

PRAYER MINISTRY

Bradford Court Chaplaincy Service (BCCS) offers practical help and support to **ANYONE** attending the Magistrates' Court, the Crown Court or the Coroner's Court.

As you can imagine **courts are very stressful places** for those who are summoned to attend and for those who work there.

Chaplains and Volunteers help with all kinds of problems including:

alcohol, asylum and immigration, bereavement, debt management, domestic violence, drugs, elder abuse, forced marriage, homelessness, hunger, loneliness, mental health issues, parenting problems, relationship issues

You can help! We need your prayers. Our work is hard and we need prayers.

Will you undertake to say a short prayer everyday for the work of BCCS? **Please pray in ANY way you feel comfortable.** There is a suggested prayer below, if it helps.

Suggested Prayer:

Heavenly Father (Almighty God), we hold before you today all who must attend court in Bradford, for whatever reason, especially those who have serious problems and all in distress. We ask that you guide them to seek the help of the Chaplaincy team.

Please bless the Chaplains, Volunteers and Staff and help them support all those in need.

Today we ask especially that you bless all *(please mention the group listed below)*
.....and their families.

Thank you, Lord, for all who give time or money to this service. We ask you to reward them richly for their charity and pray that they will continue to give generously. Amen

Monday: Victims and witnesses of crime
Tuesday: Defendants, especially those who will go to prison today
Wednesday: Solicitors and barristers, prosecutors and police officers
Thursday: Legal adviser, court clerks, ushers, security and custody staff
Friday: Probation staff and support workers (Drug Intervention, witness support) etc
Saturday: All staff of the Courts, Tribunal Service and Coroner's court
Sunday: Magistrates, District Judges, Judges and Coroners

If you are happy to do this, please fill in & return the slip below or hand back to
Your details will not be passed on to any one else.

I am happy to be a Prayer Sponsor for Bradford Court Chaplaincy Service

I would like to receive your newsletter. (please tick) YES No

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