

Your Holy Spirit, as well as the works of the devil, & make us more aware than ever of the nature of the spiritual conflict across the world.

**Fri 21 June 2 Cor.11:18-30, Psalm 34:1-6, Matt. 6:16-23.** Bless David & Stephen on their weekly rest days for refreshment, relaxation & fun.

**Sat 22 June 2 Cor.12:1-10, Psalm 89:20-33, Matt. 6:24-end.** We pray for your blessing on Maximiliano Scarazzini and Emma-Jane Giles getting married today at Northington, and the grand opening of the new Candover Stores in the presence of the Bishop of Basingstoke.

**Sun 23 June 1 Kings 19:1-15, Galatians 3:23-end, Luke 8:26-39, Psalm 42.** *Rejoice, rejoice Christ is in you, the hope of glory in our hearts, He lives, He lives, His breath is in you, arise a mighty army, we arise! Bless our praises with Your glory today.*

**Mon 24 June Isaiah 40:1-11, Psalm 85:7-end, Acts 13:14-26.** As I wait on you Lord, renew my strength to enable me to soar on eagle's wings, to be free from worries of the day and find joy in You.

**Tues 25 June Genesis 13:2-end, Psalm 15, Matt. 7:6-14.** As I dwell in Your presence, grant grace to walk blamelessly, in truth, in holiness & justice today.

**Wed 26 June Genesis 15:1-18, Psalm 105:1-9, Matt. 7:15-20.** One day you will come to judge the world: I choose today to walk in mercy for others, courage to rebuke those in sin, with compassion for the wounded & broken.

**Thurs 27 June Gen. 16:1-16, Psalm 106:1-5, Matt. 7:21-end.** I choose to build my life on the Rock which is you; help me to recognise and avoid the temptations to take short cuts & compromising the truth.

**Fri 28 June Gen.17:9-22, Psalm 128, Matt. 8:1-14.** Thank you for your authority to heal, to save & deliver. Increase my faith in you to work miracles in my life and in others around me.

**Sat 29 June Zechariah 4, Psalm 125, Acts 12:1-11.** Bless we pray Joel Ferree and Melanie Craven as they marry at Dummer today, with Your presence, peace & sunshine.

**Sun 30 June 2 Kings 2:1-14, Galatians 5:1, 13-25, Luke 9:51-end, Psalm 16.** *O praise ye the Lord, all things that give sound, each jubilant chord re-echo around; loud organs His glory forth tell in deep tone, and sweet harp the story of what He has done.*

**Mon 1 July Gen.18:16-end, Psalm 103:6-17, Matt. 8:18-22.** Discipleship is costly: help me to focus on what is eternal, not on what is transient today.

## Prayer and Bible Reading Diary 27 May to 2 July 2019

**Mon 27 May Acts 16:1-15, Psalm 149:1-5, John 15:26- 16:4** As we approach the Ten Days of Prayer, Lord, stir up every Christian in the benefice to come to pray, that the benefits for us as well as Your Kingdom may be obvious to all.

**Tues 28 May Acts 16:16-34, Psalm 138, John 16:5-11.** Bless we pray those on the Exploring Faith Course tonight that their eyes may be opened to Your grace & salvation.

**Wed 29 May Acts 17:15 – 18:1, Psalm 148, John 16:12-15.** We pray for Rev. Christopher Durrant being inducted to the Upper Itchen benefice tonight, that he may be anointed with Your Holy Spirit & find Your grace going ahead of him.

**Thurs 30 May Acts 1:1-11, Psalm 93, Luke 24:44-end. Ascension Day & start of Thy Kingdom Come prayer initiative:** Come Holy Spirit today & renew me: fill my mind, emotions, will, heart, soul, spirit with You: I willingly enthrone Jesus in all of my being today. Move on us tonight at Preston Candover.

**Fri 31 May Zephaniah 3:14-18, Psalm 113, Romans 12:9-16.** Lord Jesus come & renew my fellow believers in my local church today; turn us from selfishness, prayerlessness, unbelief, low expectations of Your workings, to new life, hope & experience of Your power to heal, save, transform. Meet us as we pray in Ellisfield, & the prayer walk from Farleigh Wallop this teatime.

**Sat 1 June Acts 18:22-end, Psalm 47, John 16: 23-28.** Lord of the Church, we pray for those in our communities who neglect you, defy you, & refuse to come to you for life; soften their hardness & imperviousness to the gospel, speak into their wilfulness & change their direction, worldview & perception. Meet us in Cliddesden this morning as we pray.

**Sun 2 June Acts 16:16-34, Revelation 22:12-end, John 17:20-end, Psalm 97.** *Come Holy Spirit, hear us calling to you, come give your gifts, edify your church; come bring your truth, glorify your name, come be our guide, point the way, come walk beside.*

**Mon 3 June Acts 19:1-8, Psalm 68:1-6, John 16:29-end.** Meet us in our prayer group at Brown Candover this morning, & as Farleigh PCC meets tonight, Come Holy Spirit to guide, strengthen, reveal, your truth.

