

## June



- 1 Pray for open doors and welcomes for strangers (STF 654)
- 2 Ask God to powerfully inspire all those who lead worship in Circuit churches today
- 3 Remember children returning to school after half term and all those preparing for exams
- 4 Pray for more understanding and respect between peoples of different faiths
- 5 Pray for continuing commitment from all praying the Novena for Thy Kingdom Come
- 6 Pray STF 381 Holy Spirit, breath of heaven, Holy Spirit, breathe on us
- 7 Offer a prayer for all commuters as they catch crowded trains home at the end of a busy week
- 8 Acts 1.4 wait for the gift. Follow Day 7 in the Methodist Church Novena booklet
- 9 Pentecost. Pray for the Holy Spirit to move in power in our churches today
- 10 Give thanks for the ministry of Reverend Paul Hulme asking God's blessing on him in the future
- 11 Ask God to guide you towards someone who needs to know Jesus' love and care today
- 12 Pray for the service at Cedar Court and all elderly residents of care homes in the Circuit
- 13 Call down the inspiration of the Holy Spirit on the Mission Group meeting tonight
- 14 Remember loved ones who have died and those who led us in our Christian faith

- 15** Pray for all who visit Messy Church at Godalming, clothing/bedding banks at Knaphill/ Weybridge
- 16** Praise God, Father Son and Holy Spirit on Trinity Sunday
- 17** At the beginning of Refugee Week, pray for all driven to flee their homes through war
- 18** Meditate on Psalm 137, a lament from exiles.
- 19** Pray for Supernumery Ministers in our Circuit, for their ministry and contribution to Circuit life
- 20** On World Refugee Day pray for the work of aid organisations helping refugees rebuild their lives
- 21** Pray for Reverend Keith Beckingham, Hilary Beckingham and their family
- 22** Offer prayers for all students who have taken exams and now anxiously wait for result
- 23** As Refugee Week ends read thoughtfully STF 257 Would you walk by on the other side
- 24** John the Baptist is remembered today – give thanks for his call to baptism and repentance
- 25** Pray for those who are ill, in pain or in hospital asking for Jesus to uphold and comfort them
- 26** Pray for Reverend David Faulkner and his family, giving thanks for their ministry in this Circuit
- 27** At the Methodist Conference, ask for God’s presence in debates, discussions and decisions
- 28** Pray for the initiative Night Vision at St Mary’s, Guildford
- 29** The disciple Peter was made strong and articulate by the Holy Spirit; this power is for you too!
- 30** Pray for the presence of God in all church services and especially at Godalming today as the church says Farewell to Reverend Paul Hulme

## July



- 1 Give thanks for the beauty of nature, God's own creation
- 2 Pray for integrity, vision and wisdom for our government and Parliament
- 3 Meditate on Luke 10.2a "The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few."

- 4** Pray for an informative and encouraging Lay Employment Workshop at Trinity, Woking tonight
- 5** Say a prayer for all involved with local refugee work meeting today at Woking Borough Council
- 6** Pray for the ministry of Reverend Asif Das and for his wellbeing and that of his family
- 7** Pray for the Sunday services in all our churches, for ministers, local preachers and worship leaders
- 8** Give thanks for all organists, musicians and choirs who enhance worship in our churches
- 9** Pray for the work of the West London Mission with homeless men
- 10** Pray for all the different groups who meet regularly in our churches, including non-church groups
- 11** Give thanks for the Bible and find two verses that are significant for you to meditate upon
- 12** Pray for all schoolchildren especially remembering those who are moving on to secondary schools
- 13** Pray for families as they enjoy the weekend together
- 14** Pray for Action for Children 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary service at Merrow
- 15** Pray for Reverend Sydney Samuel Lake and his family and give thanks for their ministry
- 16** Pray for all those attending the Circuit Meeting tonight
- 17** Praise God for friends and family
- 18** Pray for all those affected by mental health issues, especially young people
- 19** Pray for tolerance, dialogue and understanding among people of different faiths
- 20** Count your blessings – pray in the words of STF41 “Blessed be your name”
- 21** Pray that all Holy Communion services today will bring healing and peace
- 22** Remember Mary Magdalene in your prayers today and how she was saved by Jesus Christ
- 23** Pray for God's comfort and strength to uphold Reverend Gillian Le Boutillier-Scott and her family
- 24** Pray for church members unable to join worship services because of illness or age
- 25** Pray that all those going away on summer holidays have an enjoyable break
- 26** Pray the Lord's Prayer out loud and thoughtfully
- 27** Give thanks for pets who give companionship and pleasure
- 28** Pray that God will make an impact on all those attending Sunday services today
- 29** Give thanks for doctors, nurses and the NHS
- 30** Meditate on “The Lord is my strength and shield; in him my heart trusts” Psalm 28.7
- 31** Offer prayers for any neighbours in need

## August



- 1 Praise God for sunshine, sea, sand and holiday fun!
- 2 Pray for all those who miss the regular social church meetings this month
- 3 Pray for the incoming Chair of SE District Reverend David Hinchliffe and his family
- 4 Pray for the presence of the Holy Spirit in Sunday services including Pudding and Praise at Walton
- 5 Pray for peace of mind and heart for all suffering stress and anxiety
- 6 Today we remember the mystery and glory of the Transfiguration of Jesus on the mountain top
- 7 We pray for the success of Merrow's Holiday at Home event

- 8** Give thanks for the disciples and apostles who inspire and confirm our faith
- 9** Find a spare few minutes to be still in the presence of God
- 10** Pray for all to engage with the need to guard our planet and preserve its nature and wildlife
- 11** Pray that all who come to Sunday services will hear Jesus speaking to them through the worship
- 12** Give thanks and praise to God for the amazing gift of his Son Jesus Christ who died for us
- 13** Pray for generosity in giving
- 14** Pray that this holiday time might be refreshing and restoring for all
- 15** We remember Mary the Mother of Jesus today and her faith and trust in God
- 16** At the end of the week we pray for rest for workers tired from busy work schedules
- 17** Pray that everyone does their shopping today and comes to church tomorrow
- 18** Pray for clarity of the message delivered by preachers today
- 19** Pray that our churches become more effective witnesses of the gospel message
- 20** Pray for the Foundry mission and vision at Trinity Woking
- 21** Lift up to Jesus in prayer small children and babies
- 22** Pray for a fairer distribution of wealth across the world
- 23** Pray for unity among all Christian denominations, and good relationships with local churches
- 24** Read Charles Wesley's hymn STF 661 and re-commit to God your talents, gifts and graces
- 25** Pray for inspiration for all ministers, preachers and leaders of worship today
- 26** On Bank holiday, pray that all might benefit from rest and recreation
- 27** Think of one person who needs to know Jesus; ask God to reveal a way of making Him known
- 28** Pray for Christians who are persecuted for their faith that God gives them strength to endure
- 29** Pray for all prisoners that Jesus might throw off their chains
- 30** Pray for peace and an end to power struggles and fighting
- 31** Pray in Jesus' name and he will answer you (John 14.14)