

Rector: Will Pearson-Gee



As the summer rushes on, **please pray for:**

- a good attendance at the 'Quiz and Karaoke' event in June
 - my preparation for our 'Summer Sunday' services
 - General Synod in July
 - HTB Focus in late July
 - Holiday Club
- our summer leave plans (presently up in the air!)
 - Preparation for the SOMA mission to Mombasa, Kenya, in October is starting in earnest and there is much detailed planning to be covered before we even start conducting pre-training. **Pray that** the Holy Spirit would go ahead of us preparing the ground.

Associate Minister for Pastoral Care: Jo Wigley



Praise God for the longer days and better weather allowing people the opportunity to get out in the fresh air more, always good for mental health.

Praise God for the sense of family when we eat together at the community lunch, the 9am lunches and the 11am altogether lunch. **Praise God** that we are able to offer these opportunities not just for the food but for people who may usually eat alone at

home to be able to experience sharing a meal with others.

Pray for those struggling with their mental health, with loneliness, with their physical health and with difficult relationships.

Pray for those who are going through relationship breakdown in marriage or otherwise. May God heal their hearts and guide them in a way forward.

Pray for me and for all the preparation for my priesting at the end of the month.

Connect Groups Ministry Leaders: Phil & Gill Blackledge



Praise God for the answer to prayer about the CGL's meetings on 19th and 20th May. There was a lot of excitement and energy in the room as people shared what God was doing in their groups. It was also great to share wisdom and experience as we looked at different challenges some groups were facing.

Please pray that this excitement and energy will be felt in the groups going forward, especially for some who are tired and

feeling isolated in their leadership.

On a personal note, **please pray** for our health. Phil has a recurring virus which leaves him with zero energy and muscle fatigue. He has had it three times since January and was unable to be at the last CGL's meetings. Also, I have just heard that I need to have surgery in June which has a 4–6-week recovery time. We want to fulfil this role with energy but that is feeling slightly contested at the moment.

Youth Team Leader: Sam Graham



Please join me in **thanking God for**

- The growing student ministry here at BPC
- New volunteers who have offered to support and cook for our student groups

Please pray for all the young people in the midst of their exams

Worship:

Please join me in **thanking God for:**

- The growing confidence of our volunteer worship leaders
- The successful introduction of new songs this year so far

Please pray for:

- The continued search for a new worship pastor
- Wisdom over the worship leading of the 11am service

BPC Children & Families' Team Leader: Lucia Pearson-Gee



Give thanks for:

- All those who helped out cover the 29 children we looked after during the APCM for 2 hours.
- For new volunteers coming forward to offer to help with the children's groups.
- Seeing some Ark families turn up to the Sunday services.

Please pray for:

- A good team for the 5pm summer Sundays.
- For someone to cover my leave Sundays.
- For energy and enthusiasm to finish the term well in all groups and a fresh vision for the Autumn term planning.

Prayer Ministry Team: Chris and Cherryl Murray



Please give thanks for:

- a good number responding to the opportunity for anointing at the 9am Healing service in May.
- responses to clear invitations from preachers/service leaders to come forward for prayer, and the recent increase in numbers coming forward after the 11 am.
- the presence of the Holy Spirit, so tangible at the 6pm, the prayer beforehand and the anointed worship leading by the band.

Please pray

- The response at recent 11 am services highlights the need for more people from that congregation to offer to serve in this ministry.
 - For the prayer ministry training day on Sat 5th July. This is open to ALL who may be feeling led to this precious ministry, including anyone from other churches you may know who are interested.
- Cost £10 [Prayer Ministry Team will be covered by our budget]

Buckingham Churches Holiday Club:

Praise God for:

- answering the prayers for someone who can oversee the first aid, someone has signed up who will fit the role perfectly!
- the team; we now have enough people to offer 150 spaces which is incredible!

Please pray for:

- the weather during the week, with more groups to fit in church our wet weather plan will have to work perfectly,
- protection over the team, as our Holiday Club demand increases. **Pray for** the whole team & core team to be able to stay away from illnesses, to have an abundance of time to get their jobs done as well as our day-to-day life.
- the children who are signing up, pray their hearts & their family's hearts are ready to hear the gospel and that it will be so much more than just free childcare for families!

Mission and Outreach: Keith Croxton

The main Mission and Outreach report is now in the MOG report leaflet.



Prayer and Praise

Prayer points

2nd June 2025



NOTE. Please take this leaflet away with you and use it as springboard for your daily prayers during the month.