

# Prayer Ministry Team

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## WHAT IS THE ROLE?

- To pray with people after Sunday services

## WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?

Prayer is the most powerful thing we do. This team takes a very privileged role of asking God in his love and mercy to heal, strengthen, encourage and transform people and circumstances. They listen to God for other people as well as speak prayers.

## WHAT ARE THE BEST THINGS ABOUT THE ROLE?

- Being used by God in prayer for others and receiving the Holy Spirit's help
- Standing alongside those in congregation and listening to God for them

## WHAT MINISTRY GIFTS & SKILLS DOES IT INVOLVE?

Beginners welcome (!) as every Christian should be able to pray for others, but if you have the below gifts you may be uniquely called this ministry

- Intercession
- Faith
- Prophecy (God may speak to you about someone!)

## WHAT DO I DO SPECIFICALLY?

- Be available for about 20 minutes after the services to stand with another prayer team member
- Probably once a month, depending on how many people are on the rota
- It would be useful to pray together before the service starts and allow God to speak to you

## HOW MUCH TIME DOES IT INVOLVE AND WHEN?

- As above, this is for 20 minutes after the service, but it is good to also pray personally before the service begins

## HOW WILL I BE SUPPORTED?

- Anne Taylor organises the rota and acts as a 'prayer secretary.
- We will be putting on more training in the prayer ministry soon