

# CALLANDER KIRK PRAYER DIARY

MARCH / APRIL 2019

*To God be the Glory,  
Great things He has done,  
Praise the Lord!*

## March

**Sunday 24** We give thanks to God as we Worship His Holy name in our services today.

**Mon 25** We pray for those who are involved in Crossreach and all those people who rely so much on their support.

**Tue 26** We give thanks for those in our NHS and all the time and support they give to us when in need.

**Wed 27** We pray for our Local Councillors as they make decisions for our Community.

**Thu 28** We pray at this time for those taking music exams may they be encouraged by You Lord.

**Fri 29** We think of those in the hospitality business as they prepare for a new season of work and visitors.

**Sat 30** As we move our clocks forward tonight, we look forward to slightly longer days and that early springtime.

**Sunday 31 - Mothering Sunday** - We give thanks Lord for our mums, those who are near us, those who live further away from us, those who are estranged from us and those who are no longer with us.

## **April**

**Mon 1** We pray for the teachers, assistants and those involved with our schools now on holiday and we ask Your

blessing upon them Lord that they may have a relaxing break.

**Tue 2** We remember those awaiting test results Lord, may You comfort them and support them at this anxious time.

**Wed 3** We pray for those in isolation through lack of transport and who are unable to get to church. Bless them Lord.

**Thu 4** We pray for all our churches in Callander, and all faiths. We ask Your Blessing Lord on those without Faith.

**Fri 5** We give thanks for our Police and forensic specialists who have to deal with horrific scenes and need our prayers.

**Sat 6** We thank You Lord for springtime, nature, beauty, and all things You created for us to enjoy.

**Sunday 7** We Worship You today at all our services and pray for those at Trossachs Church as they gather together. *(NB Next Trossachs Services will be on 14 and 21 April, not 7 April)*

**Mon 8** We remember the farmers and growers at this busy time. Out in all seasons working the land to our needs.

**Tue 9** We pray for those children in foster families or those awaiting adoption. May they feel loved and wanted Lord.

**Wed 10** We pray for our Ministers in Training especially for Michelle here with us in Callander, may they be encouraged Lord to preach Your Word as they continue the journey you have called them to take.

**Thu 11** We ask Your blessing Lord today on the Guild as they unite with the Thursday Club at their Easter service.

**Fri 12** We remember those on holiday at this time enjoying time out from daily routines. May they feel blessed.

**Sat 13** We pray today for those starting seasonal employment and who may not have had any work all winter. May they feel needed and fulfilled at this time.

**Sunday 14 - Palm Sunday** - We give thanks today as we celebrate our fellowship lunch together.

**Holy Week - Mon 15** - We pray this week as we remember our Lord's journey to the cross.

**Tue 16** We give thanks to our leaders of our churches in Callander as we all worship together this Holy Week.

**Wed 17** Lord Jesus you came from the cradle to the cross and from the cross to the Crown. We give thanks.

**Maundy Thursday** - We remember Lord Your Last Supper and an Act of Humility as You washed the disciples feet, may we be led to serve you too.

**Good Friday** - We remember today when Christ died for us. He died that we might be forgiven. The ultimate sacrifice.

**Holy Saturday** - We pray today Lord for those who feel isolated or lost, as Your disciples did on that first Holy Saturday.

**Sunday 21 - Easter Day** Jesus Christ is risen today Alleluia! Praise God this Easter Day that He rose again for us

**Mon 22** We give thanks for You Lord Our Saviour and Our King

**Tue 23** Father help us each day to appreciate the gift of life. We pray for those whose lives have been radically changed by illness, bereavement, divorce, financial situations, violence or loneliness. Please Bless them Lord.

**Wed 24** We give thanks for our Youth Teams and Tamsin our Youth Worker as they support our young people.

**Thu 25** We ask Your support Lord on those moving home, the stresses this causes and the uncertainty they may feel.

**Fri 26** We pray for those with memories of loved ones suffering or injured after fighting and conflict.

**Sat 27** We think today of the Golf Fun Day, the enjoyment to be had by those

taking part and we give thanks to all those involved in organising this event. May it be a fun relaxing day for all.

**Sunday 28** We give thanks today as we Worship in our All Age Service together.

**Mon 29** We pray for those enjoying club outings at this time, may they have a fun time and enjoyment together.

**Tue 30** We thank You Lord for our warmer days and lighter evenings at this time. May we all take advantage, where we can, of this opportunity to get out more and enjoy Your beautiful world.

## **May**

**Wed 1** We think of those celebrating special birthdays or Wedding Anniversaries at this time. Whether they enjoy time with friends and family or a special holiday or party. Let it be a time of love and blessings.

**Thu 2** We pray today for those in estranged families and the problems they

endure. May they take comfort from You Lord at this time and give them peace.

**Fri 3** We give thanks for our cake bakers who have given us cakes during the start of the year at coffee time.

**Sat 4** We think today of those on the Bank Holiday Weekend whether working, taking time away, or just relaxing. We remember that whatever we do, wherever we are, Lord you are watching over us and we are thankful.