

#### May 2025 Prayer Update

# We praise God for...

- Our patron the Rt Revd Nick Baines and his commitment to Wellspring.
- The skills and dedication of our Trustees
- The generosity of our counsellors who give their time freely to support our clients.
- Those who volunteer their time to look after and maintain our building and surroundings.
- Our collaborations and relationships with professional organisations, charities and churches locally.

# Please pray...

#### Clients

- For parents who find parenting difficult due to their own childhoods and circumstances
- For people who miss their appointments as they struggle to organise their lives
- For young people navigating exam pressures and choices.

#### Staff & Volunteers

- For more volunteer Welcomers who put people at ease when they come for counselling and help run our service.
- For counsellors just out of training who are taking on clients for the first time.
- For our experienced counsellors, give thanks for their wisdom, skill and care.

### **Adult & Youth Counselling Service**

- For Jude as she starts managing the children and young people's counselling service
- For Helen who deals with our Community Mental Health Trust referrals, give thanks for her judgement and patience
- For our placement Children & Young People's counsellors.

# **Training**

- For those attending and leading the Introduction to Counselling Children & Young People training course beginning in May and for people to book onto the Diploma in September.
- For the young people attending the Empower course starting in May and for the leaders Jo & Jane.
- For Nick as he prepares to deliver training for men's groups meeting at Harrogate Town Football Community Association.

## Development, Publicity, Fundraising & Partnership

- For the man in Knaresborough who sent us a cheque out of the blue.
- For all our communications through words, pictures and actions.
- For those fundraising for us on the Nidderdale Walk on 18<sup>th</sup> May.
- For ways to increase our funding and prominence that are manageable and fruitful.

## **Partners**

- For the Army Foundation College who have asked for our help to support their staff and children.
- For the Orb who provide creative support for people with mental health difficulties in Knaresborough.
- For the two primary schools in Pateley Bridge who are wanting us to provide counselling for their children.

