



CEF OF IRELAND

# Daily Prayer Guide

JULY - SEPT 2021

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### Thursday 01/07

1–4 Ida Johnston: Pray for the teens camp which started yesterday. Praise God that some folks have offered online help. Pray for Aud who will do the teaching.

Andrew & Beulah McMullan: Pray that restrictions will not prevent them from holding *5-Day Clubs*® in Co Monaghan and that God will bring along volunteers to help reach the children.

Lynda McAuley: Pray for opportunities to share the good news of Christ with the boys and girls in Ballina.

### Friday 02/07

David and Heather Cowan: Pray that it will be possible to hold 5DCs and Holiday Bible Clubs this summer.

Brian & Helen Donaghy: Praise God that the Republic of Ireland will hopefully be opening to allow more activities to take place outside.

Philip & Rachael Agnew: Pray for the SE Antrim online fellowship meeting that will go live at the end of June/start of July. Pray that people would catch the vision for the lost children and get behind the work in prayer and helping to take the gospel to the children in the area.

### Saturday 03/07

Heather Watson: Pray that many children in West Tyrone would have the opportunity to be taught God's Word this summer.

Simon & Jayne Gibson: Give thanks to God for the opportunity they have to take some time off on holiday with friends.

Jennifer McNeill: Pray that camps will be able to take place in some form this month. If not, pray that some day-events for our young people will be able to be organised.

### Sunday 04/07

4–9 Rosalind Patterson: Pray for the North Dublin Junior Camp. Please pray that the children will engage in the online camp and attend the Zoom meetings. Pray also for the leaders as they interact with the children.

4–16 Brian & Helen Donaghy: Please pray that they will be able to have two weeks of day camps on the beach of Rossnowlagh with the help of The Surf Project, Exodus team and two OM leaders.

Louise Davidson: Praise God for the opportunity to hold a NE Down day camp this summer. Pray for the safety of all those who would attend.

### Monday 05/07

5–9 Colin Hylands: Pray for the alternative training week for young people as they meet in smaller groups. Pray that it would be an encouragement and challenge to them and that they will have a desire to go out and share the gospel.

5–9 David & Olivia Crutchley: They hope to be able to provide training this week for young people in preparation for 5DCs later in the summer.

5–9 Stephen & Tanya Hamilton: Pray for the South Dublin Online Camp and for a day camp on 10th July.

## **Tuesday 06/07**

Julie Fenton: Praise God for the schools who took part in the online 3 Day Club in June. Pray that the Word of God which was taught will bring many of the children to the Saviour.

David & Ruth Jackson: Pray the Lord would grant David wisdom as he deals with Safeguarding queries. Pray for a safe, incident-free summer.

Paddy and Jill Crozier: Pray as they visit summer ministries (restrictions permitting) that they would be an encouragement to workers and volunteers.

## **Wednesday 07/07**

Sarah Wagner: Today is the monthly online meeting of the Regional Literature Directors and Language Co-ordinators—14 people in North America, Europe, Africa, and Asia. Pray for the Lord's guidance during our discussions.

Sarah Bleakley: Pray for Veronique, a girl from Israel who hopes to join Sarah and Ida this summer to help with camps. Pray that God would bless her time here.

Johanna Austin: Pray for summer ministries in Wexford, in whatever format they take place—that children would hear the gospel.

## **Thursday 08/07**

Gareth & Lindsay Gwynne: Having exceeded their goal of 100 subscribers to their YouTube channel they have managed to 'secure' the address [www.youtube.com/DiscoverTruth](http://www.youtube.com/DiscoverTruth). Throughout the summer months short one-minute

devotionals, "Discover Truth Bite Sized" will go out twice weekly, all summer long!

Mid Antrim: Pray for the area which has been without a worker for almost two years. Give thanks for the faithfulness of the committee as they oversee the work.

Stephen & Tanya Hamilton: Pray for the *Teaching Children Effectively*™ Level 1 course taking place on Thursday evenings.

## **Friday 09/07**

David & Rosemary Edwards: Pray for the camps taking place this month. Depending on restrictions in place, these are likely to be day camps. Pray that children and young people will be keen to join and enjoy fellowship with their friends.

Stan & Denise Beamish: Praise God for the online camps (Junior camp, Inters camp, Teen camp). Pray that many boys and girls will watch and engage with this format.

David & Olivia Crutchley: Pray for the Mourne Committee as they continue to oversee the work in the area and make decisions about how to build the work up again after the lockdown periods.

Lynda McAuley: Pray for the boys and girls who come along to 5DCs in Ballinrobe.

## **Saturday 10/07**

Roberta Sherlock: Praise God for volunteers reaching out to children and young people over these summer months.

Jennifer McNeill: Pray that some HBCs may be able to take place this month, either virtually or in person. Pray that God's Word will still get out to boys and

girls and young people.

Claire Bain: Continue to pray for literature distribution in Romania. 120,000 packs of literature have been made up and a large number have already been given out. Pray that God will continue to change lives through His Word.

