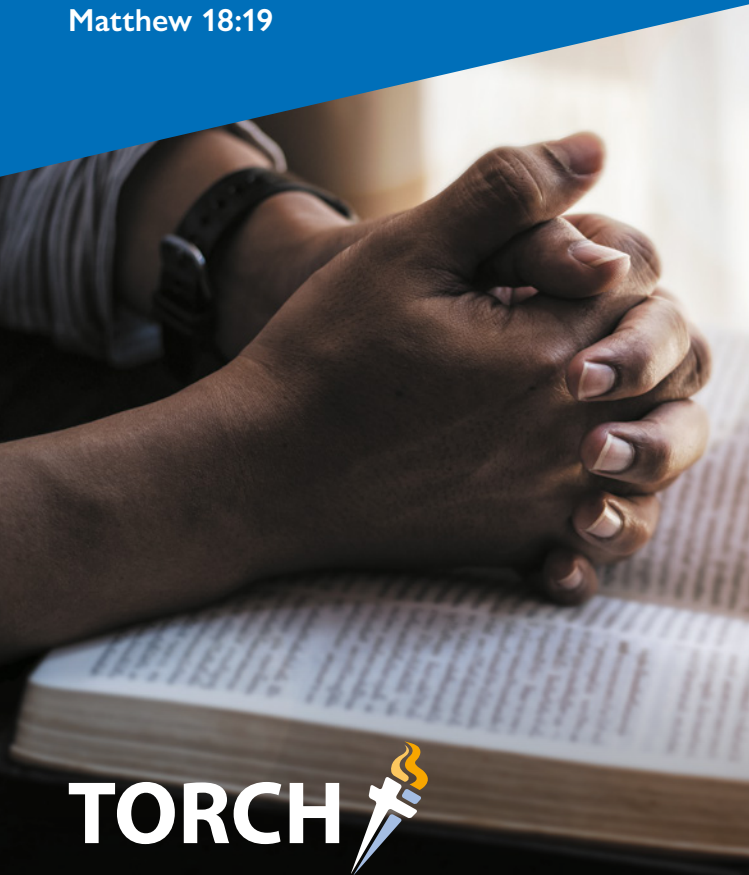


PRAYER DIARY

July – September 2024

“Again, truly I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything they ask for, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven.”

Matthew 18:19



TORCH 

July

YOUR KEY:

TFG = Torch Fellowship Group

SLFC = Sight Loss Friendly Church

Monday 1

Give thanks for the large number of people signed up for the Introduction to Sight Loss Friendly Church event happening today.

Tuesday 2

Pray for Jake as he continues to transcribe the Bible into many languages.

Wednesday 3

Pray for the people who are getting ready for their Torch Together holiday in High Leigh next week.



Torch Together Holiday

Thursday 4

Please pray for Torch's annual budgeting process, for guidance in any decisions being made.

Friday 5

Pray for the team who are working at Sight Village in Birmingham on the 8th-9th July.

Saturday 6

Give thanks for all of our TFGs which offer people support, a place to belong and the opportunity to encounter Jesus.

Sunday 7

Pray for Torch Malawi, for the volunteers who are doing God's work there.

Monday 8

Give thanks for the volunteers who help us to run our Coffee Mornings.



Tuesday 9

Pray for all the members of our Facebook Digital Cafe, that they find a sense of belonging.

July

Wednesday 10

Give thanks for Sarah D, our CEO, for all the work she has put into Torch since she began working here.

Thursday 11

Pray for our trustees. Pray God guides them in decisions they make over the coming months.

Friday 12

Pray for all who attend our audio book group, pray they have a good sense of community.



Saturday 13

Pray for Paul W as he continues to look after our IT systems and be a part of our Leadership Team.

Sunday 14

Please pray for more churches to reach out with the goal of becoming more Sight Loss Friendly.

Monday 15

Pray for James as he liaises with Christian publishers to get accessible book files.

Tuesday 16

Pray for the virtual Tuesday group as they meet today, that they feel God's presence among them.

Wednesday 17

Give thanks for the courage God gives us to share His Word with those around us. Pray for more boldness to tell people about Jesus and the resources Torch can offer to help in their faith journey.



