

Prayer Calendar



August 2023

COMMITMENT: PASSIONATELY COMMITTED TO THE MINISTRY, AND PROFESSIONAL

August Week 1

This week pray for the final few days of Keswick Convention 2023. Pray that Keswick Ministries aims of Hearing God's Word, Becoming Like Christ, and Serving God's Mission will be the outcome for all those engaging with any aspect of the Convention this year.

Pray for the Convention set down team as the tent and Base Camp are taken down and packed away. Pray for safety, a methodical approach and attention to detail to all aspects of the work.

Pray for Keswick Fellowship event: Argyll Convention (Aug 1st – 3rd), with the theme "The Risen Christ" with speakers Tim Chester and Andy Bannister. (www.argyllconvention.com). Pray that those attending will be built up and encouraged in their faith.

Pray for Keswick Fellowship event: Moray Coast Convention (Aug 5th – 11th) with the themes "Faithful - living in a faithless society" with Roger Carswell and "The Names of Jesus Christ" with Colin Dow. Pray that their aims to deepen the faith of Christians in the local community and beyond, and to share the good news with everyone will be realised over the week. (<https://www.moraycoastconvention.co.uk/programme2017.htm>)

August Week 2

This week thank God for the way he has blessed every aspect of the Keswick Convention this year. For seeing prayers answered, for clear, Biblical teaching on this year's theme '*Human*'; for the privilege of teaching the Kids and Youth; and for the sacrificial service of our volunteers and contractors, and for health and safety across the site.

Pray for those that came to faith this week at Keswick, in particular those from the 11 - 18 age group. Pray that as they return home, they will become rooted and established in faith.

Pray for the staff team in Keswick, pray they get the rest they need following the busiest time of their year.

Pray for events planned at the Pencil Factory and Rawnsley sites and for groups using Skiddaw Street site over the summer; pray for the facilities staff team as they prepare the buildings, that they would have energy to welcome these groups with grace and warmth and that God would be honoured in all their interactions.

August Week 3

Pray for Keswick Fellowship event the Northern Scottish Convention (<https://www.northernconvention.co.uk/>) Pray for speaker Craig Dyer and for the convention as they celebrate their 90th year of ministry in the Highlands. Pray that many will be encouraged and challenged through the teaching of God's word as they magnify God and mature his people.

Praise God for the way he has provided financially for the Derwent Project through the generosity of his people; pray that he will continue to enable Keswick Ministries to complete the final phase of work in the Pencil Factory.

Pray for James Robson as he prepares to move to his new appointment at Oak Hill next month. Pray for a good handover process with new ministry director Mark Ellis; and for all aspects of James and Bridget's move to London.

August Week 4

Pray for the September Teaching and Training event the Preaching Workshop. Pray for enrolment numbers to make this viable, and that those coming will not only find it personally helpful, but that it will also impact their ministry for years to come. Pray for those preparing to lead this course: Richard Garnett, James Robson, and from the 'Prisca Hub' Laura Gallacher and Sharon Mac Wilmshurst.

Thank God for the global reach of our online resources and for the technical expertise that makes this possible. Thank God that many can access the talks and seminars from this year's Convention through our You Tube channel, pray that these will be shared and used by churches to equip and grow Christians in their faith.

Continue to pray for the relationship between Keswick Ministries and the town. Pray that God would bless the residents, businesses, and churches.

Pray that as the summer draws to a close, Christians will look forward with excitement and anticipation to the new autumn term in their local churches, with a renewed commitment to Christ, His gospel, and His word.