



Ring of Fire Prayer responses

23/09/2017 - I was praying today and was aware of a wave flowing across Ashford. The wave was God moving forward and as He did, loads of lights switched on wherever He touched. I felt him say that our job is to stand and shine in the places He has put us. Just watch what He is going to do, worship Him and shine His glory wherever we go. I was reminded of Matthew 5:14-16: You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

23/09/2017 - I just read this in my daily reading: Ephesians 2:10.

For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do. Thank you for the reminder to be Christ's ambassadors wherever we go



24/09/2017 - Luke 1 v 45 says "Blessed is she who believes that what the Lord has said to her will be accomplished" So keep believing, keep believing.



28/09/2017 - As I was praying for Ashford yesterday I had a picture of a desert & tiny springs of water began to appear in the desert. As I looked the springs became rivers & eventually the desert was flooded with water & flowers appeared in the desert. I was taken to Isaiah 43:19. Behold I am doing a new thing. Now it springs forth; do you not perceive and know it, & will you not give heed to it? I will even make way in the wilderness & rivers in the desert.' Isaiah 43:10. You are my witnesses says the Lord, my servant whom I have chosen that you may know me. I believe Father God is doing a new thing & the within the town is the beginning; the springs in the desert. I believe Father is saying as we work together in unity & walk in humility He is doing a new thing & there will be opportunities to witness & we will see His rivers in the desert. We are His witnesses. His servants whom He has chosen. His love will flood our town. Blessings.

28/09/2017 - That text was given to Ashford in the 70's when we had "Turn the Town". Let's thank Him that he is confirming His promise to Ashford.

28/09/2017 - It shows that God never leaves us and that he fulfils His promises in us.

28/09/2017 - YES!! HE IS LORD!



28/09/2017 - My day to pray today. Romans 9 1-3 Paul's heart so burdened for the lost he would forgo his own salvation in their stead. Jesus wept for Jerusalem. We are to be burdened for the lost also. It's impossible for us to sacrifice our salvation even if we loved enough to do so but we should perhaps sacrifice a comfort zone, appearances, our pride and lay down our fear of rejection in the hope of telling the lost that Jesus loves them. In view of all the promises we have read on here we can trust Him to go before us in this and so we can look forward to this prayer weekend knowing that we can do all things through Christ who strengthens us. Hallelujah we have God with us and His light will shine in Ashford.

28/09/2017 - He is an amazing God and I believe He will do incredible things through and in every willing heart xx



Prayer Weekend - 29/09/2017 - Waiting with expectant hearts. Proverbs 16.9 NRSV says The human mind plans the way, but the Lord directs the steps. We are his willing vessels. God's will be done. Praise God!

29/09/2017 - Praise God just so wonderful to share in 24 hour prayer tonight. The room looks amazing. Thanks to those involved in the preparations. God Bless you all in the rest of 24 hour prayer and adventures tomorrow. It's going to be a weekend to remember. Really enjoying meeting other Christians.

29/09/2017 - May everyone who's praying tonight be sustained by the Spirit and may God speak

29/09/2017 - Jesus is the Healer of the Broken hearted.



30/09/2017 - Good time this morning. Feel strongly that it shouldn't be a "one-off" or a once-a-year event but something more regular, say once a month? Have an awesome time of prayer this afternoon.

30/09/2017 - Words of knowledge, healing and prophecy on the streets is very much in my heart at the moment....

30/09/2017 - Thanks for making AIM such a wonderful Ministry to be a part of. Enjoyed the whole time spent with you ALL. From the moment we all met up.

The weather was glorious. PRAISE GOD. Had some wonderful conversations PRAISE GOD and met some new Christian friends PRAISE GOD. God answered every prayer and more didn't He. Amen!

What I witnessed from 14 -16.00 at WBC this afternoon was a privilege to witness. Praise God. God bless all those in the planning of today.

30/09/2017 - Wow God is amazing. We have had a really blessed time this weekend. God has done incredible things, in all people.

Those who were involved in any of the activities today God will have

blessed and touched you. We were all out of our comfort zone and God had to step on and he did. A big blessing to WBC and ABC for stepping up and leading us in anointed worship.



01/10/2017 - Wonderful time last night. Left with a lot of food for thought. I am not surprised this all took place on the holiest day of the year in the Jewish Calendar! God's ways are better than our ways. Be blessed my brothers and sisters.

01/10/2017 - Amazing insight! We have been praying all the 24 hours of the Jewish Yom Kippur day of prayer and petition. Thank you Father for this reminder of our heritage as Christians. We praise and thank you Jesus for saving us from our sins. We lift up our town and pray for transformation of its people. Amen.

01/10/2017 - For Zion's sake I will not keep silent. Isaiah 62: 1. "Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: they shall prosper that love thee". Psalm 122: 6. Today is international day of prayer for the peace of Jerusalem. Our feet shall stand within the gates, O Jerusalem when our Messiah returns. Praise the God of Israel. The father of OUR Lord Jesus. Amen.



05/10/2017 - Psalm 17 - " Praise the Lord all you nations; extol Him all you people (of Ashford?) For great is His love toward us, and the faithfulness of the Lord endures for ever. Hallelujah!



