

**31<sup>st</sup> – Wednesday** – Martin Luther, reformer, 1546

**Prayers for those who mourn**

O God, who brought us to birth, and in whose arms, we die, in our grief and shock contain and comfort us; embrace us with your love, give us hope in our confusion and grace to let go into new life; through Jesus Christ. Amen.

**Prayer:**

Grant, we beseech you, merciful Lord, to your faithful people pardon and peace, that they may be cleansed from all their sins and serve you with a quiet mind; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.



Dear Friends,

**Prayer is so very important**

**Together let us Worship and intercede for our  
Diocese and our country Malaysia.**

Kindly inform others of this Prayer Diary.

The next issue is for the month NOVEMBER 2018.

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by **15<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2018**

Thank You and God Bless,

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