

Prayer Diary – October 2025



'I was in prison and you came to visit me.'
Matthew 25:36

1	Wednesday – Prayer Line R asks for prayer to help him out of the dark place he has found himself in. Ask for God's light to shine over R and every darkness in prisons—especially as we move into a season where the nights start drawing in.	9	Thursday – Prayer Line D asks for urgent prayer over his daughter who is currently unwell. Please lift to God all those in prison who have poorly family members, as they wait anxiously for news. Ask for God's healing hands to be on them.
2	Thursday We celebrate Black History month throughout October, and so we ask God for fairness and equality within the criminal justice system. May change arise where it is needed.	10	Friday On World Mental Health Day, we invite God's peace into the hearts of those in prison living with mental health challenges.
3	Friday Today, we are holding a training event for Tutors and Group Facilitators who will be supporting our new restoration course. We ask for prayers around the development of this course which will be piloted in a small number of prisons in the coming weeks.	11	<u>Saturday – Bible Studies</u> As we focus on Luke 17:11-19 this week, may we pray for those in prison who need the healing hands of Jesus over their lives. Today we are holding <i>Letter Link</i> training. Ask God to be present, equipping and engaging our new letter writers as they step into this role.
4	<u>Saturday – Bible Studies</u> 2 Timothy 1:6-12 reminds us about the power of God's grace. We pray those in prison would know this grace is available to them, no matter what their past looks like.	12	Sunday – Prisons Week Today marks the first day of <i>Prisons Week</i> . We thank God for this national celebration, asking that through this event He would bring more servant-minded hearts to participate in the crucial work of prison ministry.
5	Sunday - Chapels and chaplaincy teams Today, we think of all the chaplains who will be leading worship in prison. We thank God for their service and ask that each would be filled with wisdom as they share God's Word.	13	Monday - PF Groups Today we thank God for PF Wandsworth and PF Warrington. May these groups be filled with compassion, and may their presence bring hope to the prisons they serve.
6	Monday - PF Groups We lift PF Swinfen Hall and PF Tonbridge/ Maidstone to God in prayer. Ask that members of these groups would be the hands and feet of Jesus as they serve within their local prisons.	14	Tuesday As Liverpool Cathedral hosts a <i>Prisons Week</i> lecture today, we ask for God's presence to be poured into the hearts of those attending. May they be inspired and encouraged to serve within this ministry.
7	Tuesday As the work of <i>Angel Tree</i> begins, ask God to bring more willing hearts to serve as Angel Tree Coordinators enabling this programme to continue to flourish.	15	Wednesday We are holding an <i>Exploring Prison Ministry</i> event today. Ask God to bring willing hearts and for new PF volunteers to step forward.
8	Wednesday As our <i>Bible Studies</i> writing group gathers this evening. Ask that God's wisdom would guide them as they write next month's studies, threading the Spirit of love within every word.	16	Thursday During <i>Prisons Week</i> , we thank God for all the churches which partner with PF. May God stir the hearts of each congregation to continue in prayer and service within prison ministry.

17	Friday – Prayer Line After being an addict for 30 years, E would like to spend his time in prison turning his life around. Pray that E would find the right support to help him break the chains of addiction and for this support to continue after his release.	24	Friday – Prayer Line C would like prayer for all those with upcoming job interviews. Please pray for all people in prison who are completing qualifications to increase their employability on release.
18	Saturday – Bible Studies 2 Timothy 3:14-17 reminds us that God equips us for His work through Scripture. May our <i>Bible Studies</i> bring God's Word into the hearts of people in prison who may otherwise never hear the Gospel.	25	Saturday – Bible Studies As we read Luke 18:9-14 this week, may we be reminded to serve with humility. Please pray that people in prison would be open to placing their confidence in God, not themselves.
19	Sunday – Chapels and chaplaincy teams As <i>Prisons Week</i> comes to an end, we thank God for every event, church service and prayer dedicated to raising awareness of prison ministry.	26	Sunday - Chapels and chaplaincy teams As many people in prison gather today in worship, we ask for God's presence to be with them as they 'come before Him with joyful songs' (Psalm 100:2).
20	Monday - PF Groups We lift PF Wayland and PF Weymouth up in prayer, asking God to give them fresh hope and renewed strength as they continue serving wholeheartedly in their areas.	27	Monday - PF Groups We lift up PF Winchester and PF Wormwood Scrubs today, thanking God for their willing hearts. May they continue to bring light and hope to their local prisons.
21	Tuesday Thank you, Lord, for PF Group Leaders who serve so faithfully. May you continue to equip them with strength and courage in their work, helping them to lead in the way of Jesus.	28	Tuesday Today, we remember in prayer all those who work within HMPPS as they face various pressures and difficulties in their roles.
22	Wednesday Today, we want to celebrate our <i>Letter Link</i> volunteers who commit so much of their time writing to people in prison. Ask God to continue to bless this wonderful ministry.	29	Wednesday As we celebrate the International Day of Care and Support, we thank God for all our PF volunteers who show care and support to those in prison with open and willing hearts.
23	Thursday As <i>Angel Tree</i> applications begin, lift this programme and those who lead it up to God. We especially give thanks for the Angel Tree Co-ordinators, the volunteers and Tim from our Support Team who all work so hard to keep this programme running well.	30	Thursday This morning, we are holding our <i>National Prayer Gathering</i> . Ask that God would hear the requests of every voice and every heart as PF volunteers and supporters gather to lift prisons up in prayer.
		31	Friday – Prayer Line J would like prayer for her children and family. She asks that when she is released, she will be able to continue her positive routine and to maintain good health.

'Pray continually' 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



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