07/10/2017 - It was my turn to pray on Thursday and God kept bringing me back to Nehemiah and the building of the wall. Those who were building the wall wore their sword at their side as they built and had their ears tuned to the sound of the trumpet, when they would all come together and know that God would fight for them. We too are building a ring or wall of fire around Ashford. We are building the wall with prayer with the sword of the Spirit in our hand which is the word of God and praying in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests (Ephesians 6). Keeping alert to

any distraction of the enemy and having our ears tuned to the voice of God knowing that it is God who fights for us. Hallelujah.



12/10/2017 - Today is my turn to pray for Ashford. As I am reading Mark Marx book on HOTS ("Stepping into the Impossible"), I am struck by how much our Saturday outreach in Ashford town centre was preparation for HOTS! Also how HOTS is all about God's love for His people, all His people, and how we are to become that alabaster jar of perfume spoken of in the Gospels, that was broken and poured out for Jesus so that the whole place (Ashford) would be filled with a sweet smelling aroma, pleasing and acceptable to God.

May the Lord grant us clarity of vision, continued unity between His churches and favour with Ashford Borough Council to go out on the streets of Ashford every Saturday to bring about God's healing in Ashford, in every sense of the word!!

May Ashford become an oasis of healing in Jesus name x

12/10/2017 - I also received Daniel 6:25 - 28, which includes the following: "For He is the living God, and steadfast forever;

His kingdom is the one that shall not be destroyed, and His dominion shall endure to the end. He delivers and rescues, And He works signs and wonders in heaven and on earth ..." Amen



12/10/2017 - On my day last Monday I dwelt a lot on the concept of 'harvest'. I'm still processing it all, but have landed on He told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.

Luke 10:2

12/10/2017 - Amen. As our churches join in force there will be multiplication in Jesus name x



15/10/2017 - Morning everyone. It was my turn to pray on Saturday.

I'd been reading a book "The New Civic Religion" all about Humanism and its strong influence in the world. I've been praying for Ashford's protection especially children and young people and for more Christians to move into the area. In the 2nd half of the day I read Psalm 119, and verses 97-104 especially stood out for me. I hadn't read it for some time and it is good to be reminded of all the blessings of God's word.

As to healing on the streets, sounds great but can we have confirmation from another source this is right in God's timing for Ashford?

15/10/2017 - My prayer is that the Lord will speak clearly to us about the way forward for Healing on the Streets.

15/10/2017 - don't you think it would be wise to go to your Bibles and see how Jesus dealt with this business of Healing on the streets? He didn't set up as a street healer, but simply dealt with each individual as they had need. Surely a Bible study on this is appropriate at this point.



15/10/2017 - Hi all my brothers & sisters, today is my day, although we all pray other days too. I was struck this morning by all the amazing colours of our wonderful creator's trees and I don't live in Ashford & have a long drive to church, but still able to worship & work in Ashford. The colours of the trees are all so different, just like we all are & I feel & pray we have lots of different ways to bring our brothers & sisters together of whom don't know our Lord yet! Jesus sent out his disciples & told them to heal the sick & tell them the Kingdom of God is near to you. We can do this as part of our group & individually who ever needs his amazing love. God also tells us we have all been given the ability to do certain things well.

Like the different colours of the trees we can all serve him differently & gladly.



16/10/2017 - For anyone who is wondering about HOTS and whether to go forward with it or not. It's right to not step blindly into it.....

In our secular age people generally no longer look to the church. If they think of Christ or his church at all they tend to regard them as irrelevant. Yet a sizeable proportion of the population in the UK still calls themselves spiritual. 2000 years ago Jesus did heal people he came across. But people also threw themselves at him, seeing him as their only hope. So how are we to reach 21st century folks whose needs we believe Christ can meet, yet who regard us as irrelevant? One way is HOTS. A regular spot in the town centre covered by prayer means those who want it will come and find us. I suggest those who want to find out more read "Stepping into the impossible" by Mark Marx or "Naturally Supernatural" by Wendy Mann. This is just one way of reaching the lost of course. God will give us more ways - we just have to be open to him.

16/10/2017 - In my spirit I believe we are being told to wait at the crossroads and ask for the ancient paths. I believe AIM was set up to pray for Ashford of which praying for the people of our town is a part. I believe physical healing will be a part of that, but it will also encompass emotional, mental health & spiritual healing. As we go out to pray for others the Holy Spirit will guide us. As we seek Father God's face He will show us the way forward. Blessings.



