

Love thy neighbour

Equipment Required

Dart board and darts

Alternative: twenty pieces of paper numbered in a bowl/container

THEME

We are called to uphold one another in prayer. Our prayers should not be limited to those close to us or known to us. Prayer gives us the ability to consider all people and all things God has created.

READ

1 John 5.14-16

ACTIVITY

Take the darts and throw it the board. Whatever number your dart lands on, pray for that place/issue/person from the list below. If you want to throw more than one dart you are welcome to do so.

Alternative: Pick at random a piece of paper out of the bowl/container.

Whatever number you pick, pray for that place/issue/person from the list below. If you want to take more than one you are welcome to do so.

Fold and place paper back in the bowl/container when done.

PRAYER CHART

1. A close friend (name them in your prayer)
2. A family member (name them in your prayer)
3. Your community
4. Your school, university or work place
5. A family member who lives overseas (name them in your prayer)
6. Victims of bullying (either specific person or general)
7. The homeless
8. Single parents
9. Members of your congregation who are unwell
10. The Sunday School or your congregation
11. A country that you have been to (not New Zealand)
12. A world issue (e.g. climate change, war, poverty, politics etc.)
13. An enemy/someone that you would find it difficult to pray for
14. People who don't know who Jesus
15. Persecuted Christians around the world (i.e. Christians who are in danger because of their faith)
16. Victims of abuse (either specific person, type of abuse or in general)
17. A member of your youth (name them in your prayer)
18. A member of the wider church (e.g. Another church, other youth groups etc. Name them in your prayer)
19. A person of another religion
20. A leader known to you (name them in your prayer)