

## General

Give thanks for the appointment of a new PF worker for HMP Maghaberry. Pray for Michael as he settles into this new role.

Pray for the continued challenge of increased numbers within our prisons. Pray for prison staff and management as they seek to provide and support.

Give thanks for donations received so far for Christmas Hope. Pray that once again sufficient toys, groceries, and finance will be provided so that we can meet all the requests from the prisons.

Please pray as we seek to appoint three posts within the PF Centre- Centre Coordinator, Administration/ Donor Care, and a Communications Worker. Pray for wisdom, and for the people of God's choosing for these key roles.

Staff are speaking in 9 churches this month. Give thanks for these opportunities and for the commitment of churches to support PF's ministry financially, in prayer and with volunteers. Ask that God would strengthen these church relationships.

## Family

Give thanks for the conversations when phoning families about the hampers and toys. Pray for these conversations and any follow up, which takes place before and after Christmas.

Pray for the ongoing review of Family Work as the team seek to build on what is already happening. Pray for the Lord's guidance and inspiration.

Worry is a big issue for the family of those in custody, and many often say that they are worried all the time. Pray for peace and especially that God will give His peace.

Pray for God's awakening in the hearts and minds of many we work with, who do not know God.

We thank God for the opportunities He gives the family workers, Sandra, and Claire, to walk alongside and support the families of those in custody. Pray for God to direct their steps towards those who most need support and to give wisdom in every situation and conversation.

## Volunteer

Praise God for a new Prayer Group starting this month in Moneyreagh. Pray for Margaret as she hosts this in her home. Pray for people to come along and pray for the work.

Give thanks for all our Volunteers who helped facilitate and support Sycamore Tree in all three prisons. We are very thankful for all their support.

As we prepare for Christmas Hope packing and deliveries, pray for our volunteers and staff. Pray for safety on the roads and for good weather to enable the project to run as smoothly as possible.

## Aftercare - Women

Thurs 2nd - Pray for the 'Instilling Hope' women as they meet tonight to make Christmas gifts for other aftercare women and others affected by crime.

Pray for P who is feeling very lonely. Lynne is in touch frequently. Pray that in her darker moments she will feel Jesus close.

Please pray as we plan for Christmas for the aftercare women, and for His leading.

## Aftercare - Men

Pray for an opportunity to put on Christmas dinner at the end of the month for families and ex-offenders. Pray for everyone who helps us to do this each year. We trust and pray for His provision.

Pray for R, P & B. They are all dealing with difficult circumstances, including court, ill health, addiction, and financial problems. Pray for us as we continue to share the hope of Christ in their lives.

Pray for A as he continues to recover from a stroke. He wants to return to work this month. Pray for help and understanding from his employer to do this, and for strength and energy for A.

## Prison

Give thanks for the opportunity to deliver Sycamore Tree, our Restorative Justice program, in all three prisons over the past five weeks. Pray for the remaining week. Ask that He will continue to work in the lives of all those who have completed this and other courses.