

Team On Mission 23

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Team on Mission is the Methodist churches gap year programme for 18-25 year olds. Its mission is to answer the call of Jesus to love God and others and make disciples.

We've a packed programme planned for TOM this year. They'll be working mostly with our young people and children across the circuit from GB, BB, CE, Sunday Schools to Youth Fellowship as well as taking school assemblies, Scripture Union groups and RE lessons in some schools. They also be taking part in Global Vision both in Portadown and in our local event, helping to run the children's programme. They'll be involved in training and encouraging our own young people and us in our worship. A big challenge will be to set up a prayer room in a shop in the centre of Enniskillen over half-term.

But...in all of this we need YOU to pray for the mission over the fortnight that we have TOM with us...

Along with the prayer points opposite please use the programme printed on the back page to pray for the various people involved on the particular day you are praying.

Prayer Points:

Praise God

"Gracious Father, we praise you for your love and for the many blessings you have showered on us. We thank you for Jesus who demonstrates the reality and power of your love and for those whose lives have made the love of Christ real for us. We thank you for the opportunity to share this love where you have placed us and for all that you will do during this fortnight."

TOM Team

Give thanks for the step of faith these young people have taken and for their commitment

Pray for

- good health and safety of the team as they travel to and from Fermanagh and between venues.
- team unity and a good rapport with all who they meet
- wisdom in their preparations

The work in schools

Give thanks for the opportunity to participate in assemblies, RE lessons and !

Pray

- that the team will be able to communicate the good news effectively and that they would be well received
- For the faithful witness by staff and young people
- For Jeff Gawn, the new SU support worker

Our children and young people

Give thanks for their enthusiasm, energy and gifts

Pray

- For their protection from harm and confidence to withstand peer pressure. That they would have good friends.
- That they would be encouraged in all that they are doing and would be affirmed in their gifts and have their faith deepened.
- That they would be equipped for service.
- That they would have great fun and memories of this fortnight

The Prayer Room and our community

Give thanks for the opportunity to set up a prayer room in the town centre

Pray:

- For the preparations and setting up and running of the room
- That it will strengthen the experience of prayer for many
- That it will be a source of blessing to our town and wider community

Our leaders, the planning team and our circuit

Give thanks for the faithfulness and commitment of our leaders

Pray:

- For wisdom & guidance in preparing for the fortnight and for the on-going programmes in all our children's and youth groups
- For encouragement and refreshment during the fortnight
- For a deepening of our faith and fellowship of all on our circuit and that we would not be too exhausted! For a clearer sense of what is our call