



24/7

a family of
prayer
for all
nations

Praying with the nations for the nations

This week is a week of 24/7 Global prayer – our prayers are part of a global movement. Whether it's for our community or another corner of the world, praying together is powerful.



monday

If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.

2 Chronicles 7:14

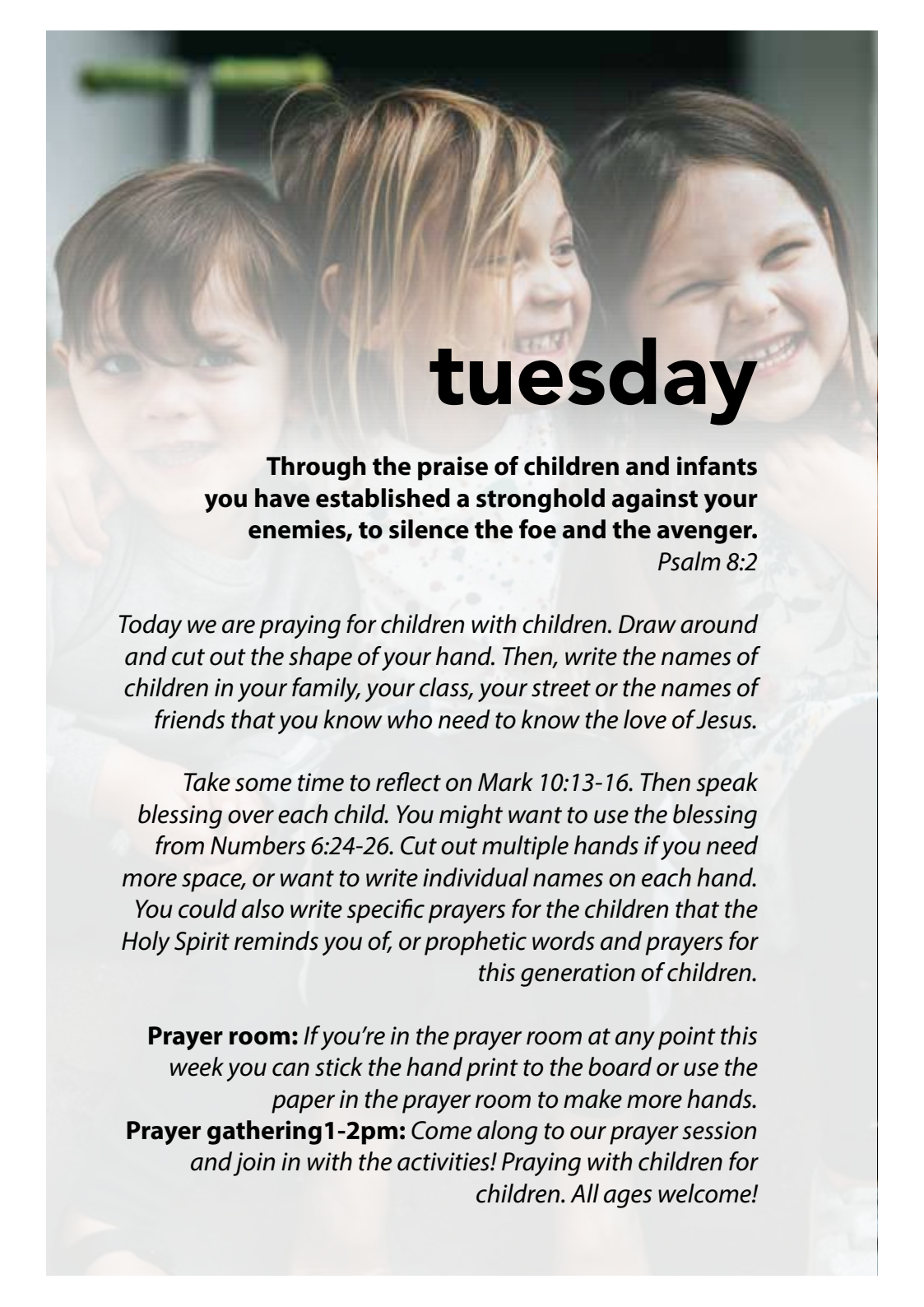
Choose your own country, or a country God has placed on your heart, and pray for God's forgiveness and healing as you colour in the map.

Read through Mark 4:14-19 describing what the Holy Spirit anointed Jesus to do, pausing on phrases that stand out to you.