*17/10/2017 - We just heard the Council are giving us the money we need. Praise God for his provision for these vulnerable people in our town. Please keep praying for the volunteers and staff.
<http://uprisinguk.org.uk>*



24/10/2017 - I've been praying down in Cornwall on holiday today for my day and just amazed by the beauty of creation and acknowledging that we have an amazing God who can create all this so perfectly so who we can then trust 100% to be faithful in all we ask and bring to Him. What I've also been reminded is that wherever we are and

whatever we are doing He is there and even though I am miles and miles away from Ashford I can still lift all we are praying about to Him and know that there is still unity by His Spirit. Praise the Lord for his amazing nature and His presence in our lives. Let's continue to fervently pray that others would come to know this for themselves



29/10/2017 - Was my turn yesterday, it always seems to take me a while to process what I think I have heard! I woke up hearing the last part of 2 Chron 7:14will heal their land. Much of the day I found myself meditating on healing. I felt He is saying it is not just about physical healing for people but our ring of fire is all about healing Ashford of everything. We are to keep on keeping on. To recognise our authority as children of God & pray the Kingdom in, take hold of everything He has given us in order to do so. Take heart He is working. He is hearing us and we need to keep going. I was fasting and had family round so it was harder than usual. The enemy was telling me to let myself off, I had guests it wouldn't matter and fasting wasn't compulsory etc. etc. I did not give in but it made me aware of how strong our flesh is and how easy it is to make excuses for ourselves. I was then thinking we have a couple of days uncovered on the ring of fire, are we building up his highway, being effective watchmen what about the gaps. I felt He was saying we need to continue to seek His face and not be distracted or tempted. Our ring of fire is important for the healing of our town. However, life happens and if you can no longer do it or can't do it on a specific month then please let us know just text or email us. It is really important we have all the bases covered all the watchtowers manned we are on a mission we need to know where the gaps are and if new ones are forming so we can help each other, unite and stand in them. This ensures we have continuous prayer - He will hear from Heaven and heal our land. If you know of others praying please ask them if they can take a spare day. Bless you all for praying as you do for our town. Arise, shine for your light has come and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. I am believing it is making a big difference and preparing the way for Him to work.

29/10/2017 - It's really encouraging. Interestingly, I had all the same temptations the last time I fasted. We do need to baton down the hatches and keep on keeping on.

29/10/2017 - Thanks ladies, all so encouraging. Yes we must keep on keeping on. Mark tells us that Jesus said, with man this can be impossible, but with God it is not, all things are possible with God.

Thank you Jesus. Amen



31/10/2017 - A word for Ashford today as we walk around the town Ps.22v26 I will invite the poor and broken and they WILL COME and eat until satisfied. Bring Yahweh praise and you WILL find Him and your hearts WILL overflow with outrageous joy! Yes!!!

31/10/2017 -Outrageous joy! Wonderful, wonderful, wonderful. Praise Him

31/10/2017 - Prayed as we walked through the streets this morning speaking over people: places and shopping areas Fathers Outrageous transforming joy and Life. Prayed with J and M both homeless ...but God! ...May God grant us the strength to break with rituals and to step out in faith allowing Him to lead us. From the head of our churches down.

Pharisees and Sadducees fell into this trap of religiosity let it no longer be our portion so let us pray that the chains of religiosity be broken and that God's light shines through all our churches in Jesus name



04/11/2017 - Today is my day to pray for Ashford. My reading this morning took me to Jeremiah 31. Verse 16 stood out as the verse for Ashford and all those who are praying for her.

"This is what the Lord says, 'Restrain your voice from weeping and your eyes from tears, for your work will be rewarded'. Declares the Lord"

Jesus is pleased with your Ring of Fire and will bless all that you are accomplishing in His Name. Hallelujah.

04/11/2017- Very encouraging this morning! Yes ' The Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace'...He will do what He has promised for Ashford.



12/11/2017 - Good afternoon my brothers and sisters. God is good. Today is my turn to pray for Ashford and interestingly enough our preaching today was on intercession and taken from Daniel 10.

As I pray for Ashford and all the surrounding villages I am encouraged by the words of Daniel 10: 12

"...Since the first day that you set your mind to gain understanding and to humble yourself before your God, your words were heard, and I have come in response to them."

I believe this is for us ...Since the first day we set our minds to pray for Ashford and humbled ourselves before God He has heard our cries and will answer them.

My prayer today is that God will loose His heavenly army of angels over Ashford and surrounding villages to destroy every spiritual attack and every evil plan of the enemy. I declare salvation and abundant life into everyone living and working in Ashford and surrounding villages. And I pray the blood of Jesus over this entire area.



13/11/2017 - On Saturday during our time of prayer X read from Psalm 133, as this was the message she received during her time of prayer for Ashford. I needed to understand its relevance to AIM and what we are doing so I prayed about it and early this morning I was woken to research it. Yes, it is a Psalm encouraging unity, and extolling the virtues of living together in peace. (It is breaking our Lord's heart that man has allowed the enemy to create discord and disharmony all around). And indeed living in unity with your brother man should be the aim of every Christian. However, one commentary I found very interesting is that the tribes of Israel had long had separate interests during the government of Judges but now they were united under the one head, David. And it is because of this coming together that David had written this Psalm, He saw how much it would benefit them all, to have the tribes living together in harmony and it was good to be in the will of God and it was good for them to be in one accord. So I

believe, yes God wants everyone to live together in peace but for us at AIM, who represent different churches and different denominations, we have also come together under one common head: AIM!

