

Prayer Calendar February 2021

“Our prayers can go where we cannot.”
Brother Andrew, founder of Open
Doors.



Monday 1 Habakkuk 3:17–18 Though the fig tree should not blossom, nor fruit be on the vines, the produce of the olive fail and the fields yield no food, the flock be cut off from the fold and there be no herd in the stalls, yet I will rejoice in the LORD; I will take joy in the God of my salvation. *Joy in God is a duty of great consequence in the Christian life; and Christians need to be again and again called to it. Matthew Henry.*

Tuesday 2 Pray for the children and youth work at the Convention 2021. For the leaders with a new programme and for enough volunteers.

Wednesday 3 Pray for volunteers preparing to come and help put on the Convention 2021. Pray for volunteers to be willing to come and be a part of the team.

Thursday 4 Pray for the planning for the Convention, the programme and logistics. With the added complication of Coronavirus and potential restrictions.

Friday 5 Pray for the Persecuted Church: North Korea. Ask God to prepare the right time and place for secret Christians to safely share the gospel. Pray that when they try to share their faith with their children, family or friends, they will be led by the Holy Spirit.

Saturday 6 Give thanks for the Lord’s faithfulness in providing for the work of Keswick Ministries. We pray for His ongoing financial provision.

Sunday 7 Romans 5:1–4 Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God. Not only that, but we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope.

Monday 8 Continuing in Romans 5. So often, we rejoice in God's blessings, but Paul urges us to rejoice in God Himself. (Romans 5:11)

Tuesday 9 Please pray today for the online Pastoral Refreshment event which will be held in place of the usual Pastoral Refreshment Conference in Newby Bridge. Steve Midgley speaking.

Wednesday 10 Today is the monthly prayer meeting where pre-Covid, there was a gathering in Keswick to pray for the work of Keswick Ministries. At the moment we meet on zoom. Pray for favour on the work of Keswick Ministries.

Thursday 11 Pray for Teaching and Training Events. Pray for the upcoming Bible Workshop: Matthew's Gospel – The Sermon on the Mount, 8 March 2021 with Ben Cooper.

Friday 12 Pray for Sleaford Bible Ministry, a Keswick Fellowship Event with Martin Salter today.

Saturday 13 Pray for the Persecuted Church in Malaysia. Continue to pray for answers on the cases of abducted pastors Raymond Koh, Joshua Hilmi and Ruth Sitepu and Amri Che Mat, who disappeared in mysterious circumstances four years ago. Pray for those who are working hard to help find these answers and ask that God's will be done in this situation.

Sunday 14 James 1:2–3 Count it all joy, my brothers, when you meet trials of various kinds, for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness.

Monday 15 Continuing our study from James: Amid the harsh realities and overwhelming uncertainties of life, we can be joyful because the Lord knows what we are facing, cares about us and will reward our faithfulness.

Tuesday 16 Pray for James Robson leading today's monthly Online Bible Workshop in Hebrew. An online Teaching and Training Event.

Wednesday 17 Pray for Teaching and Training Events, much affected by Coronavirus. Pray for James Robson taking the Bible Workshop in Hebrew: Up to intermediate, 16 March 2021 online.

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Friday 19 Pray for the Bible Readers at the Convention 2021: Pray for Alistair Begg Week 1, Simon Manchester Week 2, Mark Meynell Week 3.

Saturday 20 Pray for Keswick Fellowship events – many having been affected by the pandemic. Pray for wisdom and success in planning events in 2021.

Sunday 21 1 Peter 4:12–13 Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery trial when it comes upon you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. But rejoice insofar as you share Christ's sufferings, that you may also rejoice and be glad when his glory is revealed.

Monday 22 Following on from our studies in 1 Peter: You can rejoice through the tears and pain, and that is precisely what Peter is commending here, 'so that you may be overjoyed when His glory is revealed.'

Tuesday 23 Pray for the ongoing works of the Derwent Project. The ground floor of the former Pencil Factory has been raised and contractors are putting in underfloor heating pipes and erecting internal walls. Please pray that the contractors stay safe as some have had to self-isolate due to the ongoing Covid pandemic.

Wednesday 24 Pray for Keswick Ministries Resources. A New Food for the Journey devotional coming in March. The devotional, entitled, The Cross, will help you study the Scriptures with a Keswick teacher by your side.

Thursday 25 Pray for the Persecuted Church in Iraq. The Turkish military has extended its ground operations against the Kurdish workers' party in the Iraqi-Turkish border areas. The Turkish army has been opening fire on the villages, causing panic and fear among civilians. Pray for peace and protection for families living in the villages near the border.

Friday 26 Pray for the Teaching and Training Events for 2021. Pray for wisdom in planning, and for guidance in putting on events in the pandemic.

Saturday 27 Give thanks for the Lord's faithfulness in providing for the work of Keswick Ministries. We pray for His ongoing financial provision for the general fund and the Derwent Project.

Sunday 28 1 John 1:7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.