

PRAYER DIARY FOR 2018 - FEBRUARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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			In January Open Doors launched the OD World Watch list in Parliament. Give thanks for the growing number of MPs engaging with issues of religious freedom.	In rural Bangladesh stories and information can be passed on through the traditional form of chanting. Pray for the FEBA team using chants to bring new ideas in an ancient format.	Pray for Mary Cousins as she works in an orphanage in Africa. She is looking after young children and night duty is difficult with sleep deprivation and inexperience.	Pray for all those who have been bereaved in recent months. Pray for support and help for those who are alone or who do not have family nearby.
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Pray for Emma Jackson of CAP who will be speaking at our service today about the work of CAP, the people helped and lives changed.	Give thanks for the work of SU in Schools over the last 150 years and pray boys and girls will continue to be encouraged to read their bibles daily.	Presbytery meets this evening. Pray for wisdom and guidance. Pray for our PW ladies meeting tonight with speaker Joy Irwin.	Pray for the Seniors Friendship Group which meets on alternate Weds. Give thanks for friendships enjoyed and the information shared.	In January Open Doors launched the Open Doors World Watch list in Parliament. Give thanks for the growing number of MPs engaging with issues of religious freedom.	Pray for members of your family or friends who have no interest in Jesus or following him. Ask God to convict them of their need of him.	Pray for Ruth McKee, a Physio from NI, working with Latin Link in Peru at the Shalom Centre. The Centre helps children with Special needs.
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Pray for Philip as he leads our worship that God will speak through the service and the words he says.	Pray for peace and justice and all suffering from the conflict in the Middle East especially in Syria, Iraq & Yemen.	Pray for Cavehill Job Club meeting on Tuesdays to help anyone seeking a job, needs help with CVs, interview skills etc.	Today is the start of Lent. Take a moment to reflect on the sacrifice Jesus Christ undertook on our behalf.	Pray for the work of the North Belfast Food Bank. Pray for the Leaders and those who volunteer to help run it each week.	Pray for the churches in North Belfast which are still vacant. Pray for those looking after the vacancies and all the work involved.	Pray that the prayer life of our congregation will grow and people will be blessed and lives changed.
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Today as we join together to worship help us to put aside all worries and distractions and listen to what God is saying to us.	Pray for the work of Asia Link as it seeks to get God's word into Asian countries. Pray for the microchip bibles being distributed in Iran.	Pray for Deaconesses serving PCI in churches, hospitals and within the local community. Pray for Doreen Draffin in NI Hospice & Whitehouse.	Pray for all who are feeling sad or depressed, lonely or grieving the loss of a loved one. Pray that they will feel God's presence and love.	Today all the Presbytery Treasurers meet and get reports and accounts agreed. Pray for them and the highly important work they do so willingly.	Pray for this year's World Development Appeal focusing on Christian Aid and Tearfund projects in Democratic Republic of Congo.	Pray for the work of Stand by Me in Dominican Republic, Colombia, Romania, Ethiopia, India, Nepal and Burma.
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Pray for the refugees around the world. Pray that adequate resources may be provided to alleviate difficult living conditions for those living in camps.	Pray for wisdom for our young people as they use social networking sites like Facebook and Twitter. Help them to be aware of the dangers these sites can lead to.	Praise God for the access Prison Fellowship has into NI prisons and the help, encouragement and support offered to inmates, families and Prison staff.	Give thanks that no matter what the weather there are signs of Spring. Worship the God who created the times and Seasons, the heavens and the earth.			