

# PRAYER THOUGHTS FOR MARCH

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> Mar : Women`s World Day of Prayer.**

Pray for Women all over the World of all races and creeds - may God continue to watch over their work and influence in the World. May God bless all those coming to the new group - Activate with Andy

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> Mar**

Ask for God`s guidance for all those attending the "Grave Talk" session. Pray for God`s blessing for everyone coming to the Coffee Morning or taking part in the Signing course.

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> Mar - Church Action on Poverty Sunday**

May the Holy Spirit guide the message that Rev Webb will bring to the morning communion service and Rev Katherine Bland will bring to the evening service. Pray for all those attending the Deaf Church meeting and the Youth Fellowship. Lord, bless Kimberley Quegan who celebrates her 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> Mar :** Remember in your prayers those attending the AA group meeting or the Brownies. Pray for God`s guidance for those attending the Circuit Property group meeting. Lord, bless Naomi Evans who celebrates her birthday.

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> Mar :** Pray for everyone attending the Toddlers group or the Skylark choir practice. May the Holy Spirit guide those attending the Circuit Ministry Team meeting at Fulwood.

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> Mar :** Pray for all those attending the Weekly Prayer meeting or the Circuit Ash Wednesday service at Penwortham.

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**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> Mar :** Pray for the ongoing work of the Coffee Morning, the Lunch group and the Craft Club. May God bless Oliver Stanley who is 6 today.

## Bamber Bridge Methodist Church

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> Mar** : May God bless Rev John Maiden who celebrates his 80<sup>th</sup> birthday. May God bless Ken Lomas and Millie Baere who also celebrate their birthday. Pray for the ongoing work of the Alanon group and the families attending Activate with Andy session.

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> Mar** : Give thanks for the work of those providing the Coffee Morning facilities. May God bless those attending the Signing course. Give thanks for the Weekend and time to relax - pray for those who don't enjoy this privilege.

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Mar** : **1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Lent** Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for Martin Beck who leads the morning service. May God bless all those attending the Circuit SPACE event at Ashton.



**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> Mar** : Remember in your prayers today's groups : the AA group, the Brownies and Mambabybliss. May the Holy Spirit guide the thought of those attending the Local Preachers and Worship Leaders meeting at Trinity, Gregson Lane.

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> Mar** : Give thanks for the ongoing work and dedication of those who run the Toddlers group each week. Pray for those attending the Skylarks choir practice. May God bless Pat Wilde who is 80 today and Albie Powell who is 4.

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> Mar** : May God bless all those attending the Weekly Prayer meeting. Pray for the Sick in our Church, the Local Community and across the World. Pray that they will feel the healing hands of Jesus upon them to bring them back to good health.

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Mar** : Pray for God's blessing for all of today's activities:- the Midweek Communion service lead by Rev John maiden and Carol Poole; the Coffee Morning /lunch; the Craft Club; the Lighthouse group and Trefoil guild meeting. Pray for those attending the Lent Group at Trinity and for Enid Bradshaw who celebrates her birthday.

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Mar**: Pray for those attending the Alanon group. Pray for our Organist, coming to practice. Pray for the work of the Street Pastors in Preston and elsewhere in our area.

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> Mar:** Lord bless everyone coming into your house today to take part in the Prayer Breakfast; the Coffee Morning; Messy Church including the baptism of Morgan Pickering or the Signing course. May they all feel your loving presence around them.

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> Mar : 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent** Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for Rev Webb who leads the morning Pick & Mix service and Rev Mark Slaney who leads the evening communion service. Lord bless Eileen and Ian Roberts celebrating their wedding anniversary



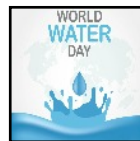
**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> Mar :** May God bless Joshua Sumner and Isabell Quegan who celebrate their birthdays. Pray for the ongoing work of the AA group and the Brownies. Pray for all those who live or work in Bamber Bridge.

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> Mar :** may God bless Sue and Terry Livesey who celebrate their wedding anniversary. May the Holy Spirit guide all those attending the Circuit Ministry Team meeting at Fulwood or the Circuit Meeting at Central. Lord continue to bless the Toddlers group and the Skylark choir.

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> Mar:** Pray for those attending the Weekly Prayer meeting or the House group. Pray for all those attending the Presbyteral Synod at Leyland - may the Holy Spirit guide their thoughts and decisions.

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> Mar :** Pray for today's events; the Coffee/lunch and the Thursday Fellowship. May God bless Mary Ryan celebrating her birthday. Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for those attending the Lent group at Penwortham.

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> Mar : World Water Day** Lord make us all conscious that water is a gift from you - teach us to use it wisely and not waste it. Teach us to use all natural resources wisely. Pray for Maurice Perry who celebrates his birthday today.



**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> Mar :** May God bless everyone attending today's events : the Coffee Morning, the Signing course or the Games Night. Lord, bless Wendy and Lynton Yates who celebrate their wedding anniversary.

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> Mar: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent** Holy Spirit, guide the message that Carol Poole will bring to our morning worship - give us open hearts and minds to receive it. Lord bless all those attending the Baptism reunion event.



**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> Mar : UN Day of remembrance of victims of slavery.** Give thanks for the work of those who fought to abolish slavery. Pray for freedom for all those who are still caught up in modern day slavery in this country and across the world.



**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> Mar :** Remember in your prayers those who are Bereaved. Pray that God will surround them with His love and bring them comfort in their times of sadness over the loss of loved ones.

Jesus said "*Blessed are they that mourn - for they will be comforted*"

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> Mar :** Continue to pray for those attending the Weekly Prayer meeting. Pray for the World, it's leaders and it's people. Pray for peace, harmony & tolerance among all races and all religions when there seems to be so much division and hatred.



**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> Mar :** Lord, bless all today's activities : the Midweek service led by Denise Johnson; the Coffee Morning & lunch, the Craft club, the Lighthouse group and the Lent group at Kingsfold. Pray for God's blessing for Pat & Jack Wilde who celebrate their Diamond [60] Wedding Anniversary.

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> Mar :** Pray for Theresa May and the British Government as it leaves the European Community - may God continue to guide them as they seek to secure the nation's future. Pray for Martin Roscoe who celebrates his birthday.



**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> Mar :** Remember in your prayers Linda Ward who celebrates her birthday. Give thanks for the ending of Winter and the start of Spring. Rejoice in the wonder of God's creation of new life.



**Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> Mar : 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent/Mothering Sunday** Pray for Andrew who leads our morning worship. Pray for all those attending the Circuit Wholeness & Healing service at Trinity. Pray for God's blessing for Mothers all over the World.

