

Barbara - Only in Leicester

There was a time in my life that I really felt that Leicester was kind of holding me up. I was diagnosed with cancer. At the time I was working for the registration service. I was off work for quite some time and the lady that deputised for me was Muslim, and she went and prayed for my recovery. And I worked with a lady who was Hindu. She prayed for my recovery. I did quite a lot of work with the Spiritualist Church regarding weddings. They were praying for me. [Christians at] Christ Church were praying for me through my mum. So I felt really, really, supported by these different groups in

Leicester praying for my well-being and for my health and my recovery. And it worked. I was so thankful to all these different groups that had taken time out of their day to think, 'oh, yes, Barbara needs our prayers.' I do not know whether I would get that anywhere else. But through the connections I had through work and people that I had met generally through my mum and the church, I felt really protected. There was never any doubt in my mind that I would recover because of all this support I was getting from all different expressions of faith.