

Scots' Presbyterian Church Berry

Our purpose is to Love God with our heart, soul, mind and might and to Love our neighbour as ourselves

Serving Guide for Volunteers

POSITION

Sunday Service Prayer Leader

GOAL OF POSITION

To lead prayers for ourselves and others during the Sunday service.

KEY FUNCTIONS

The prayer leader will:

- Having regard to the focus of the opening prayer of the morning service, offered by the Service Leader, being confession and thanksgiving, offer prayers of petition including:
 - For the various ministries of our church
 - For mission, including Joshua and Christina Hahn, SECET, APWM
 - For the Minister and his family
 - For our community
 - For the world specific current issues including persecuted Christians
 - For those who are unwell (see note below)
- Adjust the height of the microphone so it is directed towards your mouth. Do this using the long arm holding the microphone and not the microphone clamp.
- Read the prayer at a speed which is not too fast or too slow. Where applicable, brief pauses may assist members of the congregation to reflect upon items in your prayer.

NOTE – To avoid embarrassment, a prayer should only identify a member of the congregation, or their family, if prior consent has been obtained.

ABSENCE

In the event of being unavailable to serve on a rostered day, please arrange to swap with another person on the roster and notify the Minister.