

# Prayer Calendar



**Keswick  
Ministries**  
HEARING BECOMING SERVING

APRIL 2024

## **Keswick Ministries exists to inspire and equip Christians to love and live for Christ in His world:**

**COMMITTED TO THE MINISTRY, AND PROFESSIONAL**

**HUMILITY DEPENDENT ON GOD, LISTENING TO ONE ANOTHER**

**RESPECT VALUING EVERY PERSON AS MADE IN GOD'S IMAGE**

**INTEGRITY TRUSTWORTHY AND TRUTHFUL**

**STEWARDSHIP GUARDING THE GOSPEL, WISELY USING THE RESOURCES ENTRUSTED TO US**

**TEAMWORK WORKING TOGETHER AS FAMILY, ENCOURAGING & SUPPORTING EACH OTHER**

Monday 1	Praise God for the continued generosity of his people as our supporters give so faithfully to the work of Keswick Ministries. Pray that this act of God's grace in their lives would continue so that our costs are covered, and we grow in dependence on Him for all our needs.
Tuesday 2	Praise God that Keswick's digital 'Dive Deeper' small group studies, based on Convention seminars and talks have been so helpful to people. Continue to pray that our resources are used to build and equip the church, becoming a trusted and 'go to' resource.
Wednesday 3	Pray for Base Camp Exhibitors and contributors. Pray for the mission interviews planned for Convention 2024 evening celebrations; pray that God would use the testimony of missionaries to call men and women into world missions.
Thursday 4	Pray for the final month of Volunteer applications coming in. Pray that volunteers are recruited for all the areas of need. Please pray for the volunteer staff team in Keswick, that they would have God's peace and joy as they process applications and allocate roles and accommodation.
Friday 5	Praise God for the March events - Keswick in Devon, and the teaching and training event "Leading WELL". Pray for those that attended, that God would use what they learnt for his purposes in their lives.
Saturday 6	Pray for "Fluid" the technical support at Convention. Praise God that technology, audio and video can serve God's purposes, allowing talks and seminars to reach a worldwide audience.
Sunday 7	Romans 6:8-9 "Now if we died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. For we know that since Christ was raised from the dead, he cannot die again; death no longer has mastery over him".

Monday 8	Praise God for the completion of The Derwent Project earlier this year. Praise God the vision for Keswick Ministries to play a role in uniting and serving the church for decades to come is being accomplished through the Pencil Factory facility. Pray for effective partnership with our supporters as KM seeks to develop opportunities in the future.
Tuesday 9	Praise God for the developing partnership with 10 of those books. Pray for the decision process regarding which books to recommend at this year's Convention. Pray for a broad range, but all holding to biblical truth and expanding the theme of Resurrection.
Wednesday 10	Pray for the Seminars being planned for Convention 2024. Pray for the speakers as they begin preparing. Pray that God would use their knowledge, experience, and personality to teach with authenticity and grace.
Thursday 11	Please continue to pray for the ongoing volunteer recruitment process for Convention. Pray that all teams are complete and compliant (DBS checks, Health, Safety & Safeguarding training) in time for Convention.
Friday 12	Pray for Keswick Fellowship event 'Keswick in East Lancashire' ( <a href="https://www.facebook.com/keswickeastlancs/">https://www.facebook.com/keswickeastlancs/</a> ) starting today, pray for speaker Mark Ellis, and the theme 'Jesus is kinder than you imagine' from Mark 4 & 5 as he prepares.
Saturday 13	Pray for the Christian witness of the local Keswick churches. Pray that God would encourage them as they meet tomorrow around His word; pray that members would have full understanding of every good thing we have in Christ (Philemon 6) as they share the gospel in the town.
Sunday 14	Romans 6:10 "The death he died, he died to sin once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God."
Monday 15	Pray for Keswick Fellowship event: Derby Bible week starting today with speaker Jonty Rhodes on the subject 'Hidden Grace' from the book of Esther. Pray for Jonty as he prepares.
Tuesday 16	Pray for the publication of this year's Food for the Journey 365-day theme book. Pray that it will be ready for Convention 2024 and be a great encouragement in the faith for those who engage with it.
Wednesday 17	Please pray for next month's Kids and Youth Training Day in Nottingham. Pray for those leading sessions as they prepare. Please pray that as many of the 300 + volunteers will be able to attend, and they would have a sense of excitement and anticipation for serving God in these roles as they leave.
Thursday 18	Please pray for next month's Keswick Fellowship event Maidstone Bible Week ( <a href="https://www.maidstonebibleweek.org.uk/">https://www.maidstonebibleweek.org.uk/</a> ). Pray for Jonathan Lamb as he prepares talks on "Reading between the Lines - Discovering God's purposes for our lives in the book of Ruth".
Friday 19	Pray for the Art Retreat in Keswick. Pray for Alistair Gordon leading and those attending as they explore what it means to live and work with integrity in the art world with Christian faith.
Saturday 20	Pray for the more practical details of the Art Retreat, for the catering team, for the workshops and for good weather as delegates go out into the Keswick area to complete pieces of work. Pray for a sense of collaboration and friendship as they share their insights and experiences.

Sunday 21	Acts 3:15 "You killed the author of life, but God raised him from the dead. We are witnesses to this."
Monday 22	Please pray for Keswick Ministries dealings with external contractors eg: local caterers that serve our retreats and Convention, the local cleaning company that service our buildings, and other local businesses. Pray that Keswick Ministries would be known for integrity and fairness in all their dealings.
Tuesday 23	Please pray for God to give wisdom as Keswick Ministries plans the production of the 150th anniversary book. Pray that we can testify to God's faithfulness, give God glory, and encourage a new generation to serve unreservedly in the cause for Christ.
Wednesday 24	Praise God for the continued generosity of his people as our supporters give so faithfully to the work of Keswick Ministries. Pray that this act of God's grace in their lives would continue so that our costs are covered, and we grow in dependence on Him for all our needs.
Thursday 25	Pray for the Keswick Ministries trustees as they meet today for prayer, planning and vision casting. Pray that they will have unity, God's leading in decision making and joy as they join together.
Friday 26	Pray for the Kids and Youth work at Convention this year. Pray that the teaching will be accessible, age appropriate and culturally relevant. Pray for Matt Holden as he leads the teams.
Saturday 27	Pray for Keswick Churches this weekend, for well attended services, clear gospel proclamation and faithfulness to God's word.
Sunday 28	Psalms 24:7-10 "Lift up your heads, O you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory? The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord Mighty in battle. Lift up your heads, O you gates; lift them up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is he, this King of glory? The Lord Almighty - he is the King of glory."
Monday 29	Pray for the priorities of Keswick Ministries to be accomplished this year at Convention: Hearing God's Word, Becoming like God's Son, and Serving God's Mission. Pray that these priorities will become the DNA of Keswick Ministries.
Tuesday 30	Praise God for our 'Key Volunteers' that have a heart to serve at Keswick Ministries both on a weekly and termly basis. Pray they will be blessed as they give up their time and skills as they support our work.