

### **Tuesday 22nd**

Today I will give thanks to you, Lord, with all my heart; I will tell of all your wonderful deeds. *Psalm 9:1*

### **Wednesday 23rd**

Praise God for all the flights MAF has been able to do for health and medical NGOs during the coronavirus outbreak. Thank you for those governments who see their work as essential, enabling them to continue flying despite lockdown restrictions.

### **Thursday 24th**

Lord of Peace, we remember those living in coronavirus hotspots and those currently in isolation. May they know your presence in their isolation, your peace in their turmoil and your patience in their waiting.

### **Friday 25th**

Lord while our masks cover our smiles we pray that we may smile deeply with our eyes, remember our affection for one another as a family, and continue to find ways to express our care for each other from a distance.

### **Saturday 26th**

Lord, as the world battles against the virus help us, the people of Buchanan and Drymen to stay focused on Your Great Love and servant heart. We are humbled by the life of Jesus. How He stood with the oppressed, the poor and the needy, How He gave strength to the weak and healed the sick.

### **Sunday 27th.**

Father, thank you for being a God who responds to the requests of your people. Enable me to be persistent in my prayers; may I continually call out to you with my needs. Help me to be bold, and specific in my requests to you. Grant me patience as I wait for you to answer me in your way and time. In Jesus' name, Amen.

### **Monday 28th**

At the start of this Autumn season, grant us the presence of Your Holy Spirit as we face the darkening days ahead. Let us remember with gratitude and joy, the summer days we have enjoyed, knowing that everything we have comes from You.

### **Tuesday 29th**

Lord, help me not to be scared, for You are with me, not to be dismayed, for You are God. You will strengthen me and help me. You will uphold me with your righteous right hand

### **Wednesday 30th**

Lord, the scale of global poverty is beyond our understanding. Give bread to those who are hungry and a hunger for justice for those of who have bread.

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# Our Prayer Diary

## September 2020



## Have faith in God Mark 11:22

## Drymen And Buchanan Church of Scotland

**Tuesday 1st**

Lord help us to devote ourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. *Colossians 4:2*

**Wednesday 2nd**

Lord thank you for the SU Back To School With God initiative. We commit children, young people, teachers and other staff to you in prayer, that may know they are going back to school with God.

**Thursday 3rd**

Lord Jesus Christ, we ask you to protect us from the spread of the coronavirus. You are powerful and merciful; let this be our prayer "Have mercy on me, my God, have mercy on me, for in you I take refuge. I will take refuge in the shadow of your wings until the disaster has passed." *Psalms 57:1 Pete Greig*

**Friday 4th**

Lord, protect our children as they reach new goals and take steps into new places. Place Your hands upon their backs and hold them up when they need You. Let them know they are not alone, and You are always there.

**Saturday 5th**

Gracious Father, may we love one another as You love us. May we appreciate and recognize the daily acts of love and kindness that we experience.

**Sunday 6th**

Give thanks for the opportunity to livestream this mornings service at 11.30am. Pray that our team would quickly and effectively learn how to use our new technology. As we study this very well known miracle of the feeding of the five thousand, pray that our live stream service would reach out to many people at home and abroad and that they would be fed and blessed by God's Word. Thank you for choosing us to accomplish your purposes.

**Monday 7th**

Lord, in Your providence, you have given us this season of church life to steward. We pray we will look more like Jesus when it ends than we did when it began.

**Tuesday 8th**

Lord, you are my God; I will exalt you and praise your name, for in perfect faithfulness you have done wonderful things, things planned long ago. *Isaiah 25:1*

**Wednesday 9th**

Lord we pray for Tearfund and other aid organizations to be able get food, financial aid and emotional support to people whose already fragile circumstances have become desperate because of the pandemic

**Thursday 10th**

Gracious Father, please be near to all who have suffered bereavement, loss of income, loss of employment or loss of their homes. Give them strength and the knowledge that Your ever loving arms are around them.

**Friday 11th**

We pray that the Lord would be gracious to keep our church family healthy over the months to come, and that our members who are most at-risk from the virus will have everything they need to remain at home.

**Saturday 12th**

We pray that we may speak kindly, listen well, and assume we don't know all the answers, showing ourselves to be above reproach, wise in our interactions, and humble before men.

**Sunday 13th**

Lord, thank you for always meeting me when I need you most! Even when the storms of life are raging, I can be strong and courageous, for you are with me. May this be true today. Lord. Keep me from becoming accustomed to your power; leave me speechless! In Jesus' name, Amen.

**Monday 14th**

Ever loving God, who has set us in a world of mystery, we pray that we are not cast down or dismayed. Fill our hearts with love and peace and the power which flows from You. Keep us strong, knowing that nothing is too hard for us if we depend on You and not on ourselves, and help us to pray about everything always.

**Tuesday 15th**

The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in him, and he helps me. My heart leaps for joy, and with my song I praise him. *Psalms 28:7*

**Wednesday 16th**

Lord we pray that each person who comes through the doors of the Preshal Trust would know they are precious to You as they receive comfort, support and food.

**Thursday 17th**

Lord, Bless and guide Health Workers and Key workers with strength and well being. Bless and guide political leaders worldwide with wisdom. May those who are vulnerable know that in your eyes all lives matter.

**Friday 18th**

Lord, be with our young people as they soar towards their future selves. Keep them steady in Your teachings, never let them be led away from You, and give them comfort and contentment in their daily lives.

**Saturday 19th**

Heavenly Father, we thank you for all those people who will be joining groups to learn more about the truth of Jesus this autumn. We pray for questions to be answered, for fears to be removed and for healing to be experienced, as they encounter more of your grace and truth *John 10:7*

**Sunday 20th**

Father God, thank you for being unimpressed by human traditions and religious establishments. I don't want to be someone who honours you with my lips, but whose heart is for from you. Lord, keep me by your side. May your Word be a lamp to my feet and a light to my path. In Jesus' name, Amen.

**Monday 21st**

Living God, as You have watched over us in the past watch over us in the present. Bless all in the parishes of Buchanan and Drymen, and all over our fractured world, we thank You that through Your Holy Spirit we are not alone.