It is an encouragement to us, I believe, that the Lord is happy with this endeavour, this coming together under one common cause, this unity of his church "For there the Lord bestows His blessing even life forevermore." Amen

13/11/2017- We have had that Psalm brought to us before and also Isaiah 62 which was also given on Saturday. Your summary is confirmation of what we have felt was what God has been saying to us so thank you so much for that. We are indeed one church together in harmony and we must do all we can to remain that way. The Lord bless you x

13/11/2017 - That's really helpful and a very affirming way to start another week



14/11/2017 - Good morning -Ezekiel 37 (dry bones) and - we are all the Body of Christ and need our dry bones to be called to LIFE. This same Scripture has been given by God to us in Manchester. Several people at the church here have heard the same Word from God and we are meeting with a group of 19 people to begin to put into place the Priesthood of all Believers to pray this prayer over Manchester and the world generally! How marvellous, God is saying the same thing in Kent and in Manchester.

PRAISE HIS HOLY NAME!

14/11/2017 - thank you so much for this encouragement this morning! I had to scroll back a long way to find this from June! God had given me that word too when I was praying in June.

When we were praying on Saturday morning I also found myself singing this quietly to myself as well. God has prompted it again in my Spirit and also in others. I am thinking, like I thought in June, that we need to be singing this in our churches again and sharing with our congregations as well. Was such a powerful move of the Spirit when we sung this at our Praise event after 24 hour prayer and at the

prayer day teaching with Jonathan but maybe we all as Christians need to be affirming this. Bless you all

14/11/2017 - Wow! X was given this also last wed in a whole church prayer group for revival. God's word is constant and true xx



14/11/2017- Evening everyone, it was my turn to pray for Ashford today. Since Ezekiel 37 had been mentioned I prayed with that in mind. I was struck by verse 3: "Son of man, can these Bones live?" I said, "O sovereign Lord, You alone know."

The prophet was faced with an impossible situation in the natural, but met the Lord's question with a surrendered and I felt expectant attitude enabling God to move the situation on. So I prayed for Ashford Christians to have this surrendered attitude and to be expectant to see God move in impossible situations. He will make these things possible and people will see there is a God who loves and leads us as we listen to Him and hear His Word. What a wonderful God we serve, praise His name in all the earth.



15/11/2017 -Evening everyone, Today has been my day & as a church we have been looking at God's wisdom & I have been praying for various situations for conflicts with every day stuff & interactions with work colleagues, clients, neighbours, family & friends etc. However as I prayed further through the day I felt the need to pray for our young people, in Ashford, Canterbury & Manchester. They are so vulnerable & have access to all the wicked ways of our world such as drugs etc. & being out on the streets. I pray as it is now our cold season that some of their friends can lure them into a warm good environment. As I was praying the verses of 'lean not on your own understanding' came to mind. Here is the Good News version

Proverbs 3

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, never rely on what you think you know. Remember the Lord in everything you do & he will show you the right way. Praise the Lord his words come to us in our need



25/11/2017 - A word renewed for Ashford Today. Zech 2:5 (The Voice)

For the Eternal One says instead of a wall of stone I will be a wall of fire protecting her all around, and I will be the shining glory within her.



28/11/2017 - Morning all. My day today and already feel God saying He is going to pour out His blessings on Ashford today so look out for them everyone. We are so privileged to partner with Him in praying for Ashford. He hears our prayers and is pleased His children are standing in the gap. Keep on keeping on everyone and don't forget to drop a message on here that you have prayed even if you don't get chance to add any more info. It is encouraging to see the ring burning brightly and know how important our day is in keeping it whole. Praise God for all He will do today we are so blessed we are not in this world without Him. Hallelujah Jesus we love you.



28/11/2017 - I did pray on Friday 24th Nov.....just been a very busy time and didn't get to post on here when I had prayed. Enjoyed a wonderful community event at church on Saturday though with our Christmas craft fair in aid of Ashford Street Pastors and was reminded of how good it is to be involved in our local community in different ways, shining Jesus' light just where we are. Bless you all and looking forward to praying on Christmas Eve too as my next official 'day'



29/11/2017- Am full of joy and praise for Ashford town this morning and what God is doing, going to do and done.

This song reflects the power of God, unity of churches and his people, love, hope and revival. Great lyrics.

"Build your Kingdom here, let the darkness fear, show your mighty hand heal our streets and land, set your church on fire win this nation back change the atmosphere we pray."

Psalms 22.3 God inhabits the praises of his people.

God bless your day ahead.

29/11/2017 - that's what I got all day yesterday too. We are so blessed He hears our prayers.



15/08/2017 - Today was my day to pray for Ashford & this morning I was watching these children playing in a river & jumping the stepping stones & going across on a rope swing. What fun they were having but what trust they all had in each other as they all helped with no fear. It struck me how we need to be helping & supporting each other with no fear. Galatians 5 tells us we have this wonderful freedom in Christ. Whilst Walking & praying for Ashford Christians, you our brothers & sisters in Jesus, praying that the Holy Spirit will fill you all, I also prayed that the opposition would float away & disappear, at the same time the Church Bells were ringing beautifully! Later I am looking at Romans 12. Where Paul urges us Brothers & Sisters to not conform to the patterns of this world & to renew our minds and for each of us as one body but many members with different functions & gifts, working together in Christ to form one body to belong together.

I am just seeing this as a picture with no fear in God's love for us to work as one.



