

St. Mark's Prayer Calendar for June 2017

This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses. Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you both see and hear.

Acts 2.32-34

Thu 1
Pray for Doris and her husband especially as Doris has been in hospital.

Fri 2
Give thanks for the Easter Season, which is now nearly at an end. Praise God for the run up to Easter and the wonderful triumph of the resurrection which we too may look forward to.

Sat 3
Pray for the Kitchen Cabinet serving breakfast tomorrow morning, for all their hard work and the pleasure it gives everyone who attends.

SUN 4 *Pentecost*
Spirit of mercy, truth and love, Shed thy blest influence from above, And still from age to age convey The wonders of this sacred day.
NEH 143v1
May this our festival day be blessed and may we be filled by the Spirit.

Mon 5
Pray this week for all who live in **WINDSOR ROAD**. Pray for the congregation at Our Lady Help of Christians and Father Chris.

Tue 6
Pray for the royal family especially as Prince Philip has retired from taking public duties. Pray for the Queen as she carries on so wonderfully well.

Wed 7
Pray for Gerald Howarth as he has retired from being our MP. May he and his family benefit from this change of circumstance.

Thu 8
Pray for all who are standing for parliament in the election today. May everyone who can vote take his/her duty seriously.

Fri 9
Pray that our country and government may now be able to get on with the job in hand and that they there will be constructive support.

Sat 10
The long haul of Trinity starts tomorrow. Pray that the Word will inspire us Sunday by Sunday.

SUN 11 *Trinity*
The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.
2Cor. 13.13

Mon 12 *Barnabas the Apostle (transferred)*
This week we pray for those who live in **CANTERBURY ROAD**. Give thanks for all who are serving on the PCC. Paul's faithful travelling companion will be remembered today.

Tue 13
Pray for Jenny and her family. For all she does as a governor at the school and at church.

Wed 14
Richard Baxter, will be remembered today. He lived in a turbulent time, a puritan. May we be labelled Christ followers.

Thu 15
Pray for Ivy and Barry in all they do and for their family.

Fri 16
Pray for all pupils and students who will be coming to the end of their exams.

Sat 17
Be with all who support the Open Saturday and all involved in preparing it.

SUN 18 *1st after Trinity*
May our communion strengthen us in faith, build us up in hope, and make us grow in love.

Mon 19

Pray this week for those who live in **FELLOWS ROAD**. Pray for all at the Methodist Church.

Tue 20

Pray for your family near and far, many or few that they may know God is close to them.

Wed 21

Remember those who are less well off than most of us. Giving is more blessed than receiving.

Thu 22

Pray for God's blessing on Chris and Salome Baird and the children as they get used to being in their new surroundings so far away, but former home for Chris.

Fri 23

Pray for Father Ian as he continues his work in the parish and beyond. May he know when is the right time to take the next step in his life.

Sat 24

The Birth of John the Baptist

Pray for the Lewis/Dance family in all they do and for everything they are involved in. May we repent as did John's listeners and always speak the truth.

SUN 25

2nd after Trinity

Incline your ear, O Lord, and answer me, for I am poor and in misery. Preserve my soul, for I am faithful; save your servant, for I put my trust in you.

Ps. 86.1-2

Mon 26

Let us remember those who live in **THE GROVE**. Pray also for all at the Baptist church. The Triangle has its AGM tonight. Pray for all involved.

Tue 27

Pray for our new Mayor, Sophie Chauderey, as she is in her first month of office.

Wed 28

Pray for our school, pupils and teachers, governors and support staff.

Thu 29

Give thanks for our two bishops, Andrew and Jo. For Rachael, Nathaniel and Shannon's confirmation, which Bishop Jo took.

Fri 30

Pray for our Churchwardens, Deglan and Philippa, for all they do and the responsibility they carry on our behalf.