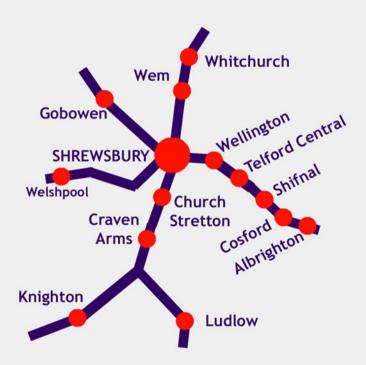
THE CONCEPT

The development of mainline railways was a major factor in linking the county's rural and urban communities.

Today, centred on Shrewsbury, the mainline rail network stretches westwards toward Wales: eastwards to the West Midlands conurbations; northwards to Cheshire and beyond and south to Herefordshire and Worcestershire. Using the key station locations we plan to pray for our county in each of these areas.



MORE OPPORTUNITIES

This Week of Prayer is one of a number of events designed to encourage prayer for our communities. In May 2016 the focus will be on praying around the county's waterways - more details available soon.

TRANSFORMING COMMUNITIES

Every street in the UK covered in Christian prayer, with Christians



PRAY FOR A

- · PRAYING for their immediate neighbours,
- CARING for their neighbours,
- SHARING JESUS with their neighbours. Sign up at www.neighbourhoodprayer.net

PRAY FOR SCHOOLS

Every school in the UK a prayed-for school! That's the vision.

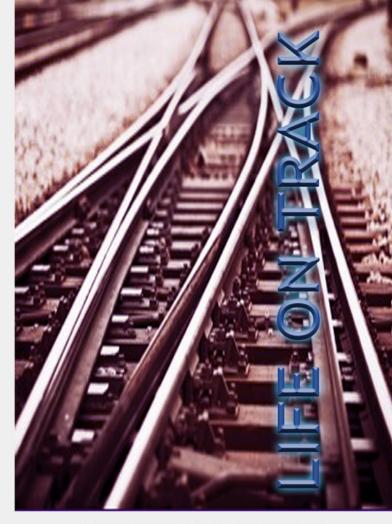
Could you:

- Start a group to pray for vour local school?
- Prayer walk around local schools?
- **Pray** for students, teachers and support staff? More resources and information on:

www.prayforschools.org

LOCAL HOUSES OF PRAYER

Local Houses Praying for the breakthrough of the Kingdom of God on a daily basis for five people in your local area or workplace using the Lord's Prayer as a guide. Over the next year there will be training dates across Shropshire. Details will be posted on the Shropshire Hope website.



A WEEK OF PRAYER FOR OUR COMMUNITIES

21-28 November 2015

Releasing BLESSING Renewing HOPE Regaining GROUND

Across Shropshire, Telford & Wrekin

Never stop praying 1 Thessalonians 5:17 (NLT)

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. Philippians 4:6 (NIVUK)







WHY PRAY?

Simply because God requires us to pray!

- for His will to be done on earth
- so the Gospel can be proclaimed
- that people to come to faith in Jesus

Praying for the "peace and prosperity" of the places in which we live (Jeremiah 29:7) is both a privilege and a responsibility.

So this **Week of Prayer** will focus on praying for Shropshire, Telford & Wrekin. As we **worship** and **intercede** together we expect in faith to see **breakthroughs** as the Holy Spirit moves in His sovereign power.

Let's get our prayer lives back on track!



Intercede
Bless
Petition
Declare
Prophesy

THE FRONTLINE

Christians are on the frontline of a spiritual battle for the hearts and minds of the people around us - our families, friends, neighbours, work colleagues.

Where's your frontline?

How can God's gracious love be brought into these relationships?

We're called to be 'Salt and Light' in every aspect of our lives and we need the Holy Spirit's power and wisdom to succeed.

Join us at one or more of these special events as we pray for our communities.



Stand on Biblical promises and plead for our communities | county | country



My people, who are called by My name, will humble themselves and pray and seek My face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.

2Chronicles 7:14 (NIVUK)

THE LOCATIONS

Saturday 21 November

Wellington: All Saints - Ignite Event staring at 7pm More details: Caroline Gwillam 01952 248554

Sunday 22 November

Whitchurch: St. Alkmund's Parish Church Bible Society Churches Together Service

More details: Revd. Richard Clarkson 01948 665413

Monday 23 November

Weston Rhyn & St. Martin's: St. John's Parish Church

& St. Martin's Parish Church

More details: Revd. Stuart Jermy 01691 778468

Tuesday 24 November

Trinity Churches, Meole Brace - worship from 7:30pm

More details: Mike Haddaway 01743 362399

Wednesday 25 November

Harlescott, Shrewsbury: Riversway Elim More details: Revd. Phil Briggs 01743 463970 Church Stretton: St. Laurence's Church More details: Revd. Richard Hill 01694 724224

Thursday 26 November

Craven Arms: St. Andrew's Community Church More details: Bryan Doyle 07950 410491

Friday 27 November

Ludlow Elim Christian Fellowship

More details: Revd. Tim Coles 01584 878634

Monday to Friday at Telford

The Chapel of Christ the King at Meeting Point House will be open from 9am to 5pm

Sunday 29 November

Celebration at Christ the King at 6.30pm

Unless shown otherwise at each venue a **PRAYER ROOM** will be **open for 24 hours** from **3pm** each **day until 3pm** the **following day**. Book a time slot direct with the Organisers or on the website. Come along when you can and stay for as long as you wish.

A WEEK OF PRAYER FOR OUR COMMUNITIES 21-28 November 2015

First of all, I ask that you pray for all people. Ask God to bless them and give them what they need. And give thanks.

You should pray for rulers and for all who have authority. Pray for these leaders so that we can live quiet and peaceful lives - lives full of devotion to God and respect for Him. 1Timothy 2:1-2 (ERV)