03/12/2017 - Hi all it's been my turn to pray. I may have been absent from here but I've still been praying... Today I found a New Christmas. For many years I've struggled with it, if I'm honest I've been held in bondage by expectation; what I should do, who I should see, protocol, family issues, in fact any issue that could distract me from the real Christmas. The enemy bound me, entangling me in my past..... God doesn't want that for anyone. He wants to open the eyes, ears and hearts of the people of Ashford so they can be free of the burden of Christmas without Jesus. Matthew 11: 28-30 "Come to me,

all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.... It is our responsibility to share the miracle that is the Real Christmas, let Ashford know that Jesus is the reason, the only reason that we have this very special chance to celebrate... God Bless,

03/12/2017 I think that verse is so powerful for this time of year when it's so easy to be so distracted by everything and caught up in so much that often we end up missing opportunities to share the true meaning of Christmas with those who need to hear it most. Thank you for that reminder and will be praying into that. We were reminded this morning at church when reflecting on Advent to be active in our waiting for the Lord to come back and this just affirms that....there is such an urgency to share Jesus with those who don't yet know him. Bless you.

03/12/2017 - It went well yesterday. As well as singing some carols/songs, Pastor shared a short message and prayed over the town, we gave out love cards and offered free hugs! X felt prompted to go over to one man who stopped to listen. We had been singing a song in Swahili and it took his attention as he was originally from an African country where Swahili is spoken. X offered to pray for him. He prayed for his arm (which had been affected by a stroke) and the prayed for his legs which were uneven lengths. X said he is sure he could see his shorter leg grow to match the other one. The man said he could definitely feel something going on in his leg and that he would go and get checked out. Praise God!

03/12/2017 - Thank the Lord for miracles

03/12/2017- On Saturday some of us gathered at the bandstand where we sang carols including a Swahili carol, which made a man who originated from Kenya stop & listen. One of our members spoke to him and prayed for him and saw a miracle in his leg.

Pastor preached good tidings and prayed out for all of Ashford. One member of the public actually joined us on the bandstand to sing carols, other members of the public received the free hugs that were on offer. It was a wonderful time and it spilt over into our service today where we had powerful preaching and our service ended in

spontaneous singing and dancing to the Lord. What a blessed time ...and I believe this is only the beginning for all of us in Jesus name x

03/12/2017 - Amen, it's wonderful to hear what God is doing in Ashford. Prayer is the key. Thank you both for sharing what happened. As we step out God moves. Pray a blessing over you all

03/12/2017 - Praise the Lord Thank you for sharing it is so encouraging

03/12/2017 - Wonderful news to hear on the eve of another week

03/12/2017 - Thrilling news Tukutendaraza Yesu. (praise You Jesus ..Swahili!)

03/12/2017 - Glory to God! Prayer works and miracles will always follow the gospel of Jesus wherever he is preached.

Thanks be unto God

04/12/2017- Amen! Thank you Father for miracles at the Bandstand in Saturday. Praise Him for the miracle of the first Christmas. Holy Spirit, come and fill us all now with your peace and love. Amen



4/12/2017 - It's been my turn today to think about Ashford. It is great to hear all the enthusiasm that is so prevalent in all your texts.

Wonderful. May I give you Leviticus 6 v 12. "The fire on the altar must be kept burning; it must not go out" I believe God is saying that He is overjoyed at all that is happening there, but that glorious enthusiasm must not be allowed to burn away. Keep the fire burning ladies, keep the fire burning. (Perhaps I shouldn't have said "ladies", but I haven't noticed any men's names on the texts) God bless you all.



07/12/2017 - The issue over our MP has been on my heart a lot. Father, may the light of your truth shine brightly on this matter, so that the truth will be revealed and evil actions will stand condemned. Luke 6:45 "A good man brings good things out of the good stored up in his heart, and an evil man brings evil things out of the evil stored up in his heart. For the mouth speaks what the heart is full of." Amen

07/12/2017-I have heard that other MPs have had bad material put onto their computers by scammers. Whether or not this is true I don't know. But if it is then this MP is innocent.

07/12/2017 - Indeed. Let's not spring to judgement here. Hence my prayer that Jesus' light reveal the truth for all to see. To him be the glory! Amen



11/12/2017 - It was my day to pray. I received the following: May we recognise the authority we have in Christ. Remember that God gave authority over earth to Adam and Eve but when they chose to follow Satan, they transferred that authority to him. But remember also that Jesus came and died as a sacrifice and therefore won back that authority. As soon as we are born again and give our lives to Christ, we join Him in His victory and therefore authority over earth is bestowed on us through Jesus. Therefore take up your authority and speak it in strength across Ashford. We have the right to claim Ashford back in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. It is for His glory alone that we stand and lost souls are and will be returned to Him through our prayers. Therefore stand strong and stand against all arrows from the enemy for Jesus has already won this battle and He will call His children home. Hallelujah. All praise to our Father in heaven whose love is everlasting. Keep holding His banner high in prayer and we shall see the harvest. Isaiah 55:1 Come all you who are thirsty, come to the waters; and you who have no money, come buy and eat! Come buy wine and milk without money and without cost.

