

May 2024 Prayer Focus – GEM/Rachel Spencer



Most European countries have a population where less than 3% claim a relationship with Jesus. Many Europeans can go their entire lives never interacting with a Believer of Jesus. Rachel works on the mission field in Paris, with GEM (Greater Europe Mission). She works in a very multicultural suburb of Paris, where there is a strong Muslim community. She and the team at GEM run various projects aimed at building up strong community relationships, and providing a platform for sharing the gospel with all those with whom they are in contact.

On Sunday 2nd June we have a Mission Sunday, when we will be hearing from Rachel about her work via a video presentation.

Please pray for:

- The Xenia project, (which means 'stranger-friendship'), which aims to create an environment of friendship and welcome among different cultures
- Rachel as she continued her studies for a PhD in Missiology at the Vrije Universiteit (VU) Amsterdam
- For all those who hear the gospel through Rachel's ministry, especially those of a Muslim background who are fearful of the consequences of engaging with the Christian faith.

Rachel sends out an update and prayer letter around every six weeks. If you would like to receive this letter, please email Rachel at rachel.spencer@worldteam.org and ask to be added to the mailing list.



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Vision Verse: 'Enlarge the place of your tent, stretch your tent curtains wide, do not hold back; lengthen your cords, strengthen your stakes' – Isaiah 54:2

Verse of the Year: 'Rejoice always, Pray continually, Give thanks in all circumstances for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus'—1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Notice Sheet - 12.5.2024

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TREASURER: Finance Team - Mary Wright and Cathy Finch

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Member of the Leadership Team responsible for today is Gill Price. Please refer all queries to Gill.

We welcome you to our church today. This morning we will be continuing our series entitled 'Holy Spirit, power and the people', this week considering 'Who's teaching here?', looking at 1 Corinthians 12 verses 4-11 and Acts 8 verses 14-25.

As well as joining together in the church building we also live stream through Zoom and the log in details are:- Meeting ID 81280104638, Passcode - worship. We are having some technical issues with our live streaming so please bear with us while we try to resolve them.

OUR VISION - To be 'An authentic church with a place for everyone'

May 13th Leadership Team Meeting - 7.30p.m.
May 14th Browick Road children visiting - 9.45a.m.
May 14th POWER HOUR in the Prayer Room - 10.00a.m.
Focus - Local Government -Norfolk/Wymondham
May 14th Meeting re PIP grant - 12 noon
May 14th Thrive@Roots - 2.15p.m.
May 15th Roots Community Café - 10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m.
May 16th Menscraft - 3.00p.m. - 5.00p.m.
May 17th Roots community Café - 10.00a.m. - 1.00p.m.
May 17th Friday Night Youth - 6.30p.m.
May 19th Worship at 10.30a.m.
May 21st POWER HOUR in the Prayer Room - 10.00a.m.
May 21st Elders Meeting - 10.00a.m.
May 21st Thrive@Roots - 2.15p.m.



Remember in your prayers, thoughts and actions:- Mark and Jen McAllister, Jeanette Ellse, Pennie Campbell, Mags and Daphne and Vernon. Please remember our Leadership team as they meet on Monday evening.

BOOK THE DATE - June 15th - Come and share in a concert with the Happy Day Gospel Choir - 7.00p.m. start. Tickets £5 - Available from the Church Office or see Cath this morning - Think about who you can bring along.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY -

Pilgrim's Progress - Journey to Heaven - 2.00p.m. 30th May
- £5 tickets available from the Church Office
Gospel Choir - June 15th - See above
Uniform Bank - 10th and 12th July at Roots Community Café
Afternoon Tea - July 20th - More information to follow
St. Mary Singers, Hemsby - August 4th - More information to follow
Uniform Bank - 12th and 14th June and 7th and 9th August at Roots Community Café
TWAM Collection - 28th September
St, Mary Singers, Hemsby - December 8th - More information to follow

Next Café Church - Sunday 26th May - The Lion King - Who can you bring along?
Paul will be preaching at Wittard Road

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED - Can you help to serve teas and coffees after our morning worship or join our welcome tea, help in the garden, move chairs, read the scriptures etc. etc. Let Cathy know if you can help

