



UK PROTECTON PRAYER STRATEGY – 6th November 2023

With the recent and horrific developments in the Middle East we believe it is both urgent and important that we raise an effective prayer shield of protection over our nations once again. In recent years we have experienced the dreadful trauma and shock of terrorist attacks so we want to do all we can to prevent this happening again.

PLEASE CAN YOU PRAY AT HOME, IN YOUR CHURCH OR IN GROUPS – Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you as you pray. Keep an eye on the news and respond in prayer.

The current security threat level to SUBSTANTIAL. This means that our government and security forces think an attack is likely.

Therefore, it is essential that we as the Church respond to this wake-up call and position ourselves to pray strategically and effectively across our nation. As you prepare to pray ask the Holy Spirit to inspire and lead you. Think about your community and the times and places where people gather together in large numbers...make a list of those places and pray protection over them.

Please remember in your prayers:

- 1) This coming weekend is Armistice Day and Remembrance Sunday, and protests are planned.**
- 2) For the Metropolitan Police.
- 3) For both the Muslim and Jewish communities to powerfully encounter Jesus' love.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE UK DURING THIS TIME OF VULNERABILITY

What?

- 1) The exposure of any future evil agendas before they come to pass.
- 2) For those involved in terrorist activities to be exposed and caught ASAP.
- 3) For those with dangerous mental health problems to be kept safe.
- 4) For governments and security forces to liaise and share important security information effectively.
- 4) For the Chief Constable in your area and Police as they deal with the protesters and the public.
- 5) God's love will draw all people out of the darkness and into the light.

Who?

Pray for God's wisdom, revelation, insight and protection for:

- 1) Government and World Leaders.
- 2) For COBRA and the government as they meet.
- 3) Chief Constable, Police and Emergency Services
- 4) Armed forces
- 5) Intelligence Services
- 6) Media and communications
- 7) For Local Government officials.
- 8) Angelic protection.
- 9) An unprecedented move of God across our communities.

Why?

- 1) To provide mercy and protection by reducing the danger to life and limb from attacks for our communities and nations.
- 2) To release a clear trumpet call to those in the valley of decision.
- 3) To reduce fear and hopelessness - The aim of terror is to bring fear, confusion, hatred – we stand against that in the name of Jesus because his perfect love casts out fear.
- 4) To bring any plots into the light before they come to pass.
- 5) To see the Church arise and stand united around Jesus love.

Where? Here are Liverpool's vulnerable areas...where are yours?

Shopping Centres

- 1) Liverpool One
- 2) St John's Market

Football and rugby stadiums

- 1) Liverpool FC
- 2) Everton FC
- 3) Tranmere Rovers
- 4) St Helens Rugby Club

Theatres and cinemas

- 1) Empire
- 2) Royal Court
- 3) Play House
- 4) Philharmonic
- 5) Unity
- 6) Echo Arena
- 7) Cinemas

Places of Worship

Liverpool Anglican Cathedral and Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral
Churches across the region
Synagogues

Other places

Places of government
Lime Street Station and Merseyrail particularly underground trains
Airports – Manchester and Liverpool John Lennon
Tunnels – Mersey tunnels plus all bridges and tunnels
Oil and gas platforms In Liverpool Bay
All Schools and colleges
Vulnerable areas of industry

Ferries

- 1) Mersey ferries
- 2) Irish ferries
- 3) Isle of Man seacat
- 4) Cruise ships

Universities

- 1) Liverpool John Moore's
- 2) Edge Hill
- 3) Hope university
- 4) LIPA
- 5) University of Liverpool

We ask you to share and mobilise so that we can respond prayerfully and effectively. Remember as you pray, always pray **FOR** people and never AGAINST them. When you are walking or driving around your community release God's love and grace over that area. (If you want further help with Prayer Walking please contact us and we can send out some teaching on this.)

Here are some scriptures you may find helpful:

2 Chronicles 7:14 "If 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."

1 Timothy 2:1-4 "I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made **FOR** all people — for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. This is good, and pleases God our Savior, who **WANTS ALL MEN TO BE SAVED** and to come to a knowledge of the truth."

Acts 26:18 "Open their eyes so they may turn from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan to God. Then they will receive forgiveness for their sins and be given a place among God's people, who are set apart by faith in me."

Luke 4:18 "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, for he has appointed me to preach Good News to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim that captives will be released, that the blind will see, that the downtrodden will be freed from their oppressors, and that the time of the Lord's favour has come."

Jeremiah 29:7 "Seek the peace and prosperity of the city to which I have carried you into exile. Pray to the Lord for it, because if it prospers, you too will prosper."

2 Chronicles 14:7 "Let us build up these towns, and put walls around them, with towers, gates and bars. The land is still ours, because we have sought the Lord our God; we sought him and he has given us rest on every side." So they built and prospered."

Psalms 24:7 "Lift up your heads, O you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. "

Proverbs 11:11 "Through the blessing of the upright a city is exalted, but by the mouth of the wicked it is destroyed."

Malachi 4:6 "He will turn the hearts of the fathers to their children, and the hearts of the children to their fathers; or else I will come and strike the land with a curse."

Psalm 18:2 - 3 "The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. I will call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be praised; so shall I be saved from my enemies."

Jeremiah 33:6 "Nevertheless, I will bring health and healing to it; I will heal my people and will let them enjoy abundant peace and security."

Let us hope and pray that we do not ever have to see another horrific terrorist attack succeed.