

Prayer Diary March 2016

Wed 16 March

Ruth, Dylan
Libby Cuthbertson & Rob Hayes (VISION Energise groups, UPC)
Pray for UVHS Big Questions lunchtime club
Pray for The Vibe in Ulverston (at ECC)

Thurs 17 March

Jonathan, Joe
Head of RS at Dowdales, Vicky Bunter
Pray for Meeting Point in Broughton
Pray for NJOY in Coniston
Pray for Christianity Club that meets at lunchtimes in Dowdales
Pray for the JRS Big Questions lunchtime club

Fri 18 March

Rory, Anna
Jenny, Howard, Chris, Louise, Maddie, Jane & Nick (Meeting Point)

Sat 19 March

Eve, Becca
Debbie Leighton (Prayer Leader for FNY)
Pray for John Ruskin School, Coniston and for the new head teacher; Mr Peter Blackburn
Pray for all the Young Farmers in the Furness Deanery
Pray for the young people involved in the Secret Church night out

Sun 20 March

Robin, William
Rev Tim Harmer (Coniston)
Pray for the youth groups that meet in Ulverston during or after Sunday services
Pray for the young people that go to CCF
Pray for monthly Empower youth service

Mon 21 March

Ellie-May, Rebecca
Assistant Head at Millom School —Gary Hartley (oversees Personal Development)
Pray for EXPLORE at UVHS
Pray for Kirkby Youth
Pray for Ignite in Swarthmoor
Pray for Urswick Youth

Tues 22 March

Amber, Ellie
Carolyn Dykes (Oversees DNYC in Cumbria)
Pray for VISION energise groups in Ulverston (at UPC)

Wed 23 March

Annie, Elysia
Peter, Hannah, Bev, Lyn, Clive, Carl & Chris (Thwaites team)
Pray for UVHS Big Questions lunchtime club
Pray for The Vibe in Ulverston (at ECC)

Thurs 24 March

Vicky, Carrie
Rev Brian Streeter (Pennybridge)
Pray for all the young people as they break for the Easter Holidays
Pray for the leaders as they plan The Journey residential

Fri 25 March

Lexi, Helen
Tommy (Intern for UPC & The Journey)
Pray for all the Good Friday services across the deanery today

Sat 26 March

Rachael, Samm
Vic Sekasi (Youth minister for UPC & The Journey)
Pray for Millom School, Millom and the new head teacher; Mr Matthew Savidge

Sun 27 March

Rosie, Sasha
Pastor Fred McKeown (Millom Community Church)
Pray for all the youth attending Easter Sunday services today.

Mon 28 March

Callum, Bethan
Rev Matt Hornby (St Cuthberts, Kirkby)

Tues 29 March

Bethany, Lauren
Julie Flannagon, Head of RE at John Ruskin

Wed 30 March

Molly, Chloe
Libby & the Kirkby youth team (Michelle & Emma)

Thurs 31 March

Ella, Charlotte

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The Journey Youth Prayer Diary

March 2016

And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him...

Romans 8.28a



Please join with us in praying for the young people within the Furness deanery.

The Journey's vision is to see every young person within the Furness deanery have an opportunity to explore the Christian faith, journey with it and respond to it.

Thought for the month from Tommy

Let's be honest. Being a Christian isn't always easy. Some would even say it is harder to be a Christian sometimes. We suffer, we experience hard times and pain. But is this God punishing us? No, I don't believe it is. I believe it is God trying to wake us up! Trying to awaken us from this world and to acknowledge Him and seek to be with Him. In the book *The Purpose Driven Life*, Rick Warren quotes C.S. Lewis and says "Pain is God's megaphone. It is God's way of arousing us from spiritual lethargy. Your problems are not punishment; they are wake-up calls from God." He wants us to wake up! To be awake together with Him in an intimate friendship. Jesus wants you to come to him, all you who are weary and burdened, and He will give you rest. **Matthew 11:28.** Vic recently heard a song that Lexi wrote and it was all about how we need to fight. She was reminded of the verse that was shared in the monthly youth prayer meeting *If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all – how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things?* **Romans 8:32.** Pray for the young people and leaders this month who are suffering that they will come to Jesus and know His loving embrace.

A key to the youth groups we support around the Furness Deanery

Explore - Christian union at Ulverston Victoria High School run by The Journey.

Kirkby Youth-A group for young people in Kirkby run by The Journey.

Urswick Youth-A group for young people in Urswick run by Val Armstong and Steve Hobson. Formed out of a confirmation class a few years ago.