Pray that the nation you are colouring on the map would experience the good news, the freedom, the recovery, the healing and the favour that the passage describes. As you cover the map with colour, pray that God would cover the world with his glory and lift his name high!

Prayer room: *If you're in the prayer room any day this week you can colour in the map on the board and write prayers around it.*



A background image of three young children, two girls and one boy, smiling and laughing together. The word 'tuesday' is written in a large, bold, black font over the image.

tuesday

**Through the praise of children and infants
you have established a stronghold against your
enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger.**

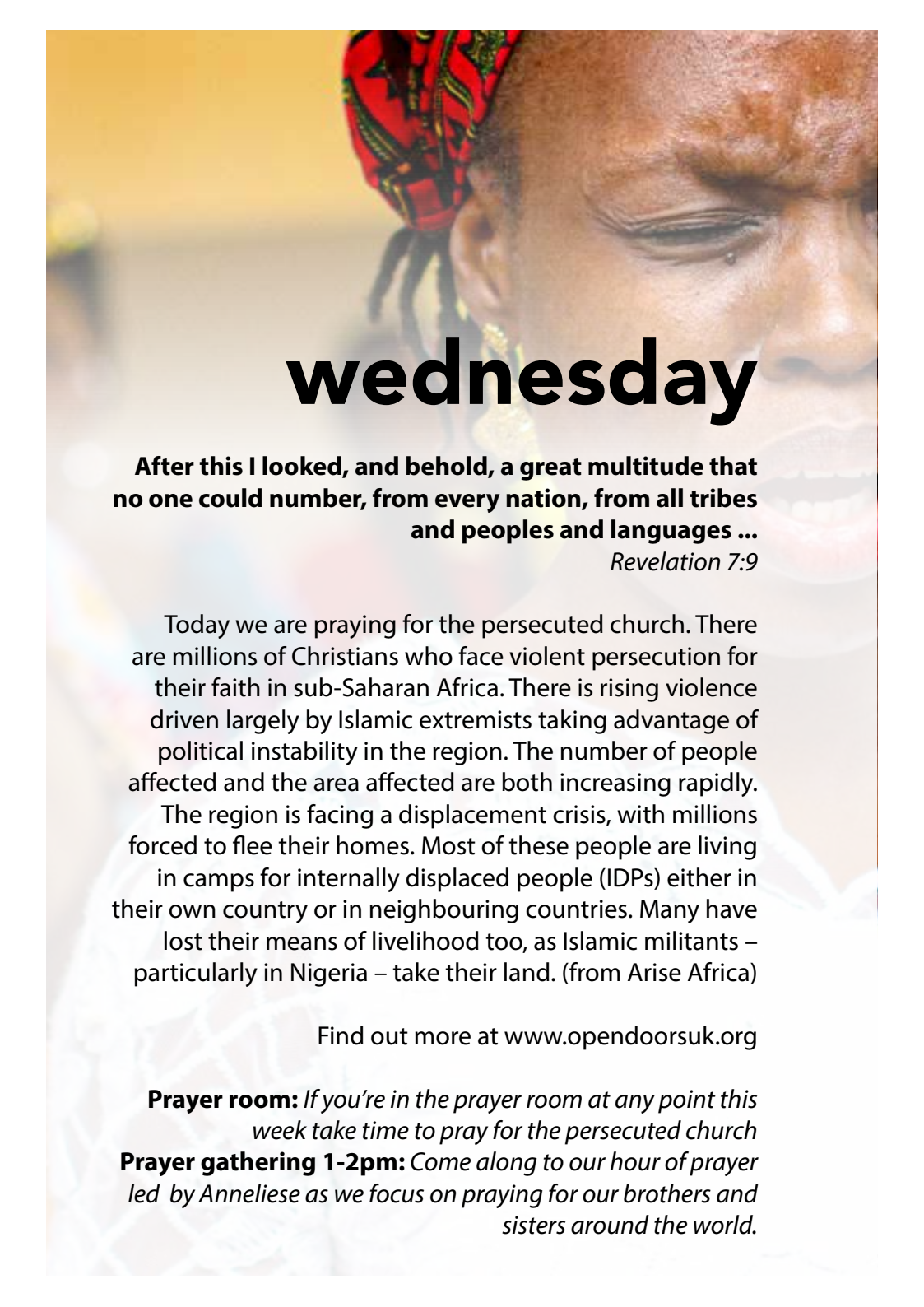
Psalm 8:2

Today we are praying for children with children. Draw around and cut out the shape of your hand. Then, write the names of children in your family, your class, your street or the names of friends that you know who need to know the love of Jesus.

