

## June

### REFUGEE WEEK 14 -20 June



- 1 Pray that the Holy Spirit of Pentecost continues to strengthen your faith
- 2 Praise God for sunshine and showers
- 3 Give thanks for the work of stewards and safeguarding officers in reopening churches safely
- 4 Pray for a friend who is in need of God's love
- 5 Pray for a relaxing weekend for families
- 6 Ask Jesus to be revealed in Sunday services today
- 7 Pray for the ministry and wellbeing of Rev Dave Faulkner and his family
- 8 Offer prayers of comfort for those suffering from Long Covid or Coronavirus
- 9 Pray for affirmation of their calling for all ministers, preachers and worship leaders
- 10 Hold in your prayers all those who are less able both physically and mentally
- 11 Pray that everyone will come forward for vaccination when offered
- 12 Ask God to show you how to use your gifts and talents more effectively for him
- 13 Ask the Lord to lead someone new into your church service today
- 14 At the start of Refugee Week pray for safety for all refugees and asylum seekers
- 15 Pray for compassionate treatment of illegal immigrants crossing the Channel

- 16** Read the Refugee Week service and resources published by All We Can
- 17** Pray for the work of All We Can with refugees in Jordan and Cox's Bazaar
- 18** Meditate on the Parable of the Good Samaritan Luke 10.25-37
- 19** Pray in the words of STF 699 for what you can do to help the needy
- 20** Sanctuary Sunday: pray for rescue for lone child refugees
- 21** Give thanks as Coronavirus restrictions are lifted
- 22** Pray for more people to come to know the saving love of Jesus
- 23** Pray for children and young people taking exams
- 24** Give thanks for Reverend Asif Das' ministry and for future wellbeing
- 25** Pray for godly decisions at Methodist Conference
- 26** Fill your life with praise (STF 73)
- 27** On Conference Sunday pray for all Methodist ordinands
- 28** Commit to weekly Bible Study at home or with a group
- 29** Pray for effective mission and outreach work of Circuit churches
- 30** Give thanks for the ministry of Rev Sydney Samuel Lake and for his family

## July



- 1** Find a quiet place and meditate on Proverbs 10.12
- 2** Give thanks for teachers as summer holidays approach
- 3** St Thomas the Apostle's day – share your doubts in prayer to God
- 4** Churches have reopened – pray for joyful worship together again
- 5** Pray for all couples getting married – at last!
- 6** Pray for all those children moving up to secondary school
- 7** Continue to hold in prayer older/vulnerable people who are still cautious
- 8** Pray for the ministry and wellbeing of Rev Sam Funnell
- 9** Confess any wrongdoing to God asking forgiveness
- 10** Give thanks for family, friends and church family
- 11** Give thanks for the work of AFC on Action for Children Sunday
- 12** Pray for Rev Keith Beckingham as he returns from sabbatical
- 13** Read Deut.11.18-21 and think how you can pass on your faith to your family

- 14** Thank God for the gift of Jesus Christ and read v5 STF 455
- 15** Hold all those who are ill, in pain or anxious in your prayers
- 16** Give thanks for the contributions of supernumeraries to Circuit work and worship
- 17** Pray for rest, renewal and safe journeys for those on holiday
- 18** Pray that God speaks powerfully to worshippers in church today
- 19** Ask God to direct you to someone who needs help or prayer
- 20** Remember that Jesus wept for Lazarus; stand by those known to you who are terminally ill
- 21** Pray that all who are suffering from mental health problems seek and receive help
- 22** Jesus loved justice: pray for fair treatment and equality between all genders
- 23** Pray for wisdom, openness and compassion in government decision making.
- 24** Say the Lord's prayer slowly and thoughtfully
- 25** Praise God for raising up John and Charles Wesley, founders of the Methodist Church
- 26** Hold Rev Adam Payne and his family in your prayers today
- 27** Give thanks for the work of chaplains and faith leaders in hospitals and hospices
- 28** Read or sing Jesus is Lord! STF 353
- 29** Pray for your neighbours by name
- 30** Pray for teenagers as they grapple with social and media pressures
- 31** Pray for everyone to show more kindness to each other and to themselves

## Wey Valley Circuit Prayer Diary June July August 2021

### August



- 1** Pray for God to speak through all preachers leading church services today
- 2** Praise God for times of rest, relaxation and holidays
- 3** Light a candle and take five minutes to be with God
- 4** Pray for relief for the suffering people of Yemen and Afghanistan
- 5** Pray for a fairer sharing of vaccines across the world
- 6** On Hiroshima Day, pray for an end to violence and war
- 7** Praise God for small kindnesses from unexpected people
- 8** “His presence makes the feast” STF 590 Offer prayers for Holy Communion services
- 9** Think of one person who has encouraged your faith and give thanks for them
- 10** Pray for clean water for all those without access to it
- 11** Give thanks for the work of Compassion which sponsors the poorest children
- 12** Pray for the work of the Baby Bank at Cranleigh, for food and clothing banks
- 13** Pray for all those hurt by false news in the media
- 14** Pray for all who have lost loved ones, recently or many years ago
- 15** Pray for children in Junior Church today
- 16** Pray “Jesus be the centre” STF 447
- 17** Say a prayer of concern for prisoners and prison staff
- 18** Give thanks for carers and residents in residential homes
- 19** Meditate on the words of John Wesley “Lord let me not live to be useless.”
- 20** Give thanks for church volunteers who maintain our church buildings

- 21** Lift up to Jesus in prayer small children and babies
- 22** Pray that our churches become more effective witnesses of the gospel message
- 23** Give thanks for a sense of humour and the ability to laugh
- 24** It's the day to remember the Apostle Bartholomew
- 25** Pray for members of your family by name and commit them into God's care
- 26** Pray for generosity in giving
- 27** If anything is troubling you, ask God to give you his grace and peace
- 28** Pray for everyone working long hours in retail and hospitality employment
- 29** "This is the day that the Lord has made" STF 148
- 30** Meditate on "The word became flesh.....full of grace and truth" (John 1.14)
- 31** "Praise the Lord O my soul" Psalm 104