

Hemblington Friends

Readings for Morning Prayers 16th - 21st November

This week we turn to the New Testament for encouraging words during our second lockdown.

Monday	John 1 1: 14	The Word made flesh
Prayer	Heavenly Father, we thank you for Jesus, your son, who left heaven and became a man, to live as we live, to feel as we feel and to bring us to you as your adopted children. May we so live that we honour him in all we say or do. Amen	
Tuesday	John 3: 16-21	God's love for men and women
Prayer	Heavenly Father, we thank you for your love, shown to us in Jesus and for the eternal life that he brings to all who receive him. Help us to walk in his light and to be a light to others. Amen	
Wednesday	Luke 12: 22-34	Do not worry
Prayer	Heavenly Father, we worry about so many things, some of which may never happen. Help us to see where our security lies and to trust in your love and provision for all we need. Amen	
Thursday	1 John 4: 9-16	God is love
Prayer	Heavenly Father, we thank you that you loved us before we were ever born or thought of you. Help us to understand the depths of your love for us and to respond to that love by loving one another. Amen	

Friday

1 Peter 1: 3-9

A living hope

Prayer

Heavenly Father, help us to take our eyes off the troubles of this world and to look away from our fears and worries, as we remember that you have given us a living hope through Jesus our Saviour and that we are shielded by your mighty power. Amen

Saturday

Ephesians 3: 14-24

A prayer for us all

Prayer

Heavenly Father, let these words of Paul be our prayer too and fulfill them in our life and in our church community. Amen