Prayer Diary - August 2025



'There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens.'

Ecclesiastes 3:1

1 Friday – Prayer Line
We pray for S, who wakes each
day at 3:30am and struggles to
sleep again. He asks that prison

sleep again. He asks that prison would change him for the better. Lord, bring him rest and renewal.

2 <u>Saturday – Bible Studies</u>

Colossians 3:1–4 invites us to 'set our minds on things above.' We pray for those in prison to find peace in Christ and to hold on to the hope of new life in Him.

3 Sunday – Chapels and Chaplaincy Teams

We pray that worship in prison chapels today would bring deep joy and comfort. May chaplains and volunteers be filled with wisdom and strength.

4 Monday – Prayer Line

We remember R who asks for prayer to walk in God's ways. He gives thanks for life and safety and asks for prayer for all people. Lord, bless his heart of gratitude.

5 Tuesday – Prayer Line

We lift up B who prays for his sister A and for his brother L—that L would find happiness and love despite struggles. We pray for the family members of all people in prison today.

6 Wednesday

We pray for those working on shaping a new programme to build on the legacy of *Sycamore Tree*. Please ask for God's wisdom, creativity and clarity as we seek to develop an approach that will continue to bring healing, understanding and transformation to people in prison.

7 Thursday – PF Groups

We give thanks for PF Preston and PF Risley. May their volunteers be encouraged as they bring God's light and compassion into prisons.

- 8 Friday Prayer Line
 We lift up A who asks for prayer
 for himself and a friend. He is so
 grateful for our prayers. Lord,
 bless them both and let them
- know they are not alone.
 Saturday Bible Studies
 In Hebrews 11:1–6, we reflect on faith the assurance of things hoped for. We pray that this faith would grow in even the darkest corners of our prisons.
- 10 Sunday Chapels and Chaplaincy Teams

We pray that today's chapel services would be filled with truth, light and hope. May those who attend feel God's presence and receive His peace.

- 11 Monday Pastoral Care training
 We pray for all those undertaking
 the PC1 training this week. We
 pray that it would a really useful,
 fruitful, strengthening time for all
 involved.
- 12 Tuesday Letter Link
 We thank God for Letter Link
 volunteers and participants. May
 every letter sent this week
 encourage, uplift and remind
 people in prison that they are not
 forgotten.
- We remember S who asks for prayer for his trial which has been delayed many times. He longs to see his children. Lord, bring justice, strength and comfort to him and his family.
- 14 Thursday PF Groups
 We bring PF Rochdale and PF
 Rochester before God. May their
 witness be strong, their teams be
 united and their service be rooted
 in love.
- 15 Friday Prayer Line
 We pray for J who is due for release in two weeks. He asks for the Holy Spirit to continue changing him. He needs a GP and medication support. Lord, please provide what he needs for a safe, stable transition.
- 16 Saturday Bible Studies

 As we study Hebrews 12:1–3, we pray for those who feel weary.

 May they fix their eyes on Jesus and find the strength to persevere.

- 17 Sunday Chapels and Chaplaincy Teams
 We lift up all prison chaplains and chapel teams. May they be refreshed in their calling and equipped to lead with compassion.
- 18 Monday Prayer Line
 We pray for P who asks for God's protection and provision in a prison where the dangers of spice are present. He prays for his mother, his late father, his sister and even two racehorses. Lord, honour his prayers and surround him with safety.
- 19 Tuesday Prayer Line
 We pray for D who asks that God
 will look after his sons and give
 them a future brighter than his.
 May every parent in prison feel
 supported as they pray for their
 children.
- Wednesday Prayer Line
 We pray for B who feels
 abandoned by God. He says his
 prayers are going unanswered and
 that he is struggling to hold on.
 Lord, show him that you are near
 even in the silence.
- 21 Thursday PF Groups
 We thank God for PF Rotherham
 and PF Rugby. May their local
 partnerships grow strong and their
 work be filled with grace and
 truth.

22 Friday

As we go into the bank holiday weekend, we hold in prayer all those who are missing family. We also pray for those working in prison when staffing levels are low.

- 23 Saturday Bible Studies
 Hebrews 12:22–29 paints a picture of God's unshakable Kingdom. We pray that people in prison will know this eternal foundation and stand firm in His grace.
- 24 Sunday Chapels and
 Chaplaincy Teams
 We pray for all those leading and attending chapel today. May the Word go out with power and comfort all who hear it.
- 25 Monday Prayer Line
 We pray for L who asks that when
 he's released, he won't return to
 prison. 'I can't be living like this
 anymore,' he says. Lord, give him
 strength, support and a new path.
- 26 Tuesday Prayer Line
 We pray for R who longs to return
 home and care for his
 grandmother. May their reunion
 come soon, and may their time
 together be full of love and
 renewal.

- We denesday Prayer Line
 We pray for L, who gives thanks
 for Prison Fellowship. 'You are a
 light in the darkness,' he says.
 Lord, continue to use this ministry
 to bring healing.
- 28 Thursday PF Groups
 We bring PF Saltash and PF
 Sandbach before God. May their
 faithfulness be richly blessed and
 their service continue to bring
 hope to those they support.
- 29 Friday Prayer Line
 We lift up J who asks for prayer for
 D who recently died in his prison.
 Lord Jesus, comfort all who are
 grieving, and be present in the
 pain.
- 30 Saturday Bible Studies
 As we end the month in Hebrews
 13:15–21, we pray that people in
 prison would be strengthened in
 every good thing, to do God's will
 and know they are not alone.

31 Sunday

We give thanks for every chaplain who has faithfully served through this month. As August comes to a close, we pray they would find rest, renewal and fresh vision for the season ahead. May God continue to use them to bring light into dark places.

'Pray continually' 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



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