Ignite - A discipleship group for young people run by Sarah and Mark Callaghan.

VISION Energize & H20 – Three discipleship groups for youth in Ulverston run by Ulverston Parish Church youth team.

Big Questions-A philosophy group at UVHS & JRS where we discuss the big questions of life. Run by The Journey.

The Vibe, Emmanuel Christian Centre– A discipleship group for young people at Emmanuel Christian Centre run by Lisa Smith.

Meeting point, Broughton-A group for young people in Broughton run by Jen and Nick Thornley and team.

NJOY, Coniston-A group for young people in Coniston run by Glenda and Alan Philips and team.

Thwaites Youth– A group for young people in Thwaites run by The Journey.

As usual in this months prayer diary... please pray for the young people who go along to the lunchtime clubs at UVHS, the youth leaders, the youth groups, the schools, the uniformed organisations etc...

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Tues 1 March

Caleb, Leah
Wendy Bing & Colin Dykes (VISION H20, UPC)
Pray for Vic as she attends the New Wine leaders conference over the next 3 days
Pray for VISION Energize in Ulverston (at UPC)

Wed 2 March

Daniel, Alfie
Mark & Sarah Callaghan (Jesters for Jesus, Ignite & Croftlands Community Church)
Pray for UVHS Big Questions lunchtime club
Pray for The Vibe in Ulverston (at ECC)

Thurs 3 March

Eleanor, Lucus
Marvin Peake (Head of BPE at UVHS) & Sue Hewson (Deputy Head at UVHS)
Pray for the Big Questions lunchtime club at John Ruskin School (JRS), Coniston
Pray for Meeting Point in Broughton
Pray for NJOY in Coniston
Pray for Dowdales lunchtime Christianity Club

Fri 4 March

Ellie B, Robert
Graham Ransom (Methodist minister for Ulverston, Coniston)
Pray for UVHS, Ulverston and Mr Denis Fay, the headteacher and Mr M Hardwick, the head of school
Pray for Thwaites Youth (1st Fri of the month) as they go trampolining

Sat 5 March

Ellie G, Lucy G
Rev Canon P Embery (Catholic priest in Ulverston)
Pray for the Uniformed youth organisations at work in the Furness area

Sun 6 March

Grace, Gregor
Rev Clive Shaw (Millom)
Pray for Vic & Tommy as they attend the Bikers Breakfast at Torver and the joint service in Millom
Pray for the youth groups that meet in Ulverston during or after Sunday services
Pray for the young people that go to CCF
Pray for the Follow Me service at Broughton

Mon 7 March

Hattie C, Molly
Rev Nick & Jen Thornley (Broughton)
Pray for EXPLORE at UVHS
Pray for Kirkby Youth
Pray for Ignite in Swarthmoor

Tues 8 March

Hattie, Danny
Susie Barstow & Alice Barrett (VISION H20, UPC)
Pray for the group organising the Ulverston mini mission and the youth involvement as the planning group meets this evening
Pray for VISION Energize in Ulverston (at UPC)
Pray for Vic as she attends a Network Youth training day

Wed 9 March

Helen, Mia
Rich & Becc Ensoll (VISION Energize, UPC)
Pray for the Big Questions lunchtime club at UVHS
Pray for The Vibe in Ulverston (at ECC)
Pray for the youth leaders at UPC as they meet

Thurs 10 March

Marcek, Daniel
Alan & Glenda Phillips (CCF, NJOY)
Pray for the Big Questions lunch club at JRS
Pray for NJOY in Coniston
Pray for Dowdales lunchtime Christianity Club

Fri 11 March

Marcus, Ben
Emily Mitchell (Children & Families Worker at UPC)
Pray for Dowdales, Dalton and Ms Julie O'Connor, the headteacher
Pray for Meeting Point in Broughton as they have a sleepover

Sat 12 March

Merryn, Matthew
Rev Alan Bing (Line manager of Vic Sekasi)

Sun 13 March

Abbie, Charlie
Rev Alex & Val Armstrong (Urswick Youth)
Pray for the youth groups that meet in Ulverston during or after Sunday services
Pray for the young people that go to CCF

Mon 14 March

Sarah, Jess
Rev Matt Keddilty (Curate at UPC)
Pray for EXPLORE at UVHS
Pray for Kirkby Youth
Pray for Ignite in Swarthmoor

Tues 15 March

Harry, Sam
Steve Hobson, Barbara Green & Val Armstrong (Urswick Youth)
Pray for VISION Energize in Ulverston (at UPC)