



Methodist Women
in Britain

Prayer Diary September to November 2018

September

1st September

Remember the MWiB Executive meeting on 4th–5th: Sandra Goodwin, Nina Rawlins, Anne Browse, Jude Simms and Carolyn Lawrence, as well as Lynne Ling our note-taker. We also pray this week for all those children and young people starting the Autumn term, that they will settle quickly into their new classes.

8th September

Pray for the women of the West Africa Area of the World Federation as they gather in Ghana for their Area Seminar, 10th–14th, for those who will attend and those who will lead the sessions.

15th September

We pray for the staff and volunteers at Touchstone, Bradford as they celebrate their official opening today. We also remember our sisters in Ireland who are meeting for their biennial conference in Northern Ireland, and for Nina Rawlins and Sandra Goodwin who will be joining them.

22nd September

We pray for those who will be using the *All We Can* Harvest Resources 'Let your light shine', as they hear stories of how light can shine hope even in the darkest situations.
Download at: www.allwecan.org.uk/resources

29th September

Pray for the Executive and District reps meeting for Forum at Swanwick 28th–30th, especially as interviews are held for a new MWiB Vice President.

*What a privilege to carry
everything to God in prayer*

October

6th October

We pray for the One Mission Forum meeting today at Methodist Church House in London, and for Jill Barber as she leads. Pray that people around the country will be inspired and enthused to engage in mission in their communities and around the world.

13th October

Remember those meeting for the Methodist Council at High Leigh on 15th–16th and for wisdom and courage as they make decisions. As we mark *Prisons Sunday* tomorrow, we pray for those who minister to prisoners around the world, and especially remember those who are in prison because of their faith.

20th October

During this *Breast Cancer Awareness* month, we remember those who are living with cancer and those who have lost loved ones because of this disease. We pray for those who care for patients and those who conduct research into the causes and treatment of cancer.

27th October

Pray for our two World Federation Day events being held today in Truro and Blackburn on the theme of *Quality Education*. We pray it will be a time of blessing and learning for all those who lead and attend.

*"In fellowship, alone,
to God with faith draw near;
approach his courts, besiege his throne
with all the powers of prayer."*

Charles Wesley (*Singing the Faith* 528)

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Church Women



November

3rd November

We remember our Mission Partners around the world and pray that they will know God's power, peace and presence as they serve him in different ways. We especially pray for those who miss home and loved ones, that they will find the support they need.

10th November

As we mark 100 years since the end of the First World War, we remember those still living with conflict in their homes, communities and nations, and pray that people will find peace with God, with others and within themselves.

17th November

Pray for the MWiB Executive as they meet on 20th–21st, that God will guide them in all their discussions and decision making. We also pray for the trustees of *All We Can* meeting this week as they seek to show the love of Jesus in practical ways to the most vulnerable people in our world.

24th November

Remember our young people as they gather for the *3Generate* event in Stockport this weekend. Pray that as they engage with the theme of being *courageous*, they will be drawn closer to God and emboldened by the power of the Holy Spirit to shine the light of Jesus wherever they go. Pray also for the MWiB Executive as they meet for their retreat 28th–30th.



Praying for Forum Reps and Methodist Women in Ireland

Day 1

President Sandra Goodwin
Vice President Anne Browse

Day 2

London District Rep Patsy Constantine
Dublin District (Ireland)
MWI President *vacancy*
World Fed Rep *vacancy*
[Pray that these vacancies may soon be filled]

Day 3

South East District Rep Credwyn Tolhurst
Finance Officer Nina Rawlins

Day 4

Beds, Essex & Herts District Rep Jenny Broadbridge
Midlands & Southern District (Ireland)
MWI President Gillian Kingston
World Fed Rep Elsie McDonnell

Day 5

Birmingham District Rep Diana Bosman
Helen Kim Scholar (Britain) Rachel Allison

Day 6

Bolton & Rochdale District Rep Philippa Hill

Day 7

Bristol District Rep Carolyn Buley
Lakelands District (Ireland)
MWI President Ruth Morrow
World Fed Rep Marion Henderson

Day 8

Synod Cymru Rep Margaret Morgan
Wales Synod Rep Ronnie Dean

Day 9

Cumbria District Rep *vacancy*
[Pray that this vacancy may soon be filled]

Day 10

Channel Islands Rep Pam Gidney
North West District (Ireland)
MWI President Anne Fallows
World Fed Rep Maureen Young

Day 11

Chester & Stoke District Rep Chris Thompson

Day 12

Cornwall District Rep Adrienne Simpson

Day 13

Darlington District Rep Win Aston
North East District (Ireland)
MWI President Sally Rock
World Fed Rep *vacancy*
[Pray that this vacancy may soon be filled]

Day 14

East Anglia District Rep Charity Nzegwu
Women's World Day of Prayer Rep Irene Hayes

Day 15

Isle of Man District Rep Lesley Bridson
Belfast District (Ireland)
MWI President Brenda-Anne Duncan
World Fed Rep Elizabeth McWatters

Day 16

Your local MWiB officers, activities, and projects

Day 17

Lincolnshire District Rep Bronwen Braidell

Day 18

Liverpool District Rep Elaine Phillips

Day 19

Manchester & Stockport District Rep Jo Richards

Day 20

Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Rep Judy Tasker

Day 21

Lancashire District Rep Wendy Bridgeman
Down District (Ireland)
MWI President *vacancy*
[Pray that this vacancy may soon be filled]
World Fed Rep Maimie Davis

Day 22

Nottingham and Derby District Rep Sue Palmer
Communications Officer Jude Simms

Day 23

Northamptonshire District Rep Mary Gill

Day 24

Plymouth & Exeter District Rep Elaine Banks
Helen Kim Scholar (Ireland) Wanda Hogan

Day 25

Sheffield District Rep Ann Taylor
Portadown District (Ireland)
MWI President Dorothy Harrison
World Fed Rep *vacancy*
[Pray that this vacancy may soon be filled]

Day 26

Southampton District Rep Hilary Evans
WFM&UCW World President Alison Judd

Day 27

Yorkshire West District Rep Janet Thompson

Day 28

Wolverhampton & Shrewsbury District Rep Joan Wickett

Day 29

Yorkshire North & East District Rep Elaine Turner

Day 30

Scotland District Rep Barbara Harrison
Shetland District Rep Sylvia White

Day 30 / 31

World Fed Area President Louise Wilson
World Fed Area Vice President Carolyn Lawrence