## **Sunday 11/07**

11–16 Rosalind Patterson: Pray for the North Dublin Inters Camp, that the young people will engage with the online camp. Pray also for the leaders as they interact with them on Zoom.

Angie McKee: Pray as she will be sharing the teaching of the classes on the Bible lesson with Linda Corry at the online CMLC each morning this week.

Simon & Hannah Snodgrass: Pray (if they have not already moved to Scotland) that they would be able to move as soon as possible and that they settle well into their new home, country and community.

## **Monday 12/07**

12–17 Emma Reid: Pray for the two Mid Ulster Junior day camps running this week (if restrictions allow). The first day camp will run from Monday–Wednesday and the second from Thursday–Saturday. Pray for safety and protection for all those at the camps and for God to speak and impact the lives of all who attend.

Paddy and Jill Crozier: They will be involved with the Mid Ulster Junior Camp in two locations–Dungannon and Magherafelt.

Lynda McAuley: Pray for opportunities to reach boys and girls in Charlestown through 5DCs.

## **Tuesday 13/07**

Philip & Denise Annett: Denise is thankful to God for His help, wisdom and creativity in some writing projects which have now been completed for CEF® Europe and CEF of Ireland. Pray that these materials will be helpful to teachers and that God will speak through them into the hearts and lives of children.

Colin Hylands: Pray for 5DC opportunities in the Lurgan, Donacloney and Blackskull area.

## **Wednesday 14/07**

Beverley McMaster: Pray that God will grant wisdom as she deals with email and telephone enquiries.

Stephen & Tanya Hamilton: Pray for 5DCs in Kildare.

Philip & Rachael Agnew: It is hoped to run an online HBC to coincide with the Olympics 2021. Pray for a favourable response from church ministers as they speak to them in the area and that churches will use the online resources.

## **Thursday 15/07**

Stephen & Grace Chambers: Pray for the workers who have opportunities to share the gospel face-to-face, across NW Europe, this summer in 5DCs and camps and pray children will be saved as a result.

NE Ulster: Pray for the opportunities to communicate the gospel to children across our land over this summer. May the Holy Spirit work in many children drawing them to Himself, creating faith and a new birth.

## **Friday 16/07**

Andrew McNabb: Pray as he looks to the Lord for help and wisdom in leading the

team in the National Office.

Gareth & Lindsay Gwynne: Pray as they carry out a gospel literature postal drop. Rather than keeping gospel materials stored in boxes they plan to get it distributed, giving them a presence in familiar areas.

David & Rosemary Edwards: Continue to pray for the final stages of the Seaview rebuilding project. They are looking forward to having a completed camp centre very shortly.

## **Saturday 17/07**

Emma Gordon: Pray for Emma as she continues to serve in the south Belfast area.

Stephen & Pamela Garrett: Praise God for seven students from CEF Britain studying on the online European CMLC this month. Pray that they and all the students will know God's help and guidance in their lives.

Brian & Helen Donaghy: Praise God for a great team of leaders available to help with their summer activities.

## **Sunday 18/07**

Angie McKee: Pray as she teaches the Bible lessons at West Tyrone Inters Camp this week. Pray that young people will respond to God's Word as it is taught.

Simon & Jayne Gibson: A local church is planning to have a 5DC in an estate in Cavan town—please pray for growth in the relationship with the church and that the boys and girls would return after such a long time away.

## **Monday 19/07**

19–21 David & Ruth Jackson: Pray that the Lord will bless the team that David is

involved with as they teach the children at the Mid Antrim day camp. Pray for salvation and the growth of Christian children attending it.

19–22 David & Olivia Crutchley: They plan to hold day camps for the *Good News Club*® children, Monday/Tuesday in Kilkeel and Wednesday/Thursday in Rathfriland. Pray for those who attend, and for all the leaders. Olivia and Karen Wallace will teach the Bible Lessons on “Esther”.

19–23 Andrew & Beulah McMullan: Pray for Junior Camp, whether held as a residential or day camp, that the children and leaders will be kept safe, and that God will open young hearts to His Word.

## **Tuesday 20/07**

Sarah Wagner: Although all the materials needed for the *GNC*™ curriculum in Ireland are finished, work continues on additional lessons needed for countries where the *GNC* year is longer than in Ireland. Pray for all working on those lessons.

Geoff & Karen Wallace: Please pray for safety at the Mourne day camp this week. Pray that the Christian children will be blessed and built up in their faith. Pray that boys and girls will trust in the Lord.

David and Heather Cowan: They plan to hold a non-residential Inters camp this week. Pray for the leaders as they teach the young people that they will know God's leading.

Emma Reid: Pray for the two Mid Ulster Inters day camps running this week (if restrictions allow). Praise God for all the committed leaders who give up their time to serve at camp. Ask God to speak through these leaders and that campers will leave the day camps with a desire to live for God.

## Wednesday 21/07

Heather Watson: Pray for the team involved with West Tyrone Camp this week, that God would speak through His Word & lives would be changed.

