

For Prayer

Please pray for:

Our fellow Christians who are persecuted for their faith remembering especially those who lost their life in the horrific events in Sri Lanka on Easter Day. Pray for their families and friends and all who grieve their loss.

The new **PCC of St John's** holding its first meeting on Tuesday this week.

Those in positions of public trust. Remember our newly elected councillors. Pray especially for our **Prime Minister and politicians of all parties** as they try to find a way through the current political dilemma which is affecting the life of the whole nation.

Those taking important exams in the next few weeks especially for those experiencing undue stress and pressure. **Remember their parents** and all who seek to support them.

Those preparing for the Watercress Festival next week-end and that those who come to the Watercress Café will feel uplifted by the warmth and hospitality they receive from those who serve them.

Hold before God those who have received bad news in recent days or who are awaiting the results of tests.

Give thanks for the miracle of new life and pray for all new families as they learn to adjust to a new way of life.

All those who live in Lovells Walk, Mallard Close, Maple Close, Meadow Close and Meryon Road.

For **Shanthigramam village in Tamil Nadu**, where elderly people severely damaged by leprosy are able to live and be cared for. For the residents and those who support them, and for **Valsa Augustine**, the clinical psychologist responsible for referring people there.