

*Vision4Life* **Prayer Year - symbols**

After a shortened service on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> June, about 15 folk were invited to look at sixteen visual symbols and suggest prayer topics that might arise from them. *(The symbols are posted on the Vision4Life noticeboard in the coffee area).*

People were also invited, if they wished, to write a four- or six-line prayer relating to their chosen symbol. *(David Jenkins)*

Two such contributions were:

Thank you for the Spring  
and the cycle of new life it brings.  
Thank you for renewal and Christ's crucifixion sacrifice.  
Thank you for forgiveness.

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Help me to be a true and brave disciple;  
to always be proud to cite your name;  
to have the courage to proclaim my faith  
in the face of adversity, conflict and rejection.

David Jenkins will lead the final session of '**Prayer and PowerPoint**' in the Margaret Russell room at 8.00pm on Tuesday August 17<sup>th</sup>.

The lectionary readings for July Sundays are:

**1 August**

Ecclesiastes 1.2, 12-14; 2.18-23 Psalm 49.1-12  
Colossians 3.1-11 Luke 12.13-21

**8 August**

Genesis 15.1-6 Psalm 33.12-22  
Hebrews 11.1-3, 8-16 Luke 12.32-40

**15 August**

Jeremiah 23.23-29 Psalm 82  
Hebrews 11.29-12.2 Luke 12.49-56

**22 August**

Isaiah 58.9b-14 Psalm 103.1-8  
Hebrews 12.18-29 Luke 13.10-17

**29 August**

Sirach 10.12-18 or Proverbs 25.6-7 Psalm 112  
Hebrews 13.1-8, 15-16 Luke 14.1, 7-14