11/12/2017 - Absolutely. We have been given dominion over ALL the earth. We need to take hold of that dominion and let the enemy know that he can't trick us out of it ever again. Thank You Jesus!



12/12/2017 - Dear all, On the 9th June 2018 evangelist J John is hosting the Just One outreach for Kent at Priestfield Stadium. We from Ashford are encouraged to take One unchurched person with us to this.



12/12/2017 - Today is my turn to pray for Ashford and believing nothing happens by accident, our Pastor preached on chapter 9 of the book of Daniel. In light of what is going on in Jerusalem at this time its relevance is obvious! Time is pressing!! So I prayed Daniels prayer for Jerusalem over our own town of Ashford because God has chosen it as His! Not because of our righteousness but because of His great mercies. May the Lord continue to lead us, use us and fill us with His fire, in Jesus name x



15/12/2017 - It was my turn for prayer yesterday. When I went to Ashford I prayed prayers of blessing, that people would hear the good news about Jesus this Christmas time, the right sermons to be spoken.

For most of the day I was busy so prayed in tongues, then at night I felt the Lord pointed me to Jacob 's dream of the ladder going up to Heaven, so I prayed for an open Heaven over our area.

15/12/2017 - Amen! Heaven open over Ashford sounds wonderful.

15/12/2017 - Yes it does thanks for sharing it is reassuring to hear the prayers that are being sent up and keeping the ring if fire burning.

15/12/2017 - Rev 3:7-8. What Christ opens no man can close.

15/12/2017 -Just to encourage you all. We had our church prayer meeting this morning and we discussed the prayer of Daniel ch 9, followed by many prayers on each Christian being like the fairy lights shining for you. In our own walk in our own shoes. Give us courage and boldness. Bring those that are receptive into our path. No formula but love a desire to see all adopted as Sons and daughters. Those that need someone to walk them over the threshold.

15/12/2017 - Amen. Daniel 9 is very prevalent this season



16/12/2017:- As I was praying for Ashford today I felt God say that He has Ashford and all of you on His Heart. How wonderful. Bless you all.



18/12/2017 - Hi All, it's my turn to pray today. I felt Father God say ' keep pressing on & keep pressing into God. We are in this for the long haul. I had a picture of Ashford as a gateway & saw a wall of fire attached to the gateway. I was taken to Zechariah 2v5 & believe Jesus is saying He is the wall of fire & He will be its glory within the wall. I had this Noel Richards song; Step by step we're moving forward; little by little we're taking ground; every prayer a powerful weapon; strongholds come tumbling down and down and down. We're gonna see Jesus lifted high; a banner that flies across this town; that all men might see the Truth and know He us the way to heaven. We're gonna see Jesus lifted high. Blessings.

18/12/2017 -Yes we fully agree. Thankyou so much!

18/12/2017 - I agree completely. Amen

18/12/2017 -Thanks for this encouraging picture.



21/12/2017 - Had a picture this morning as I was praying of the multitude of angels proclaiming the message of Emmanuel over our town. Then read this proclamation in The Message Ps 24

Wake up you sleepy head city! Wake up you sleepy head people!

King Glory is ready to enter. Who is this King Glory?

God, armed and battle ready. ..God of the angel armies He is King Glory.

21/12/2017-John 16:33 - But when he, the spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come.

22/12/2017- Yes he will tell us indeed & protect us with his amazing armour of truth Amen



25/12/2017- Was praying once more for the Light to be revealed yesterday and this morning have just got back from my parent's

church.....Stephen, the padre there, (it's a military Church) was focusing purely on the light of the world and we were reminded of the verse we have been given before "“Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you.” Isaiah 60:1 NIV

We were then invited to come and write a longing for the year ahead and place it in a stocking for Jesus. I've been able to pray this word over the people of Ashford today and bring them before the Lord. The last thing that I want to share is a statistic that Stephen shared. Today 17% of people will go to church for Christmas Day. In 1956 it was 84%!!! There is a massive urgency for people to come back to the Light ★ Bless you all and Happy Christmas to you all too. What an amazing God we serve and how we long for all to know this wonderful Light of the World



26/12/2017 - My turn today. Isaiah 53 came to me it's a fitting scripture for the day after we celebrate Christmas.



27/12/2017 - Lord please give us ALL opportunities to share the gospel this coming year. Give us opportunities to witness, to take action when we can, show love, grace, to listen, to pray for the lost and help us to encourage each other on. Show love and pray for each other.

Help us to walk in faith not by sight. Help us to keep our eyes on you. Praise God for all he has done and going to do in ASHFORD town in 2018!!!



28/12/2017 - Rejoice, rejoice our God saves. He chose us to spread His love all around to shine into the darkness. Praise God He already has the victory and therefore so do we.



31/12/2017 - Psalm 100. Thank you Lord for this year! We Praise You!! Have a wonderful New Year's Eve whatever you're up to. Look forward to seeing what 2018 holds for AIM.



01/01/2018 - Happy New Year to everyone and may this be a year where we see many lives changed as people recognise the power of our amazing God and accept Him into their lives I cannot wait to see what God has in store for 2018.