Thursday 18

Pray for those involved in our braille transcription.

Friday 19

Give thanks for the Trusts who regularly donate to continue the work of Torch.

July

Saturday 20

Pray for Tina as she faithfully continues to ensure the smooth running of Torch House.



Sunday 21

Pray for more people to have the desire to read more about God and make purchases from our eShop.

Monday 22

Pray for the staff of Torch who are meeting this morning to start the week off in prayer.

Tuesday 23

Pray for Becky as she plans our Torch Holidays, both for those remaining this year and looking forward into 2025.



Wednesday 24

Give thanks for the technology we can now use to deliver communications in multiple media to people across the world.

Thursday 25

Pray for the Leadership Team here at Torch, that God will guide their thoughts and plans for the coming months.



Friday 26

Give thanks for the Client Services Team. May they continue to show the love of God to all the clients they engage with.

Saturday 27

Pray for those who support Torch but are unknown to us; their prayer and well-wishes are very much appreciated.

Sunday 28

Pray for confidence for everyone associated with Torch to reach out to people with sight loss who don't yet know Jesus.

July/August

Monday 29

Pray for Mark and all the work he does as a member of our Production Team.

Tuesday 30

Give thanks for the gifts we receive to continue our work and pray for more hearts to be opened to giving a gift to Torch.



Wednesday 31

Pray for all the staff working today at Torch. Pray for perseverance and joy in each task to be completed.

Thursday 1

Please pray for Linda as she oversees Torch's finances.

Friday 2

Pray that our client base will expand, that more people will reach out to receive our resources.



Saturday 3

Give thanks for Paul R and all the work he does heading up our Production Team.

Sunday 4

Pray for our large print transcriptions, that they will continue to bless those who receive them.

Monday 5

Pray for the residential meeting happening at Launde Abbey on the 6th-7th August between the Leadership Team and the trustees. Pray for good decisions to be made, with our clients' needs in mind.

Tuesday 6

Pray for Tony Brown, our new Chair of Trustees. Pray for wisdom in this new position.



August

Wednesday 7

Play for Alpa as she continues to lead our Client Services Team.

Thursday 8

Pray for the virtual podcast group as they meet today, that God may bless their time together.

Friday 9

Give thanks for the technology we have at Torch House and pray that it continues to run smoothly.



Saturday 10

Pray for our Development Team, as they continue to discuss our future plans and developments.

Sunday 11

Give thanks for our partners in prayer, pray for their wellbeing and continued commitment to praying for Torch.



Monday 12

Pray for Marilyn as she hosts our *Reflections* radio show, give thanks for her warm personality and passion for the work.

Tuesday 13

Give thanks for our trustees and pray that God would guide them as they seek to understand His calling for Torch.

Wednesday 14

Pray for Linn as she works in the Development Team, exploring new opportunities for Torch to take up.



Thursday 15

Give thanks for the time that the staff team have to pray together this morning and pray that it is fruitful.

August

Friday 16

Pray for our volunteer audio editors as they tidy up the recordings of our books and Bible notes.



Saturday 17

Give thanks for our regular donors, pray they continue to have a good relationship with Torch and see the good in what we do.

Sunday 18

Pray for the team at Torch Malawi, may God walk alongside them as they seek to support the blind people of Malawi.

Monday 19

Pray that more blind and partially sighted young people would hear about the ministry of Torch so we can share the Good News with them.



Tuesday 20

Pray for our group that meets on the 3rd Tuesday of the month, pray it's a place of welcome and fellowship for those who attend.

Wednesday 21

Pray for the practicalities of our deliveries, that each client receives what they order, in good condition and in good time.

Thursday 22

Pray for our virtual coffee morning happening today, that those who attend feel welcomed and part of the community.



Friday 23

Give thanks for Ildi and the work she does in our Transcription Team.

Saturday 24

Pray for everyone who has received a Pathway audioplayer, that listening to the Bible brings them into deeper connection with God.

August/September

Sunday 25

Pray for TFGs meeting around the UK, pray they really enjoy time together, both with each other and with God.

Monday 26

Give thanks for all the opportunities Torch has had to share the gospel and pray that many more will hear the Good News.

