



Prayer Mates

PRAYING IN TWOS OR THREES

This is our final edition of Prayer Mates Prayer Points for the year. Please keep praying and we will recommence these in the new year.

Happy Christmas from all at St Cath's and blessings for peace, health and safety into 2021

From the Bible

A shoot shall come out from the stock of Jesse,
and a branch shall grow out of his roots.
² The spirit of the LORD shall rest on him,
the spirit of wisdom and understanding,
the spirit of counsel and might,
the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD.
³ His delight shall be in the fear of the LORD.

He shall not judge by what his eyes see,
or decide by what his ears hear;
⁴ but with righteousness he shall judge the poor,
and decide with equity for the meek of the
earth;
he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth,
and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the
wicked.
⁵ Righteousness shall be the belt around his waist,
and faithfulness the belt around his loins.

(Isaiah 11.1-5, NRSV)

Prayers

Give Thanks:

- For Steph and Dan finally married!!!!
- For a joyful re-opening on Sunday 20 December;
- For Jonathan who has stepped into the breach of worship coordination for Christmas while Tash is on leave and unable to return for Christmas as planned;
- For seven weeks of zero COVID community transmission in Melbourne.

Please Pray:

- Please pray that all our plans for Christmas services would come together, that the Gospel would be proclaimed faithfully and that some would respond for the first time and for the Holy Spirit to cover and protect all aspects of our gatherings;
- Pray for those still feeling quite isolated due to ill health, mental health or other reasons;
- Covering and protection over all who will be travelling over the break. As well as good rest and refreshment,.

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