Monty McCleery: Please pray for the children's outreach that Monty will be leading this week to support Northfield Bible Weeks in Newcastle.

Mid Antrim: Pray for all the children in the Mid Antrim area who were looking forward to attending the camp this week. Give thanks that many of them had kept in contact through the camp reunions and pray that their enthusiasm will continue through another year.

Julie Fenton: Pray for preparations for camp week and for the children enrolled and volunteers involved.

## Thursday 22/07

Paddy and Jill Crozier: They will be involved with Mid Ulster Inters Camp in two locations—Dungannon and Magherafelt. Pray for the young people that will come along, that God would use what is taught to encourage young Christians in their walk with Him.

Stephen & Tanya Hamilton: Pray for the students at *TCE*™ 1 doing the Bible lesson practical tonight.

Gareth & Lindsay Gwynne: This month they plan to have online ministry for video gamers, "Gamers Assemble". It will involve not only a number of online multiplayer gaming opportunities but will also give the participants a number of Bible Lessons throughout the week.

## Friday 23/07

David & Rosemary Edwards: Pray that God will grant them wisdom and guidance in all the decisions that have to

be made.

Brian & Helen Donaghy: Pray as they are involved in outreach to children and teenagers this month that they will be able to do it safely with peace and joy, not fear.

## Saturday 24/07

24–31 Claire Bain: Pray for Good News across Romania in Buzau. May many thousands of children hear the gospel throughout the county.

Johanna Austin: Pray for the students who have recently taken *TCE* courses that they would take opportunities to put the training into practice and would be encouraged as they reach and teach children.

## Sunday 25/07

25–30 David & Olivia Crutchley: The Mourne *Christian Youth In Action*™ week will be non-residential this year, but they still hope to reach many unreached children through 5DCs.

Angie McKee: Pray as she will be teaching the Bible lesson at Monaghan Inters camp this week and helping Linda Corry teach some classes on the Bible lesson at the online CMLC.

## Monday 26/07

26–30 Julie Fenton: Pray for camp week, whether residential or not. Pray that the Lord will use this week for His glory.

26–31 Andrew & Beulah McMullan: Pray for Inters Camp which we plan to hold in the Cleenish Centre, Fermanagh. Pray that the young people will listen attentively and that lives will be impacted.

Philip & Rachael Agnew: Camp this year will be online although they hope to meet with the campers each night from 7pm–8.15pm to do the Missionary lesson (depending on restrictions).

## **Tuesday 27/07**

David Coffey: Pray as he designs and produces resources and literature used by our workers to teach children from God's Word. Please pray that God will use these publications for His glory and that many boys and girls will hear and respond to the gospel message.

Stan & Denise Beamish: Praise God for the young people willing to be involved in the planning and recording for the online camps.

Emma Reid: Pray many children and young people in Mid Ulster will hear the gospel message this summer, whether online or in person and pray for their salvation.

## **Wednesday 28/07**

National Office: Pray that the Lord would continue to provide everything that is needed for the office to function smoothly and serve the workers on the field in many ways.

Jennifer McNeill: Praise God for those who have been praying in these past months. Praise God for His faithfulness and for the children and young people that have been reached.

Roberta Sherlock: Pray that children and young people in East Belfast will set their hope in God.

## **Thursday 29/07**

Sarah Bleakley: Praise God for the help and wisdom He will give as she serves Him this summer in Lapland.

Philip & Denise Annett: Praise God that the website for National Directors is coming on well. Pray that they can launch the site soon and that it will be a helpful growth and encouragement resource for National Directors across Europe.

## **Friday 30/07**

Mid Antrim: Pray for the GNC teachers in the Mid Antrim area as they will have a time of renewal and refreshment over the summer.

Stephen & Pamela Garrett: Pray for the leaders in the SW Europe countries, that they will have wisdom regarding the running of direct ministry events this summer. Where events can be held face to face please pray for children and students to be kept safe.

## **Saturday 31/07**

Stephen & Grace Chambers: Pray for the workers in NW Europe who will be doing outreach events online this summer. Pray for children to join and to respond to the gospel message in repentance and faith.

# **AUGUST 2021**

## **Sunday 01/08**

Matt & Adele Corke: Pray for them as they serve in Co Cork with the children and young people.

Angie McKee: Continue to pray for the online CMLC as Linda Corry and Angie teach the Bible lesson classes at the online CMLC. Pray as the students work towards their practical.

Simon & Hannah Snodgrass: Pray as they seek out a local church to get connected to and attend.

## **Monday 02/08**

2–6 Emma Reid: Pray for Mid Ulster

CYIA™ running this week if restrictions allow. Pray for favourable weather as the teams go out each day, for safety and protection upon all who attend the clubs and ask God to draw children to Himself this week as they hear the gospel.

2–6 Roberta Sherlock: Pray for the non-residential camp this week for Juniors. Pray that God would speak to the hearts of those who attend.

2–6 Stephen & Tanya Hamilton: Pray for the South Dublin CYIA (non-residential) outreach.

## **Tuesday 03/08**

David & