

Baptist Union Prayer Diary June 2019

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2 June	June is the national month of prayer for Toddler Groups. This year the theme is the Mustard Seed parable from Matthew 13:31-32. The seed grew so that all the birds of the air could make their nests. How can our Toddler Groups be a place where everyone can 'nest'? How can they be expressions of the Kingdom? Please pray for your own church Toddler Group, or those based in churches near you.
9 June	On Pentecost Sunday, we pray the prayer of <i>Thy Kingdom Come</i> : Almighty God, your ascended Son has sent us into the world to preach the good news of your kingdom: inspire us with your Spirit and fill our hearts with the fire of your love, that all who hear your Word may be drawn to you, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
16 June	The Ministries Team is one of the Specialist Teams based at Baptist House. Please pray for the staff of the Team as they work to support all forms of recognised and accredited ministry amongst our churches, as well as providing guidance and advice on ministry-related matters. www.baptist.org.uk/ministries
23 June	This week we pray for the London Baptist Association which supports the mission and ministry of over 300 Baptist churches across Greater London. As one of the thirteen regional associations which make up the Baptist Union of Great Britain, the Association exists to encourage and equip their member churches as they pursue their own distinct vision and calling to the local communities in which they based. www.londonbaptist.org.uk
30 June	A Prayer for Armed Forces Day, which takes place on 29 June: We commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women in our Armed Forces at home and abroad. Defend them in the hour of danger; strengthen them in trials and temptations; enable them to fulfil their duty in serving our nation with loyalty, courage and honour and help them to know that nothing can separate them from your love, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen. <i>(Cole Maynard)</i> www.unitedboard.org.uk

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