

Tues 23rd	For our government and the decisions, they will make, pray for those who support Christian values
Wed 24th	For MAF - Pray for God's provision of a chief pilot and finance manager to play their part in their busy Arnhem Land programme (Arnhem Land is at the north tip of Australia)
Thur 25th	For the Salvation Army who extend a helping hand to those who are homeless, friendless and in need. They passionately believe that no one is beyond hope, however great their problems. That disadvantaged people are given respect and access to the practical, social and spiritual support they need to realise their God-given potential and recover their personal dignity.
Fri 26th	Tonight is the prayer collection from Charles Street & Taylor Street, pray for the team as they interact with the residents
Sat 27th	For the women's breakfast with Miriam Barker, pray that many will be blessed by what she has to share
Sun 28th	Today marks 2 years since our annexe officially opened! Praise God for the many people who use the facility from church groups, regular users and the many birthday parties.
Mon 29th	For the APCM at St Peter's church. This will be our last Team Ministry APCM pray for the churches as we all move forward as separate parishes
Tues 30th	CrossTeach Katharine & Charissa recently wrote - <i>This past week has been a real challenge for us. We've been teaching lessons at a local school and have encountered that familiar attitude of apathy and indifference to Christianity.</i> Pray for them as they have an amazing opportunity to engage with and teach the Gospel to the next generation

Christ Church Southborough

Christ Church Prayer Diary April 2019



Alleluia he is risen!
He is risen indeed Alleluia!

Mon 1st	For those recently affected by terrorist attacks around the world, many still recovering from their physical injuries, for those emotionally scared and those grieving the loss of a loved one
Tues 2nd	For the Lent Course as we continue to look at what makes a welcoming church and how we can reach out to those around us
Wed 3rd	For Sovereign World Trust - <i>The Harare library sent last month has not yet arrived. Please pray that it will not be held up in a customs warehouse with a mounting storage surcharge.</i>
Thur 4th	Today are the interviews for Families & Youth worker, pray for the person of God's calling to be appointed
Fri 5th	For the Southborough school Easter services as the message of the Gospel is shared with the children
Sat 6th	For George and Dan's fundraiser quiz raising money for Education for Life and Turning Point in Kenya. Pray for them too as they study for their A levels
Sun 7th	Passion Sunday. For the all age service and for Nick speaking that God will speak through him
Mon 8th	CPAS - During the Easter holidays many youngsters will attend Ventures & Falcon camps pray for the young people who don't yet know Jesus. Ask that they would be ready to hear the gospel, and that the leaders and other young people would proclaim it boldly.
Tues 9th	Moria refugee camp in Lesbos, has been described as "the worst refugee camp in the world". People are living in very difficult crowded conditions and the atmosphere in the camp is highly charged. Living conditions are basic and frustrations bubble over quickly. Moria is a particularly dangerous place for women. There is a closed section for women who are alone, but after 11pm the door is open, and anyone can come in because there is no security guard at night. Safety is a big issue. Pray for a solution to this massive problem and for the Christians working with refugees on Lesbos, that their compassion will bring hope. Pray that they would share God's love with gentleness and respect. (Reach Beyond)
Wed 10th	For 'The Noise' this week as our youngsters together with others from Tunbridge Wells will be carrying out various tasks to support and encourage members of our community
Thur 11th	For the MLT meeting today as they look at the issues raised at the away day
Fri 12th	For the Carrot Wood 1 Falcon Camp planning meeting to put a summer programme together which will excite & engage with the youngsters who attend in the summer
Sat 13th	Ebola continues to spread in Democratic Republic of Congo. Malaria has also begun spreading in the same areas. Pray for the medical NGO teams working to treat the sick and contain the spread of the diseases through public health

	campaigns. Pray especially for the people in North Kivu Province, where the current Ebola outbreak is centred, and where more than a million people have been displaced by ongoing conflict. Pray for healing, comfort and strength for families touched by the disease and an end to the outbreak. (Mission Aviation Fellowship)
Sun 14th	Palm Sunday Pray for those who are new to our church in the recent months, make time to chat with them and get to know them
Mon 15th	Education for Life - Pray for Glyn and Jane as they return to the UK soon and begin travelling to the churches that support them, to speak about the work going on in Timbani
Tues 16th	The Laarim people in South Sudan have started an indigenous church. Last month was the first ever Laarim-led worship service in the village of Yei. It was a service complete with Laarim gospel songs accompanied by a drum, and the telling of a Bible story by a Laarim youth. This is one of numerous little churches sprouting up in different villages throughout Kimatong. Pray for these churches to grow and spread throughout this people group
Wed 17th	Emmanuel International partners with the Janani Luwum Theological College in Gulu Uganda and the Bishop Lee Rayfield Leadership Training Centre in a small rural centre near Pader Town. They train lay church leaders for their local congregations in rural Northern Uganda. As such, they are the "boots on the ground", sharing the gospel and discipling new believers into Christian maturity. Pray that these pastors will complete their theological training, to be grounded and deeply rooted in biblical truth; and that they would gain a deeper understanding and appreciation of the power of the gospel
Thur 18th	Maundy Thursday- Pray that we would all have a servant ministry Pray for Jim out with the Street Pastors team tonight
Fri 19th	Good Friday. As thousands of churches mark Good Friday today with services and public events, pray that no-one will see the day merely as a tradition, but that everyone will glimpse something of what Jesus death on the cross means for them
Sat 20th	For the residents of Springfield Road and Meadow Road
Sun 21st	Easter Sunday Praise God for Christ's resurrection today, and ask that many more people may know the joy of peace with God.
Mon 22nd	For Sam, Abby, Rachel and Rebecca as they return to Uganda & Sam takes up his new role for MAF