**Tues 4 June Acts 20:17-27, Psalm 68:7-19, John 17:1-11.** Jesus, king of kings, we pray for those who are lost to your kingdom; the deluded, the deceived, the defiant, those in crisis, those who don't know about Your saving power, those

possessed by darkness & fear: come Holy Spirit & reveal Jesus. Meet us in our prayer walk today in Preston Candover & midday prayer at Wield.

**Wed 5 June Acts 20:28-end, Psalm 68:20-end, John 17:12-19.** Father of all, who calls to bring all people to be Your children, renew your church today in this area: bring down the proud & arrogant, remove those who continually spread lies & doubt & demonstrate Your justice today. Bless our early praying at Bradley today & at Ellisfield before the evening fellowship.

**Thurs 6 June Acts 22:30-23:11, Psalm 16, John 17:20-end.** Holy Spirit who can heal a soul, a mind, body & spirit, be poured out in those villages where You are not honoured or trusted that the tangible presence of grace & hope may open the eyes of those who are running away from You. We praise you as we meet early this morning at Preston Candover.

**Fri 7 June Acts 25:13-21, Psalm 103, John 21:15-19.** Holy Spirit who came in fire, wind & manifestations of speaking in new tongues, surprise us as we seek Your face at Bradley this lunchtime. Heal those know to us who are confused, defeated, discouraged & fearful, that we may rise above trials into joy and victory.

**Sat 8 June Acts 28:16-end, Psalm 11, John 21:20-end.** Lord Jesus who answers prayer in many ways, speak we pray as we worship you at Dummer this morning, that revival power may gather pace in a nation so deeply in need of salvation, repentance and truth. We ask Your blessing on Becky Brown & David Hole getting married today at Cliddesden, and also on Cliddesden School's Summer Fete – grant us sunny weather and good relationships.

**Sun 9 June PENTECOST Acts 2:1-21, Romans 8:14-17, John 14:8-17, Psalm 104:26-end.** *Holy Spirit we welcome you, Holy Spirit we welcome you, Move among us with Holy Fire, as we lay aside all earthly desires, hands reach out and our hearts aspire, Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit we welcome you.*

**Mon 10 June 2 Corinthians 1:1-7, Psalm 34:1-8, Matthew 5:1-12.** Lord as I walk in step with You today, guide my footsteps, guard my lips, make me a blessing to someone else I meet.

**Tues 11 June 2 Corinthians 1:8-end, Psalm 104:26-end, Matthew 5:13-16.** We pray for Your blessing on the Preston Candover and Cliddesden schools, their head teachers, staff, pupils, parents & governors, that working together the children may prosper and flourish as they find their gifts & learn to make a difference. Bless the Candovers PCC this evening.

**Wed 12 June 2 Corinthians 3:4-11, Psalm 78:1-4, Matt. 5:17-19.** Lord we pray Your blessing on all who work in the NHS, especially as so many of us are recipients of their services of care, emergency support & health advice.

**Thurs 13 June 2 Cor. 3:12-4:6, Psalm 78:36-40, Matt. 5:20-26.** We pray for our police, fire & other emergency services – Coastguard, Lifeboats & all who serve the community in law enforcement, fire & rescue: grant them your protection in their work, & encouragement in their duties, especially PC Reid.

**Fri 14 June 2 Cor. 4:7-15, Psalm 99, Matt, 5:27-32.** We ask Your help today for the families with children with learning difficulties that parents have patience and perseverance, children find love & are able to flourish. Bless the fellowship and conversations on the Ellisfield Wine Walk this evening.

**Sat 15 June 2 Cor. 5, Psalm 103:1-12, Matt. 5:33-37.** As Sarah Lucas & Robert Frost marry today at Farleigh Wallop, & Fiona Tolson & Joshua Manson at Northington, we pray for all married couples that they persevere when life is tough, are faithful when temptation lies close at hand, & communicate well in times of difficulty.

**Sun 16 June TRINITY Proverbs: 1-4, 22-31; Romans 5:1-5, John 16:12-15, Psalm 8.** *How I worship You my Father you are wonderful; How I glorify you Jesus, You're my Lord; how I praise you Holy Spirit you have changed my life, and you're now at work in me to change the world.*

**Mon 17 June 2 Cor. 6:10, Psalm 98, Matt. 5:38-42.** We pray today for our churchwardens across the benefice that they may rejoice in their duties, be given wisdom to know who to invite to take on responsibilities, & encourage them in their great work.

**Tues 18 June 2 Cor. 8:1-9, Psalm 146, Matt. 5:43-end.** We pray for all those who contribute to our worship in their musical abilities to play instruments & to sing: anoint them afresh with Your Holy Spirit that our worship is greatly enhanced by their ministries.

**Wed 19 June 2 Cor. 9:1-11, Psalm 112, Matt. 6:1-6, 16-18.** We give thanks for all who take part in Sunday worship and weekday ministries – readers, prayer leaders, sidespeople, cleaners, flower arrangers, those who keep churchyards tidy, bell ringers, and those who arrange rotas.

**Thurs 20 June 2 Cor. 11:1-11, Psalm 111, Matt. 6:7-15.** we pray today for those on the diocesan training day for deliverance ministry: Lord we know the evil one who deceives, deludes, destroys is more active than ever & can only be overcome by prayer, fasting & overcoming evil with good: give us eyes to recognise the works of