

Full Steam Ahead

It was so good to be able to run Lifepath at Brinkburn Priory in-person once again last summer. It was fantastic to see the smiling faces of the children, to hear the laughter and chatter, to see Helen dancing and above all to be part of God's work in Northumberland.

So it is with great excitement that we are gearing up to do it all again.

However, the danger of repeating something as amazing as Lifepath is to think that we can do it all in our own strength with our own wisdom and experience. Well, God wasn't going to allow that to happen and we find ourselves in a new position of dependence on Him - read on for more details.

There is much to be thankful for and much to pray about, so please do use the information below to guide your prayers. Thank you.

Please could you join us in praying for the following:

Praise:

- For all of the planning and preparation that has already taken place.
- That we have loads of schools booked in and that we hope to welcome nearly 500 children to Lifepath Brinkburn.
- That we have been led to a really strong theme (Sharing God's Love) and some great workshop ideas to support this.
- For the many wonderful volunteers who have already signed up.



Prayer:



- Please pray for wisdom and creativity for the core team as we make plans and take decisions, fully reliant upon our dependable God.
- Please especially pray that God would provide all the team members that will be needed. There are still lots of gaps to fill.
- Please pray for wisdom for the team who are writing various aspects of the programme (Opening and closing worship, the drama and other workshops).
- Please pray that God would equip and inspire our network of fantastic 'Lifepath Champions' as they share the vision and excitement for Lifepath with their churches.
- We could still take a few more children on some specific days, so please pray for wisdom as we seek to maximise capacity each day.
- Over the next few weeks, members of the Core Team will be visiting schools to take the pre-event assemblies. Please pray that these go really well and that the children get excited as they anticipate their day at Lifepath.
- Please pray for God's hand of protection over Lifepath and for his faithful provision.
- Please pray for Kirstine as she liaises with schools, churches and volunteers.
- Please pray for Chris Hudson as he continues with his chemotherapy and for patience, perseverance and remission of the leukaemia.



Thank you so much for your support – it is greatly appreciated

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