Take some time to reflect on Mark 10:13-16. Then speak blessing over each child. You might want to use the blessing from Numbers 6:24-26. Cut out multiple hands if you need more space, or want to write individual names on each hand. You could also write specific prayers for the children that the Holy Spirit reminds you of, or prophetic words and prayers for this generation of children.

Prayer room: *If you're in the prayer room at any point this week you can stick the hand print to the board or use the paper in the prayer room to make more hands.*

Prayer gathering 1-2pm: *Come along to our prayer session and join in with the activities! Praying with children for children. All ages welcome!*



wednesday

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages ...

Revelation 7:9

Today we are praying for the persecuted church. There are millions of Christians who face violent persecution for their faith in sub-Saharan Africa. There is rising violence driven largely by Islamic extremists taking advantage of political instability in the region. The number of people affected and the area affected are both increasing rapidly.

The region is facing a displacement crisis, with millions forced to flee their homes. Most of these people are living in camps for internally displaced people (IDPs) either in their own country or in neighbouring countries. Many have lost their means of livelihood too, as Islamic militants – particularly in Nigeria – take their land. (from Arise Africa)

Find out more at www.opendoorsuk.org

Prayer room: *If you're in the prayer room at any point this week take time to pray for the persecuted church*

Prayer gathering 1-2pm: *Come along to our hour of prayer led by Anneliese as we focus on praying for our brothers and sisters around the world.*

thursday

**Everyone who calls on the
name of the Lord will be saved.**

Romans 10:13

Today we are simply praying for salvation.
Write the names of 3 people (or more) on a piece of paper
and commit to praying for them every day for the rest of
this week, this month this year or until the moment they
choose to follow Jesus. Take time to bring them to the
Father in prayer. And take time to listen to God asking,
"What do you want me to do for them?"

Here are three prayers you could pray.
Thessalonians 3:1-2 // that the gospel will spread rapidly
Colossians 4:3 // that God will open doors for the gospel
Ephesians 6:19-20 // that you will speak with boldness

Prayer room: *add the names of people you are praying for
to the cross on the board*

Prayer gathering 1-2pm: *come along to our time of
acoustic worship and communion as we remember the
gospel together and pray for those who don't yet know Jesus
as Saviour and Lord.*

A person is holding a cardboard sign that says "WE DEMAND JUSTICE". The sign is made of brown cardboard and has the words "WE", "DEMAND", and "JUSTICE" written in large, bold, black letters. The person's hand is visible at the bottom right of the frame, holding the sign. The background is blurred, showing green foliage.

friday

He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the LORD require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

Micah 6:8

Cut strips of paper and write down the name of a person, a situation, or place that needs God's justice and mercy. Add a line of glue to the short end of the paper. Bend the other short end round to form a circle and stick together to form a loop. Keep writing more prayers on the paper. Loop each piece of paper through the previous circle and glue it together to make a chain of prayers.

Read Proverbs 31:8-9 and ask God to show you your part in defending the rights of others.

Bring your section of paper chain with you on Sunday and we will break the chain together to as we pray and declare that God breaks chains of injustice that prevent people from living in his freedom.

In the prayer room: *Add your individualt loop and sections of chain to the others in the room – we will bring the prayer room chain to our gathering on Sunday morning.*

weekend

**Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find;
knock and the door will be opened to you.**

Matthew 7:7

Today is all about persistently praying for something again and again until God moves and change happens. Choose something from the list below or something in your own life that you have been asking God to change for a long time.

Those struggling with food poverty | The mentally or physically ill | Those dealing with addiction | The homeless community | Conflicts in our world: war, division, current issues | Prejudice and discrimination

Get some blocks, pebbles, playing cards, or anything that you can stack. Pray over and over for the same thing as you stack up the items. When you are done, knock over the blocks as a symbol of God hearing your prayer and change happening. Repeat as many times as you want to. Share the prayer issue with someone and commit to persisting in prayer together to see breakthrough.

Prayer room: *use the building blocks on the table to pray persistently for something that God has placed on your heart.*