



# Prayer Thoughts for March 2020



**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March: First Sunday in Lent** Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for Rev Kevin Savage who leads the morning service; all those attending the Local Preachers Recognition service at New Longton; those attending the Youth Fellowship or the Circuit Steward training session.



**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March :** Pray for the ongoing Work of Fairtrade as Fairtrade Fortnight continues. Pray for the ongoing work of the AA group and similar groups who provide support for those suffering from various addictions. Pray for all those attending the Mambabybliss yoga session.

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March :** May the Holy Spirit guide the thoughts of those attending the Circuit Ministry Team meeting at Fulwood. May God bless the fellowship of those attending the Toddler group and the Skylarks choir practice May God bless Kimberley Quegan who celebrates her birthday.

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March :** Remember in your prayers all those attending the District Local Preachers meeting at Ingol, all those attending the Prayer meeting led by Nicky Gleeson; those attending the Signing class or the Soroptimists meeting. May God bless Naomi Evans who celebrates her birthday.

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March :** May God bless today's activities ; the Coffee Morning & Lunch, the Craft Club, the Lighthouse group, the Dance school and the Lent Course at Kingsfold church. Pray for a safe journey and return for our Minister, Karen, who will be in London for a Chaplain's Training Day.

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March : Women's World Day of Prayer** Pray for all those attending the Women's World Day of Prayer service at St Saviour's. Pray for Women all over the World, that they are valued as beings created by God. Pray for Women in positions of influence - may God continue to bless and guide them.

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March :** Remember in your prayers The Sick. Pray for those who suffer from terminal illness or mental health issues. Pray for those affected by the coronavirus and those who seek to bring relief to those in need of medical attention.

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> March : 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent/International Women's Day** Holy Spirit, guide the message Rev Le Mouton brings to the Communion service. Pray for those going to SPACE at Ingol. May God bless Millie Beare & Ken Lomas who celebrate their birthdays.



**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March :** Pray for the ongoing work of the AA group & the Mamababybliss group. Remember in your prayers Rev Katherine Bland who starts her Sabbatical. Give thanks for the skill of the contributors of the Knitted Bible Stories Exhibition which starts at Penwortham church [ends 14<sup>th</sup>]

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March :** Pray for the families coming to the Toddler Group and those attending the Skylarks choir practice. Pray for the World. Pray for peace and justice for it's peoples. Pray for an end to discrimination of any kind. Pray for World Leaders, may they use their power and authority wisely.

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March :** Pray for the Holy Spirit's blessing and guidance for all those attending the Circuit Leadership Team meeting at Ingol. Pray for those attending the Signing. Pray for Rev Kevin Savage & those attending the Bible Study group - may the Holy Spirit enrich and enlighten their study.

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March :** Pray for God's blessing for today's events: the Coffee Morning; the Midweek Communion service led by Rev Le Mouton; the Craft Club; the Dance school; Trefoil Guild and the Lent Course at Bamber Bridge. May God bless Pat Wilde as she celebrates her birthday.

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March :** Pray for those attending the Alanon support group. May God bless the pupils of Cuerden School taking part in the School Workshop led by Nicky Gleeson. Pray for the ongoing work of the street Pastors in the Preston and Chorley areas. Pray for the ongoing work of the Night Shelter in Preston.

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March :** May God bless the fellowship of those coming to the Coffee Morning or taking part in the Signing class. Remember in your prayers Enid Bradshaw who celebrates her birthday. Pray for the members of Christchurch at Longridge, may God bless their work and witness in his name.

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March : 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent** Holy Spirit, guide the message that Rev Ray Borg brings to the morning Marriage & Relationships service and that Rev Janet Titterton brings to the evening service.



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**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March** : Remember in your prayers those attending the AA group or the Mamababybliss session. Pray for the Bereaved in our church, the local community and across the World. Remember those who have lost loved ones because of coronavirus. May the love of Christ comfort them at this time.

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March** : May God bless those coming to the Toddler group or the Skylarks choir practice. May the Holy Spirit guide all those attending the Circuit Ministry Team meeting at Fulwood. Pray for Eileen and Ian Roberts who celebrate their Wedding Anniversary - may God bless them on this special occasion.

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March** : May God bless Isabelle Quegan who is 14 today and Joshua Sumner who is 21. Pray for all those attending the Methodist Women in Britain Lancashire District Day at Lytham Methodist Church and the Institution & Induction of Rev Shaun Baldwin for St Leonard`s & St Aidan`s churches.

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March** : Pray for God`s blessing for everyone taking part in today`s activities: the Coffee Morning & Lunch; the Thursday Fellowship; the Lighthouse youth group; the Dance School or the Lent Course at Kingsfold. Pray for Sue & Terry Livesey who celebrate their Wedding Anniversary - God bless them

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March** : Remember in your prayers those coming to the Alanon support group meeting. Pray for the ongoing work and dedication of our Organist. Pray for the Government. May they strive to work together for the good of the UK and its people and not for personal ambition or political advancement.

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March** : Pray for those coming to the Coffee Morning and those who organise it. Pray for the families coming to Messy Church, may they have a fun afternoon. Remember in your prayers Mary Ryan who celebrates her birthday - may God bless her on this special occasion.

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> March : 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent/Mothering Sunday**  
Holy Spirit guide Rev Le Mouton who leads the Pick & Mix service.  
Lord, bless Maurice Perry celebrating his birthday and Indie Thistlethwaite who comes to be baptised.



**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** : Pray for those attending the AA group or the Mamababybliss session. May God bless Violet Roscoe who celebrates her 1<sup>st</sup> birthday and Wendy & Lynton Yates who celebrate their Wedding Anniversary.

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**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March** : Remember in your prayers everyone coming to the Toddler Group or taking part in the Skylarks choir practice. May God bless their time and fellowship. Pray for the members of the other churches in the Preston Ribble Circuit - may the Holy Spirit guide their work and witness.

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March** : May the Holy Spirit guide the thoughts and decisions of those attending the Circuit Meeting here at BBMC or those attending the Presbyteral Synod at Ingol. Pray for the people who live and work in Bamber Bridge - may they continue to live in peace and harmony.

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March** : Pray for God`s blessing for everyone taking part in today`s activities: the Coffee Morning; the Midweek service led by Wendy Yates; the Lunch Club; the Craft Club; the Dance school or the Lent Course at Penwortham.

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March** : Pray for all those attending the Alanon support group and all families affected by any type of addiction. Give thanks for the dedication of all our musicians and singers as they provide musical accompaniment for our services each week.

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March** : May God bless those coming to the Coffee Morning or attending the Signing class or the Rainbow of Hope group. May God bless Pat & Jack Wilde who celebrate their Wedding Anniversary. May God bless those attending the Scripture Union meeting or the Farmers` Market at Fulwood

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March : 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent**

Pray for the Holy Spirit`s guidance and inspiration for Rev Le Mouton who leads the Morning service and for Denise Johnson who leads the Circuit Wellbeing service in the afternoon. Pray for Martin Roscoe who celebrates his birthday. Pray for those involved with the Circuit Steward training.



**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March** : Pray for those attending the AA group or the Mamababybliss session. May God bless Linda Ward who celebrates her birthday.

**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March** : Pray for God`s blessing for those attending the Toddler group or the Skylarks choir practice.