

Bamber Bridge Methodist Church  
**PRAYER** *May 2025*  
CHURCH PRAYER LIST

**Please remember in your prayers :**

**... all those who celebrate special occasions this month.**

**... all the various groups who meet week after week.**

**... our Church and Circuit, Community and the World.**

**On Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> :** Remember in your prayers all those attending the Midweek service led by Rev Michael Grimsley. Pray for those taking part in the Bereavement Journey course at Hope. May the Holy Spirit guide the service of those elected in today's County Council Elections. Pray for God's blessing for Patrick Edwards who celebrates his birthday. Pray for the ongoing work and enjoyment of the Dance Class.

**On Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> :** Pray for God's blessing for Daniel Shone who is 8 today. Pray for the members of the Alanon group and their support for families affected by alcohol issues. Pray for the ongoing work of the Street Pastors in Preston and Chorley. Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for all those attending the Methodist Diaconal Order Convocation which starts today.

**On Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> :** Pray for a fine day and a good turnout for the Gift Day.

**On Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> : Vocations Sunday :** Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for Rev Janet Clasper who leads the Communion service. Pray for Judith Laycock whose Testimony service is at Marple Methodist Church, near Stockport ahead of her formal ordination as a Deacon next month. May God bless all those attending Trinity's Annual Church Meeting.

**On Monday 5<sup>th</sup> :** Pray for those attending the Lancashire & South Cumbria Foundation Trust meeting or the AA support group or the Pilates class.

**On Tuesday 6th :** Bamber Bridge Reading group meeting. Pray for the People of Bamber Bridge, may they continue to live in peace and harmony with each other.

**On Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> :** Pray for those attending the Ecumenical Prayer Breakfast at Valley Church, the Rehab services meeting, the Soroptimists group, or the Signing class.

**On Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> :** Pray for all those taking part in the final Bereavement Journey course session at Hope. Pray for all the Bereaved in our church and community and across the World. May God bless those taking part in today's activities : the Cafe , the Dance Class or the Lighthouse group.

**On Friday 9<sup>th</sup> :** Pray for The World and it's people. Pray at this time for peace in the Ukraine and Gaza. Pray for the people of Myanmar and Thailand still recovering from the recent disasters in these countries.

**On Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> :** May God bless all those coming to the Soroptimists sale.

**On Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> : Christian Aid Week begins :** Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for Rev Sharon Thraves who leads the All Together service which will incorporate our Annual Church Meeting. Pray for the ongoing work of Christian Aid.

**On Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Mental Health Awareness Week begins today.** Pray for God's blessing for Jean Hogg who celebrates her birthday. Pray for those attending the Bible Study Group. May God bless those attending the Scripture Union meeting or taking part in the Pilates class.

**On Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> :** Pray for God's blessing for Daren Sumner who celebrates his birthday. Pray for the ongoing work of the Leprosy Mission.

**On : Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup>** : Pray for the ongoing work and commitment of all those involved with the Wellness Cafe. Pray for the Sick in our church and community. Pray for continued recovery for Rev Kevin Savage and Rev Barbara Duchard's daughter, Sara.

**On Thursday 15<sup>th</sup>** : Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for Rev Sharon Thraves who leads the midweek service. Pray for God's blessing for those attending today's groups and activities: the Wellness Cafe, then Lunch, the Craft Club, the Zentangle group, the Dance class or the Lighthouse group.

**On Friday 16<sup>th</sup> : Endangered Species Day** : Pray for the ongoing work of those involved in protecting the endangered species in our world. Give thanks for the dedication of our organist Ron Sumner and all our singers who provide the music for our services.

**On Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> : Christian Aid Week ends** : Pray for the ongoing work of food-banks and other charities helping people cope with day to day living costs.

**On Sunday 18<sup>th</sup>** : Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for Stephen Gregory who leads today's worship. May God give us open hearts and minds to hear and respond to Stephen's message to us.

**On Monday 19<sup>th</sup>** : Pray for God's blessing for those attending the Bookworms group meeting at Valley Church or the AA support group or the Pilates class.

**On Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>** : Pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance for those attending the Circuit Treasurer's meeting at Ingol - may his wisdom guide their thoughts and decisions. Pray for the ongoing work of those attending the Linus project workshop or the Long Covid support group.

**On Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>** : Pray for the members of the Emergency Services as they deal with all kinds of challenging situations day by day. Give thanks for their dedication.

**On Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>** : Pray for God`s blessing for Ian Roberts who celebrates his birthday. May God bless those attending the Cafe, the Dance class or the Lighthouse group.

**On Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>** : Pray for the Staff and Pupils of Cuerden School which closes for half term - may God continue to bless and guide them.

**On Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> : Wesley Day** : Give thanks for the life and witness of John Wesley and his life changing experience on this day in 1738. May God bless all those attending the Farmer`s Market at Fulwood.

**On Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> : Aldersgate Sunday** : May God bless Mr Harry Duckett who leads our worship, those taking part in the Lego Church session or the NOT CHURCH group meeting.

**On Monday 26<sup>th</sup>** : Pray for Peace in the World and an end to the war in the Ukraine and Gaza. Pray for harmony among all nations irrespective of their race or creed.

**On Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup>** : May God bless those attending the Nooma Nights session or the Little Voices music workshop.

**On Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>** : May God bless those attending today`s groups; the Wellness Cafe, the Rehab services meeting or the Signing Class.

**On Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> : Ascension Day** : Remember on this day that Our Saviour returned to His Heavenly home to prepare a place for us with Him for eternity.

**On Friday 30<sup>th</sup>** : Pay for the ongoing work of all our church officers - may the Holy Spirit continue to guide and inspire their work.

**On Saturday 31<sup>st</sup>** : Pray for those attending the Prayer Breakfast at the home of Carol and Graham Poole. Pray for Jason McMahon who testimony service is today at Nuthall Methodist Church in preparation for his Ordination next month.