

JOIN US TO PRAY!

Praying for the Global and Mission Life of our Church

APRIL 2021

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Family; Economics, Business & Media ----- Prayers for Healing from 8-9 pm	Education & Health Care	24/7 PRAYER Economics, Business & Media	Celebration & Thanks Arts, Sport & Entertainment	Government & Religion / Church ----- YOUTH TONIGHT		
			1 GRAHAM & ANGELA YOUNG Friday Bible Studies are going well as is Sunday church. 1st April we return to Wales, staying for 5 wks. Our son marries on the 8th May to John Sampson's grand daughter	2 IT'S FRIDAY but Sunday's Coming... <i>Check out Sue Williams reflection in our longer version of the diary!</i> 	3 HOLY SATURDAY – Where is God when Heaven is silent? They have taken away my Lord, and I don't know here they have laid Him? John: 20:13 Follow this link for Prayer https://www.24-7prayer.com/blog/1213	4 HE IS RISEN Hallelujah! <i>Check out our longer version of our diary as Jo Frenkel has a written a beautiful poem entitled: He is Risen on the third day!</i>
5 SQUARE PEG Thanks for praying & supporting us . . . Please pray as Peg continues to “juggle” the latest “guidelines” that God’s hand will be over the finances, business decisions, our wonderful staff, keeping them healthy & safe.	6 THE SMART FAMILY BULEMBU Covid cases in Eswatini have dropped significantly over the last month. Churches have been given the go-ahead to reopen. We can restart our worship academy and start more dance training. Thanks for our car	7 “MY MISSION FIELD” What; where; who is “my mission field”? Spend some time today reflecting, praying, about your own personal/ local mission	8 SWANSEA STORM CHAPLAIN We are thrilled to learn that our own Mark Bowtell is now chaplain with Swansea Storm basketball team! Please pray for Mark as he steps into this new and exciting opportunity	9 ZACS PLACE - SEAN STILLMAN Zacs, every Thurs & Friday feeds between 50 and 100 people. We're grateful for the provision of a new oven and also the ongoing commitment of partnership with the council.	10 EDUCATION: As schools begin their preparation for deciding pupils' grades we ask for prayers for all those who are making the decisions.	11 NICHOLASTON HOUSE Staff have been furloughed. We hope to re-open in May. We hope to run some online events during April. Prayer for new volunteers & arrival of two new General Assistants
12 MUSLIM COMMUNITY Ramadan begins Mon, April 12. Now is a unique moment in history where God is drawing more Muslims to Himself than ever before! Pray for Muslims to encounter Jesus Christ through visions, dreams, and faithful witnesses. https://prayercast.com/	13 POLITICS: Pray for our leaders in Westminster, Cardiff and locally. Senedd (Welsh Parliament) and Police & Crime Commissioner elections take place on 6 May Pray for Mike Day who takes up his role as Deputy Lord Mayor of Swansea on 21 May, and, all being well, Lord Mayor in 2022.	14 TRED & KRISTEN SAMARITANS PURSE UGANDA – We recently spent time with Kristin’s family before a week at the SP HQ. In Uganda a team travelled to the NW for assessments to support some of the 250,000 refugees in the area. Pray as we develop these ideas further and seek funding	15 SWANSEA ASYLUM SEEKERS - Pray for new asylum seekers who have come to Swansea from Penally Camp. Pray for those who have recently been given permission to stay but who now have to find housing and work.	16 FRIDAY NIGHT YOUTH NIGHT Fridays: 7.15-8pm & 8.15-9pm . Pray for the youth who attend; for the new chat platform; for conversations; and for those asking for prayer	17 CHILDREN OF HOPE, Kenya: Thanks for the rescue of 17 children. Pray for primary and secondary school children who are sitting for final KCPE and KCSE exams over the next few weeks. Pray for peace of mind and good results for them.	18 PROJECT DENGKE Uderen, (in her early 40’s) is expecting her fourth baby any day now! Its a home birth as if they go to hospital they then will have to pay a fine! Watch this video to help us pray for China: https://prayercast.com/china.html