Tuesday 27

Give thanks for all those churches who seek to make church accessible to those with sight loss and pray that we will connect with more churches.



Wednesday 28

Pray for those who have left a legacy to Torch and those who are considering it.

Thursday 29

Pray for everyone who is following Torch's social media. Pray that their hearts are softened to receive the message we share with them.



Friday 30

Pray for Zoë as she comes to the end of her 5th month working at Torch.

Saturday 31

Pray for the IT Team, that the technology we rely on here at Torch runs smoothly.

Sunday 1

Pray God would heal the hurt that is often felt by those who are sidelined by churches because they are blind or partially sighted.



Monday 2

Pray for Mandy as she oversees the Services Team, give her peace and confidence in her leadership.

September

Tuesday 3

Pray that our Thanksgiving Service is well attended and that it brings a sense of belonging and spiritual growth to our Torch Family.



Wednesday 4

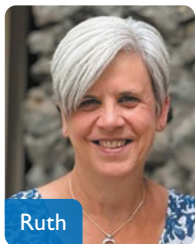
Give thanks for our *Torch News* magazine, that it is read by everyone who receives it and keeps them up to date with our work.

Thursday 5

Pray for the library we have here at Torch; give thanks for its size and pray that it helps many people to feel less lonely every month.

Friday 6

Pray for Ruth, for the work she does as a part of our Administrative Team.



Saturday 7

Pray for our audio transcribers as they record Christian magazines and books.

Sunday 8

Give thanks for all our current clients, pray for their wellbeing and that they feel a part of our wider Torch family.

Monday 9

Pray for our trustees, that God would lead their thinking and planning as they work together through the year for Torch.

Tuesday 10

Pray for those who are heading to Scarborough for the Torch holiday next week.



Wednesday 11

Pray for Torch to keep our values (being Christ-centred, open, creative and people-focused) at the heart of all our work.

September

Thursday 12

Pray for the Podcast Group as they meet today, help them to feel a part of the group and to know that they are loved.



Friday 13

Give thanks for all the churches who have committed to being Sight Loss Friendly and pray for more to join the list.

Saturday 14

Give thanks for our Torch Bearers, who have committed to donating to our work here at Torch.

Sunday 15

Pray for the staff of Torch Malawi, for strength and safety as they carry out God's work.



Monday 16

As the staff team meet for prayer at the start of the week pray that Christ would be at the centre of all we do at Torch.

Tuesday 17

Pray for Sarah B, give thanks for the work she does in our Development Team.

Wednesday 18

Pray for our Client Services Team, that they continue to demonstrate the love of God to all those who reach out to them.



Thursday 19

Give thanks for all the lives that have been changed by accessing Torch's resources, pray they continue to be blessed.

Friday 20

Pray for all who are associated with Torch, that they have the confidence to reach out to others who would benefit from the services we provide.



September

Saturday 21

Pray that God would give us insight to understand the needs of those with sight loss and that together we could meet those needs.

Sunday 22

Pray for our *What's New* magazine, that it reaches those who need it and blesses them with what it contains.



Monday 23

Pray for Laura, and give thanks for the comfort she brings to those who phone Client Services.

Tuesday 24

Give thanks for the proofreaders we have here at Torch, pray they know they are valued for all they do.

Wednesday 25

Pray for all our Torch Fellowship Groups, that they are a safe place and a place where people can find fellowship and friendship.

Thursday 26

Pray for the virtual book group as they meet today. Pray they feel a sense of community.

Friday 27

Give thanks for Grace and the work that she does to help Torch create our magazines.

Saturday 28

Pray for everyone who has signed up to attend the Torch Retreat next month.



Sunday 29

Pray for the wider Torch Family, that everyone feels included and is able to access our services with ease and confidence.

Monday 30

Give thanks for Micky and the work he has done for Torch in our Production Team for so many years.

Thank you for supporting the ministry of Torch through your prayers and gifts.

Torch relies on the generosity of our faithful supporters, and your financial gifts to Torch are vital for our ministry. Your support enables those with sight loss to grow in faith and thrive in Christian community.



£20 pays for someone with sight loss to receive the Bible on a Pathway audio player.



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