01/01/2018 - Amen! Let us go into the night with our hand in Gods hand and be the light to the world. We go in the knowledge that Father is with us & if He is for us, who can stand against us? Let us be strong & courageous in 2018 with our confidence in Father God. Blessings.



04/01/2018 - Good morning everyone, and God bless you all in Ashford in 2018. It's my day for prayer. I have found myself concentrating in Luke chap 9 v 28ff. The Transfiguration of Jesus. Particularly verse 35. "This is My Son, whom I have chosen; LISTEN TO HIM"!! I truly believe that God wants us to take this seriously. To stop "chuntering" on to Him with lots of words and prayers and to STOP and LISTEN to what He wants to say! So I challenge you to spend the rest of this month just listening for what He wants to tell you all in Ashford. I know that silence is very difficult, but I truly believe that you are going to miss something wonderful unless you really LISTEN to His whisper. May He bless you all with His wondrous revelations.

04/01/2018 - Definitely, listen to the still small voice and he will speak. How awesome.



09/01/2018 - A prayer over Ashford today: "Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. - Matthew 6:19 Everything created is passing away. Why put your heart and soul into any of it, therefore, if it will not last? How much more fulfilling to give your heart to Jesus, our bright Morning Star! Our Prince of Peace! Our Wonderful Counsellor! 9 He has saved us and called us to a holy life - not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time, 2 Timothy 1:9 | NIVUK

Thank you Lord Jesus for so graciously loving us, and dying for us. You have pulled us up out of the miry pit, and crowned us with your love. Thank you for all your good gifts to us - homes, family, friends, etc. but help us to put these earthly things in their correct place - and to give you top priority in our lives - trusting in you above all other things. Amen

09/01/2018 - Amen. Thank you. He is our great God



12/01/2018 - It is my turn to pray for Ashford. As I did so I was led to Elisha and his servant who were besieged by their enemies. The servant. Was distraught as saw no way out until Elisha prayed God to open his servant's eyes to see Gods heavenly army who outnumbered their enemy. So I prayed God would action His heavenly army and defeat the enemy in the spirit realm over Ashford that His light may reach every dark corner of Ashford so that everything hidden and done in darkness will be brought into the light. I also saw Ashford as a city on a hill...a city filled with light. A city of light in Jesus name. Thank you heavenly Father for your plans go way beyond what we can possibly think or imagine.

12/01/2018 - This chimes with words given to others. Praise God for his wonderful love for the people in our town.

12/01/2018- Thank you for sharing and reminding us He has Bigger plans than we can see sometimes.



15/01/2018 -Morning everyone, it was my turn yesterday to listen and pray. I felt the Lord point me to Psalm 133 -- "How good and pleasant it is when brothers live together in unity! It is like precious oil poured on the head, running down on the beard, running down on Aaron 's beard, down upon the collar of his robes. It is as if the dew of Hermon were falling on Mount Zion. For there the Lord bestows His blessing, even life for ever more. Various points came to me from this psalm- the repetition of running down, the words down and falling made me think of people falling down before God in surrender. Precious oil-- crushing of self, a fragrant offering to God. I prayed for the dew of Heaven to fall on Ashford to sustain God' people in dry and thirsty times as we live in true unity together.

Prayed about our witness to others --- may the Lord's blessing bring more people into His Kingdom on the Ashford area. I prayed for a broad unity between church leaders and congregations across Ashford and individual church unity. "May the God who gives endurance and encouragement give you a spirit of unity among yourselves as you follow Christ Jesus, so that with one heart and mouth you may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you, in order to bring praise to God "Rom. 15:5-7

15/01/2018 -Thanks. That is such an uplifting confirmation of where we need to be



16/01/2018 Yesterday was my turn & I was particularly thinking about the so many that are in need of God's love in their lives. Broken families, those living on the streets, horrid arguments, people who are trapped with various illnesses, & we all know the list just goes on, all this happening here in Ashford & indeed everywhere BUT we have our amazing loving God who supports us to support & love others AND we are so much stronger than we think, our God gives us a shoulder for others to cry on, a hand to help, an ear to listen, a heart

to love & pray. We can do this together or on our own BUT we are not on our own because we are united as Brothers & Sisters with each other & in Christ. A while ago at WBC one of our study memory verses was from Ephesians 4:3 'Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace'. Along with my praying & reading & thinking about how faithful our God is at keeping us strong, I came across Colossians 3:14 'The most important piece of clothing You MUST wear is LOVE. LOVE is what binds is all together.' Amen



20/01/2018 - Great to be together this morning. It's wonderful to pray together and be intentional in praying for Ashford. Really enjoyed meeting new people and seeing those met before. Thank you to St Francis Road Church for hosting. It was wonderful! Felt very welcome. Look forward to seeing what God is going to do in 2018. Completely dependent on his leading. Aww it's exciting!!

20/01/2018 - Yes it was so great to be together again. We were reminded again how much it pleases our Father for the churches to move together as one family because that is what we are. The next gathering is Tuesday 6th Feb at 7:30pm at WBC. You really don't want to miss it unless you have to.



