

# Dementia – Prayer Week<sup>©</sup>

## 12th – 19th March 2015

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Dear Friends,

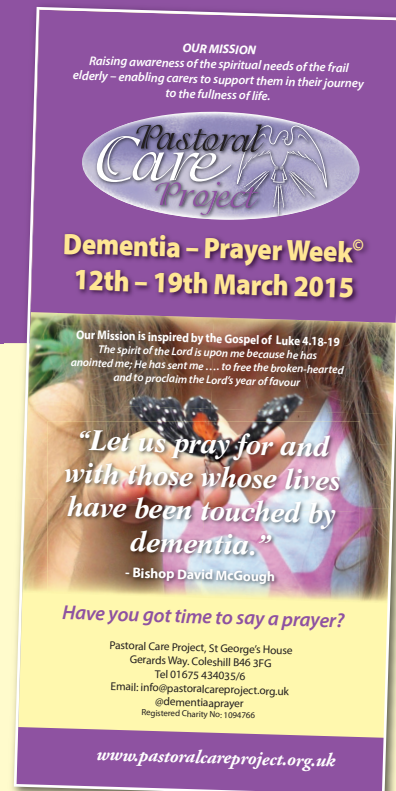
**I warmly recommend to you  
Dementia – Prayer Week 12 – 19th  
March 2015.**

Dementia is a degenerative disease which tends to isolate both the sufferer and the families that surround them. Confronted with this condition we naturally feel inadequate. Prayer is one very powerful way of connecting with all concerned. Let us pray for and with those whose lives have been touched by dementia. In this way we unite ourselves with them, forging a link with the Lord that words alone cannot express.

One of my own lasting links with my mother in her final months was to share with her the Hail Mary. Dementia had robbed her of many links with the past, but prayer endured as a living link to the end.

Let this **Dementia – Prayer Week** become your link to the many families struggling with dementia.

*Bishop David McGough Auxiliary Bishop of Birmingham and Lead Bishop to the Pastoral Care Project*



### Our annual appeal for prayer and almsgiving

Below are a few examples of how to take part.

- **Church Services**
- **Collections for our charity**
- **Bake n Share event (1Kings Ch 19.)**
- **School Assembly, Yellow Day of Hope**
- **Carers Service of Thanksgiving**
- **Religious Order Community Prayer**

Video clips on faith and dementia on our website

For those who plan to organise a Service and Almsgiving event please telephone 01675 434035 or email us [info@pastoralcareproject.org.uk](mailto:info@pastoralcareproject.org.uk) to request an information pack.

### We are supporting the Pastoral Care Project's Dementia- Prayer Week<sup>©</sup> 12-19th March 2015

Our Prayer Time is.....

Date..... Time.....

Our almsgiving event is .....\*

Date..... Time.....

This is the Pastoral Care Projects Annual Appeal for Prayer and Almsgiving, proceeds raised from the event should be sent to the Pastoral Care Project for the continuity of its work in supporting parishes and families.

Please copy the above text into notices of your event.

Please let us know the date and time of your event so we can promote it on our website

#### Gift Aid Form

Name..... Title.....

Surname .....

Address .....

..... Postcode.....

#### Gift Aid Declaration

Please treat as Gift Aid all donations I have made to the Pastoral Care Project over the past four years and all donations I make thereafter until I advise otherwise. I understand the Pastoral Care Project will reclaim tax on every donation that I give. I understand I can cancel this declaration at any time by notifying the Pastoral Care Project.

\*You must pay an amount of UK income tax and/or capital gains tax at least equal to the tax that the Pastoral Care Project reclaims on your donations in the tax year. (at the current rate).

Signed .....

Date .....