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19 JOSH FARR & Meg Australia - Our students have just finished studying through some of the big ger books of the OT Praise - We have managed to rent a property & look forward to seetling there as a married couple	20 GRACE CHURCH Please pray for the light of Christ to shine on Clase and push back the darkness - specifically in the area of drugs. We have seen and heard of a few overdoses and suicides in Clase in recent weeks and months	21 OUR CHURCH Join us in praying about what the new normal looks like when we may be able to gather in person, and what it looks like having both in person and online church. Prayers for direction will be greatly appreciated.	22 MIKE & SARAH ADAMS Were moving to Sketty Park, in the heart of the community, just 2 minutes walk from Parklands Church. One of our international friends recently got leave to remain in the UK after several years of waiting.	23 Discover the New Testament has been going great. In April we will be looking at some of Paul's epistles. The course will be around 27 weeks long altogether, as we study through each book of the New Testament	24 LONELINESS Please pray for those who are isolated and alone. Spend some time today asking God to show you those around you who may be struggling with and get in contact with them today	25 Jord & Ludi MANLEY We are loving teaching the Discovering the New Testament course. Alpha is going great, Luds has started back in Square Peg. Prayers still appreciated for our future please
26 HEALING Spend some time praying today for those who need the healing touch of Jesus. Monday nights at 8pm , join us on the prayer zoom. All are welcome to join. Zoom ID: 346 993 978 Password: 346 993 978	KAPOW BIBLE CLUB! www.kapowkids.info Kapow is simply about telling the Next Generation about Jesus in a real, memorable & engaging way whilst working side-by-side with the Local Church to help reach that Community	28 KEYHOPE, Swansea: supports women experiencing baby loss and those who face an un-planned pregnancy. Pray for more "helpers" http://www.keyhopecentre.org.uk/	29 PARKLANDS FOOTBALL Due to Covid the 2020/21 season is cancelled. PRAISE For one of our players Alex, whose wife had been diagnosed with leukaemia - she's just had the all clear! We are planning a charity friendly match in summer 2022 to raise funds for the unit she was in. As a team, we are doing a virtual challenge to collectively run/walk 1744km from Lands End to John O'Groats and we have just gone over half way there in 6 weeks.	30 ALPHA ONLINE: Alpha is an amazing opportunity to explore Christianity, faith and Church in a relaxed setting. Check out our website for more details Check out our website for more details		
<p align="center">DISCOVER THE NEW TESTAMENT</p> <p>A course that looks at a book of the New Testament each week, meaning you will read the whole New Testament in 6 months! Perfect whether you've read the Bible several times, or have no idea where to start!</p> <p>Every Monday videos are released, giving an overview of each book, tools to help you engage with and study the Bible for yourself in a way that suits you and is most importantly fun! There are study notes too, with the week ending in a zoom call to discuss what we have learnt. Resources are available on our website. Please sign up to have the resources emailed to you each week by emailing admin@parklandschurch.org.uk</p>				<h2><u>We love to PRAY</u></h2> <p><i>We invite & encourage all to join</i></p> <p>Monday – Friday: 9.30 am and 7.00 am <i>Wednesday</i> join us on zoom: Meeting ID: 346 993 978 and Password: 346 993 978</p> <p>-----</p> <p>INSTAGRAM: @parklands_church Every Tuesday and Thursday @ 8.00 am – Join us for a reflection or a thought for the day</p> <p>-----</p> <p>PRAYERS for HEALING: <i>Mondays @ 8.00 pm</i> On Monday nights at 8pm, join us on the prayer zoom for focused prayers around healing. Come along if you would love to pray for healing for others, but also if you would like to receive prayer yourself. All are welcome to join. Meeting ID: 346 993 978 and Password: 346 993 978</p>		