22/01/2018 -

<http://www.equipandempower.org/neutrino/emso2/email.php?email=376e11a7fe7a11e7b898&template=6a5c04b4c4b811e39830>

Hopefully link worked. It links to the prayers on Saturday about the lost and the heart for the lost.



26/01/2018 - Dear all Just before I go off to our weekly revival prayer meeting this morning I want to thank all of you who got together for prayer last Saturday. It was really good! God is drawing all His churches together in Ashford for prayer.



09:32 - +44 7532 417549: <https://youtu.be/FtUNQpu2b7Q>

03/02/2018 - We cannot exaggerate the goodness of God and His love for the people and families of Ashford! We may unintentionally dilute it or misrepresent it but we could never ever exaggerate His love. What a mandate!

Psalm 34 v 8 Oh taste: Ashford: see that the Lord is good!

03/02/2018- Always & forever he is good Amen



06/02/2018 - It's Psalm 45 to take on board after yesterday. A Messianic Psalm, celebrating Jesus the King of the kingdom we belong to. It's time to recognise exactly who we are in Christ Jesus! Children of God, joint heirs of Christ and New Creations in Christ Jesus. Let's celebrate that and receive ALL that we have because Jesus is King of kings and Lord of all! May your prayer meeting tomorrow praise and glorify Him for all He has done and all He is doing and will do, as His Kingdom becomes the ruling power of this sad old world. Praise His Holy Name!

06/02/2018 -Now that's a message to wake up to! Thank you for sharing. How could anyone not want to live in that Kingdom with such affirmation of who we are in Christ. Just so many don't know of Him or choose to ignore/remain blind to these amazing truths. We need to pray for the blind of Ashford to see and for scales to drop from people's eyes so this Kingdom becomes reality for those who do not know or do not accept their inheritance in Christ. Be blessed tonight as you bring Ashford to the Lord



09/02/2018 - My turn to pray today. My daily Bible Reading included the story of the Golden Calf. Exodus 32:20 - Moses ground the calf into powder and made the people swallow it in water. In other words, there was nothing left of their so-called god except waste matter. Our God is the awesome Creator Father, Son and Spirit - from everlasting

to everlasting "8 Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and for ever." Hebrews 13:8 | NIVUK

So what should be our response? To worship our God above everything else. Nothing else satisfies. Nothing else can fulfil promises like our God. And we pray for the people of our town, that they too will put their trust in God and not in the things of this world. "And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, 2 fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy that was set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God." Hebrews 12:1c-2 | NIVUK



12/02/2018 -It is my turn to pray for Ashford today and as I was doing so and thanking the Lord for handpicking me for such a privilege 1Corinthians 12:12 came to my spirit. Because we each one represents our different churches, yet at the same time are one body of Christ. Each of our churches has been given a different purpose but each purpose has the ultimate goal of bringing those around us and with whom we have contact, to Christ our Saviour and Redeemer. It is marvellous how God brought us all together to pray for

Ashford and then bring that message into our different churches to action it. Verse 18 says "Now God has set members each one of them, in the body just as He pleased." As each of our churches devise God led strategies to be witnesses of Jesus Christ and make disciples of all nations particularly Ashford, we are in fact actioning the prayers of AIM. To God be the glory. So be blessed my brothers and sisters. Be encouraged. AIM is laying the groundwork for all of God's churches in Ashford to action. This is what has been revealed in my spirit.

12/02/2018- I love the image of foundation building. So often that's the bit that takes a while, is not always seen, is not particularly attractive but has to be done so properly in order for the rest of the building to be built on the strong and solid foundations and last. Thanks for sharing this.

12/02/2018 -Thank you both for this encouragement. It is so true we are one body and it is a privilege to Pray in the Kingdom.

12/02/2018- Ah Thank you both. That is just so wonderfully encouraging



15/02/2018- Morning everyone It was my turn to pray yesterday. I started off praying for all the various construction workers around the town, for their safety. The coordination of all these projects to work well and that Ashford would be a prosperous town able to provide for the needy in its midst. Prayed for single parents bringing up their families and for young people generally. Isaiah 55: 1-3

May these youngsters see the work of churches/Christians in the town, see the evidence of God's love through these works and be attracted to Jesus. John 4: 34-36 (fields ripe for harvest).

Then prayed for the J. John initiative in Gillingham that it would be a means to harvest souls for eternity in Ashford.



15/02/2018 -My prayer for today is for all in Ashford for the young children who have way too much to bear, for the young people who struggle, for adults who really don't know which way to turn & for our older generation who are lonely or sick, may they all turn to see our lord's beautiful ways. May god grant us, as Christian Brothers & Sisters, all the gifts & love we need to be bold & support who ever we are in contact with this day, the day our Lord has blessed us with. We can do this because we can trust in our Lord because he LOVES us Trust in the Lord Seek his will in all you do & he will direct your path.



16/02/2018 -Praying for Ashford today and had a picture of God with His arms outstretched over Ashford and then led to read Ps.145. I was greatly encouraged and lifted in my spirit. God bless you all.

16/02/2018- Affirmation of His continuing faithfulness. That picture was so clear as well during our 24hr prayer time last year and at lots

*of other times too. Thank you Lord for your truth and your
faithfulness to all of Ashford*