



Prayer Diary June 2026

“The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective”

James 5:16 [NIV]

Mon 1 st	Give thanks for the opportunity those who come to PMA (Pleasant Monday Afternoon) have for hearing about organisations helping those less fortunate than themselves and sharing the gospel message in different ways. Pray that what they hear about the work of Mercy Ships this afternoon will encourage and inspire them.
Tue 2 nd	Pray for the Faith, Hope and Love Lunch that is planned for today. Pray for God to bless all who will come and pray that these lunches will be a way of attracting others to church and of introducing some to the true meaning of the Christian message.
Wed 3 rd	Let us give thanks for the Royal Family and for the way they continue to uphold the Christian faith. Pray for this to continue and that they will each come to a personal experience of trusting Christ.
Thu 4 th	Give thanks for the 30 years that SAT-7 has been producing and broadcasting programmes spreading the Christian message throughout the Middle East and North Africa on satellite TV and through social media. Pray that the work can continue and that many more people will come to faith as a result of viewing the programmes and through contact with those who respond to viewers’ questions.
Fri 5 th	World events and local pressures have caused governments to cut aid to overseas needs. Please pray that the UK government will realise the humanitarian responsibility to ensure marginalised communities are not forgotten.
Sat 6 th	Give thanks for the teams willing to give up time on Saturdays to help with Saturday kitchen every other Saturday. Pray for the families who will come today – that good relationships can be built and that God will bless the conversations that will take place.
Sun 7 th	Give thanks for the team who lead the BRBK sessions and man the crèche most Sundays. Pray for those on duty today and pray that a good group of children will gather and that they will learn lessons that will stay with them as they grow up.
Mon 8 th	Give thanks for our deacons, who are carrying a heavy load in the present circumstances. Pray for them to be encouraged as they serve in their different ways. Pray particularly for Julie Rudd taking on the role of secretary for the present. Pray for them as they will be meeting this evening.
Tue 9 th	INF Nepal gives thanks for the planning approval for churches in Pokhara to build a Community Services Centre. Pray for the vocational training in tailoring, house wiring and mobile phone repairs for self help group members in Kalikot, NW Nepal. Pray about the impact of rising fuel prices on all the projects.
Wed 10 th	Give thanks for the pastoral team who visit the lonely and those who are not well. Pray that they will be able to give help and support to all who need it and that they will find joy and encouragement in their service. Pray for a good turnout for the prayer meeting this evening and for a good time of praying together.
Thu 11 th	Give thanks for the team who provide for the monthly Lunch Club and pray for all those who will come today. Pray for the one who will give the message after the lunch and that God will speak through it to the hearts of those who listen.
Fri 12 th	Let us continue to remember those who are persecuted because of what they believe. Pray that they may know God’s presence with them in a special way. Pray, too, for the authorities to come up with ways to stop the attacks on Christian villages in places like Nigeria and Mozambique.
Sat 13 th	Pray for Claire Bedford as she returns to Chad for another 3 months after home assignment and then at the end of the year leaves service with BMS. Pray for God to guide her as she makes plans for continuing to serve Him in the UK. Pray, too, for the on-going work of the hospital.
Sun 14 th	Pray for all those who will be taking part in the service this morning and for God to bless the worship and the teaching given. Pray that God’s presence will be felt in a special way as we take communion. Pray, too, for the special afternoon of prayer and praise to be held in Horsham Park today.
Mon 15 th	Pray for our young people as some will have important decisions to make as to their next steps. Pray that they will seek God’s guidance as to the way ahead.

Tue 16 th	Give thanks for the new monthly service held by Cornerstone Methodist Church especially for those living with dementia and others who may not feel comfortable in a regular Sunday service. Pray that many will take advantage of it and be blessed through it.
Wed 17 th	Give thanks for Horsham Matters and for all they do to help those who struggle to make ends meet in our town. Pray that they will receive enough donations to enable to food banks to help all those who need such help.
Thu 18 th	Let us pray for the people of Nigeria as they navigate a humanitarian crisis fuelled by conflict, climate change, and displacement. Ask God to bless the work of Tearfund and its partners as they bring peace-building training, trauma healing and training in economic resilience to the communities in such need.
Fri 19 th	Pray for Genesis Acaye and the other team members involved in improving the lives of rural communities in the north of Uganda. Give thanks for the increase in the harvest of crops planted since the farmers went through training on how to improve their yield and take better care of the soil and pray for similar increase in the new areas. Continue to pray for the tree planting programme.
Sat 20 th	In this Refugee Week, let us pray for all who are living in this country as refugees. Pray for God to guide those who have the authority to grant or deny asylum so that those who are genuinely escaping from conflict or persecution will be allowed to stay. Pray, too, for those seeking to help those awaiting a decision.
Sun 21 st	On this Father's Day let us pray for the fathers among us, especially those who have young children and/or young people. Pray for God to guide them as they seek to demonstrate Christian living and teach their offspring the message of God's word.
Mon 22 nd	Pray for the group who will meet to enjoy coffee, cake and company this morning. Pray that they will be encouraged through the conversations. Pray, too, that relationships can be developed with those who come to take advantage of the coffee before or after their exercise classes.
Tue 23 rd	Let us pray for Louise and Peter Lynch as they will soon come to the end of their term of service with BMS in Bangladesh. Pray that their last few weeks will be happy ones and that they will be encouraged as they will be saying goodbye to the many they have helped and led into Christian service. Give thanks that we will have the opportunity of meeting them when they come to BRBC at the end of July and pray for God to bless that gathering.
Wed 24 th	Pray especially today for the Church Meeting planned for this evening. Pray for Michael, who will be chairing the meeting as Ian Phillips, our moderator, is on sabbatical at the moment. Pray that we will be guided in any decisions that will need to be made. Pray, too, for God to bless Ian in a special way during his sabbatical.
Thu 25 th	Give thanks for those who have taken on running the Craft club twice a month for those who are visually impaired. Pray that God will continue to give them good ideas for the craft activities.
Fri 26 th	Let us pray today for all those who give so much to the church by working behind the scenes – those who keep an eye on things that need to be done to keep the building safe and comfortable, those who keep it clean, those who set up chairs etc, for the various activities and then clear away, those who do the preparation needed for anything shown on the screens etc. Pray that they may know that they are greatly appreciated.
Sat 27 th	Pray for those preparing for the Holiday at Home planned for the last week of August. Pray that as invitations are given out a good number will respond positively.
Sun 28 th	Pray for the Newcomers BBQ planned for lunch time today. Pray that a good number will accept the invitation and make use of the opportunity to get to know each other and those who serve in different ways in the church.
Mon 29 th	Give thanks that the Eagle Project sessions in the prisons of Sao Paolo, Brazil, are going well. Pray for those who have recently been released, especially for Wesley who will be going into a shelter for young people. Pray for the team's continued search for a suitable place to rent as a Headquarters, as they have been disappointed so many times.
Tue 30 th	Pray especially today for those who are now living in care homes and those mostly confined to home because of illness or frailty. Pray that they will be able to find ways to enjoy times with family and friends during the summer and that they will know God's presence with them in a special way.