Methodist Women in Britain

for women, for justice, for Christ

Prayer Diary December 2022 to February 2023

December

1 December

Pray for our President Ruth Parrott as she meets with Sandra Lopez regarding her trip to Colombia. Also pray for the Trustees Meeting on 2nd Dec at Epworth Old Rectory

10 December

As we mark Human Rights Day on 10th December, we pray for those who fall prey to human trafficking and all who are denied their human rights. We pray for all those who seek to bring equality, justice and dignity to all who suffer

17 December

We pray for all those who worry about money, heating, food supply, and how they can prepare for Christmas. We pray for hope in the dark times. May our churches be places of warm welcomes and encouragement. Help us to be good stewards of all that we do have

24 December

We pray for all those who are far from home this Christmas, including our Mission Partners and those who are serving in the military. We Pray for those who are missing loved ones this Christmas because of separation or a death in the family. This Christmas may we especially pray for all those who are living in a war zone for whom there is no peace. May Christ give them peace in their hearts

What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer

January

31 December

As 2022 draws to a close, with all its drama and uncertainties in our nation, we thank God for His amazing presence with us and we continue to pray for His help and guidance in the year ahead

7 January

At the start of the New Year, we pray for ourselves and our churches to be inspired by the Holy Spirit to respond willingly to the new challenges of the year.

Pray for MWIB Exec as they meet on 9th January. May they be given inspiration for the year ahead

14 January

Pray for Ruth Parrott as she visits Colombia (12th-25th January) May they and she benefit by positive interaction. As Open Doors launch their Annual World Watch list this week we pray for our sisters and brothers throughout the world especially in the places that are most dangerous to be a Christian such as Afghanistan, North Korea, Somalia, Libya, Yemen www.opendoorsuk.org

21 January

During the week of Prayer for Christian Unity we pray that we will be enabled to work together with our sisters and brothers from other churches to share the love of Jesus in our communities

28 January

Pray for the ongoing work of MWIB as we restructure and for new people joining the team bringing fresh insights & ideas

The British Unit of the World Federation of Methodist and Uniting Church Women



February

4 February

We pray for the work of **Allwecan** and we pray that those who volunteer for them here and overseas will know his strength and guidance as they seek to bring help and hope to some of the world's most disadvantaged people.

www.allwecan.org.uk

11 February

We pray for MWIB Exec meeting on 13th February.

Pray for our campaigns, such as Thursdays in Black that the voices of women will be heard and make a difference

18 February

We pray for MWIB Forum as they meet today by Zoom. We pray for wisdom, and guidance by the Holy Spirit in all their decision making

25 February

During this Fairtrade Fortnight (27th February to 12th March we pray for all those who seek justice in the retail world.

We pray that each of us will shop wisely and ethically.

We pray for all those around the world who produce our food and clothing and give thanks for them.

Proverbs 3:5-6 (MSG) Trust God from the bottom of your heart; don't try to figure everything on your own. Listen for God's voice in everything you do, everything you do, everywhere you go; He's the one who will keep you on track.





Day 1

President Ruth Parrott Vice President Hilary Evans

Day 2

London District Rep Helen Cornick Helen Kim Scholar (Britain) Madeleine Reed

Day 3

South East District Rep Vacancy
Please pray for a volunteer to come forward
to fill this vacancy
Digital Coordinator Amy Walters

Day 4

Beds, Essex & Herts District Rep Linda King Vice President (elect) Maggie Woods

Day 5

Birmingham District Rep Diana Bosman Methodist Women in Ireland:

All Ireland President Olive Rowe

Day 6

Bolton & Rochdale District Rep Philippa Hill WFM&UCW World President Sipiwe Chisvo

Day 7

Bristol District Rep Margaret Johnston

Day 8

Synod Cymru Rep Gwenda Humphries Wales Synod Rep Susan Murrell

Day 9

Cumbria District Rep Judith James

Day 10

Channel Islands Rep Pam Gidney

Southern District (Ireland):

MWI Vice President Wanda Hogan

Day 11

Chester & Stoke District Rep Margaret Lindley

Day 12

Cornwall District Rep Vacancy
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to fill this vacancy

Day 13

Darlington District Rep Debs Coggrave

Day 14

East Anglia District Rep Mary Sachikonye World Day of Prayer Rep Charity Madenyika

Day 15

Isle of Man District Rep Sue Collier North Eastern District (Ireland):

MWI Vice President Audrey Burrows World Federation Rep Sally Rock

Day 16

Your local officers, activities, and projects

Day 17

Lincolnshire District Rep

& Communications Officer Bronwen Braisdell

Day 18

Liverpool District Rep Elaine Phillips

Day 19

Manchester & Stockport District Rep

Ruth Dawson

Day 20

Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Rep

Judith Oldroyd

Day 21

Lancashire District Rep Wendy Bridgeman North Western District (Ireland):

MWI Vice President Olive Rowe World Federation Rep Ruth Wilson

Day 22

Nottingham and Derby District Rep

Sue Nickson

Day 23

Northamptonshire District Rep Finance Officer Mary Gill Nina Rawlins

Day 24

Plymouth & Exeter District Rep Elaine Banks Helen Kim Scholar (Ireland) Heidi Hogan

Day 25

Sheffield District Rep Ann Baldock World Federation—Ireland Unit Correspondent Moira McMurray

Day 26

Southampton District Rep Liz Chick WFM&UCW World President Emerita

Alison Judd

Day 27

Yorkshire West District Rep Janet Thompson

Day 28

Wolverhampton & Shrewsbury District Rep Pauline Beattie

Day 29

Yorkshire North & East District Rep

Janice Clark

Day 30

Scotland District Rep Barbara Harrison
Shetland District Rep Elizabeth Colley

Day 30 / 31

World Fed Area President Barbara Easton World Fed Area Vice President Wanda Hogan