

# Circuit Prayer for 2019-2020

We thank you that each church in our Circuit has its own distinctive life.

May we draw on each other's strengths as we seek to overcome areas where we feel most vulnerable.

Help us to see opportunities in front of us and to grasp hold of them.

Through our worship, learning and caring, service and evangelism, inspire us in reaching out to make more disciples of Jesus.

Through your Spirit

Guide us, encourage us, feed and nourish us, extend our imagination, so that, in our working together with each other and with you, we fulfil your loving, creative, life-changing purposes for your world.

Through Jesus Christ, our Living Lord, Amen.

## A prayer for WORSHIP

Awesome and amazing God,

when we contemplate your glory, may we be compelled to worship you.

When we encounter your love, may we be moved to celebrate.

When we experience your presence, may we be stirred to make you known to every nation.

May our whole lives become an act of worship to you - help us to worship you in spirit and in truth, in being and doing.

When we gather together to worship you, may our praise and our joy be genuine.

As we are nourished and fed by your Spirit,

make us ready to share the good news of your love in Christ.

In his name, Amen.

## “Nourished & Fed, Ready to Share”

Following Our Calling from December 2019 to February 2020 we consider; **Worship** “The Church exists to increase awareness of God’s presence and to celebrate God’s love”.

The text we have chosen for Dwelling in the Word is  
Revelation 7 : 9 – 17



### **A prayer as we Dwell in the Word**

Loving God,  
Although our destination is not yet clear,  
May we trust in your graceful promises;  
Though we are uncertain of ourselves,  
May we be rooted in your loving regard;  
Though our attention is inclined to wander,  
May we hear the things you are saying;  
Though we often neglect your influence,  
May we be convicted of your power to change,  
In Jesus Christ our Lord,  
Amen.

