

Let's Pray

Sun 11 May - Sat 17 May 2025

Sunday 11 May

- **Moderator** | Pray for the Moderator as he speaks at Ballymena Elders' Fellowship on Monday, and visits the Balmoral Show on Tuesday. Give thanks for the work of the PCI in the rural and farming community.
- Answering God's invitation to worship | 'Come, let us bow down in worship, let us kneel before the Lord our Maker'.

 Psalm 95:6. Ask God to help us to approach him in humility, wonder and awe as we worship today.

Monday 12 May

- **Derek & Jane French, global mission workers, Spain** | Pray for the members of the Basque Country Project Team, especially for Neil and Jenny Stewart (PCI global mission workers) and their children, recently arrived, and for Anna Cumming as she serves God on a 4-month internship.
- The Christian Presbyterian Church of Portugal (ICPP) Portugal | Give thanks for the continued growth of the ICPP Pedras Vivas congregation in Porto, remembering Rev Leonardo Carbello Campanha, in all the different aspects of his role as minister.

Tuesday 13 May

- **Roberta Irvine, deaconess, Elmwood, Lisburn** | This week Dromore Presbytery has its annual stand at Balmoral Show. Please pray for the entire team who span the show in slots giving hospitality and a word in season. As part of the rota, pray that Roberta and others will have divine encounters of honesty, grace and mercy.
- **Drum, Cootehill, Kilmount Rev Daryl Edwards** | *Pray for the upcoming Discovery Club and for those involved in preparing in the coming weeks and also for the continued development of "Chat and Chew" in the year ahead as a means of outreach.*

Wednesday 14 May

- Edwin & Anne Kibathi, global mission workers, London | Give thanks for the recent launch of PCEA UK Outreach's Birmingham Parish. Pray for those in leadership roles, for outreach endeavours, and that the fellowship gatherings will be a source of spiritual nourishment for many.
- **Presbyterian Church of South Sudan (PCOSS) South Sudan |** Pray that the fragile peace will hold despite the deteriorating political and security situation in the country. Pray also for reconciliation within the Presbyterian Church of South Sudan when, more than ever, there is a need for unity in the Church.

Thursday 15 May

- **Drogheda, Rev Damien Burke** | Pray for the congregation and the activities which they run Toddlers and Home Group both meet today and Youth Group tomorrow. Also remember the Church Weekend @ Home on Saturday and Sunday.
- **Jack Wright, community outreach worker, St Andrew's, Bangor** | *Pray for Jack in his work in St Andrew's Bangor and for the outreach carried out by the congregation in the local community.*

Friday 16 May

- Illness | Pray for those in our families and friendship circles who have suffered sudden illness recently. Give thanks for the NHS and healthcare professionals, including paramedics and rapid response teams who are often heroes in emergency situations providing care when those who take ill suddenly, need it the most.
- **Education** | Pray for all young people and teachers as they prepare for summer exams and make decisions about their futures. Pray for wisdom for teachers and parents, and for young people that they will be able to study to the best of their abilities.

Saturday 17 May

- **General Council** | Pray for the staff of the General Secretary's Department as preparations are made for the forthcoming General Assembly. Pray especially that, in the multiplicity of details, all matters will be completed on time.
- **Training in Ministry** | Give thanks for the Lord's blessing upon students and staff during the past academic year at Union College, and pray for third year ministry students as they begin their full-time congregational training.