

Prayer news: January 2019

We are grateful for all your prayers for people affected by homelessness and poverty. As we look back on 2018, we are very aware of God's abundant goodness to us and for answered prayer.

City Centre

- Give thanks for the Gathering - our weekly interactive church service. Often guests say to us that the theme for that week's Gathering was exactly the issue they had been struggling with, and are able to receive prayer. Please pray that this would continue to be a place where guests feel safe and can learn more about God's love for them.
- Give thanks that guests are now helping to lead some of the short courses we run as part of our Urban café, such as DJ workshops. Please pray that through this they will grow in confidence.
- Addiction continues to cause devastation in the lives of our guests – please pray we will be able to help them find the most appropriate support and that we can help them persevere through to recovery.

Child and Family Centre, Govan

- Please pray that the children who started at the nursery this month will settle in quickly, make friends and enjoy their time with us.
- Please pray we would be able to develop our work, particularly with dads as we seek to develop stronger relationships with them and equip them in their parenting roles.

Glasgow Winter Night Shelter

- Give thanks for successful partnership working which is resulting in a significant number of the night shelter guests being offered accommodation. Please pray that we would continue to enjoy good relationships with partner organisations, and that night shelter guests would continue to be quickly accommodated.
- Many of the guests at our night shelter have multiple and complex needs, and can be reluctant to engage with services. Please pray that as night shelter staff build relationships with our guests, we would be able to support them to receive the help they require, for example with their health needs.

