

Praying with Boaz in November

Praise Points

- Praise God for someone new moving into a Boaz house recently. Pray for them to feel settled quickly, for good relationships with others in the house and for it to be a place of refuge for them.
- Give thanks for the beautiful weather at our second Men's Wellbeing Session, which this time took the form of a walk in a local park. Pray for Boaz Support Workers as they take opportunities like this to get to know the people they work with better. Praise God for good conversations around looking after physical and mental health.
- Give thanks for an enlarged kitchen and new bathroom at one of our houses, which is making a real difference to the people who live there.
- Praise God for harvest donations still coming in from churches - both in the form of food and finances!
- We were really grateful to be invited to a wellbeing walk organised by the Law department at Manchester Metropolitan University recently. Some of the women from Boaz attended, as well as women from WAST (Women Asylum Seekers Together). Thank God for the connections Boaz has with other groups and organisations that mean the people we support can get involved in events like this.
- Praise God for the donation of a bike recently that has been so appreciated by one of the women we support. On receiving it, she immediately got on to try it out!

Prayer Points

- Pray for the ongoing conflict in Israel and Palestine. Pray for protection over civilians caught up in the fighting. Pray for those in Gaza whose homes have been completely destroyed, those who have been displaced, those who are grieving. Pray for safety for those being held hostage. Against all odds, ask our Father in heaven for peace in this region. Pray for strength and courage for aid workers, emergency services and medical professionals who are responding.
- Pray for one of the men we are supporting, whose mother is very ill in hospital. Ask for healing for his mum, and that he would get the chance to see her again. Pray for peace in the midst of what is a very stressful situation.

- Pray for more funding to come in from recent grant applications. As we wait for the decisions on these, we're trusting that God can and will provide - please join us in praying for this.
- Pray for our fundraising and communications work going on behind the scenes in preparation for our Christmas Appeal. Ask that many (including people who have perhaps not heard of Boaz before) would be moved to give to our work providing housing and support to people seeking safety.
- Pray for the right people to join our team as volunteers for two new roles advertised recently. Ask for people to apply and for wisdom in the decision making process. The two roles are Fundraising Volunteer and Refugee Support Admin Volunteer - you can find the role profiles for both [here](#).
- Pray for Boaz Family Night coming up on Monday 4 December, 6.30-8.30pm! Pray for all the members of the Boaz team involved in planning, and pray for many to come along to hear more about our work.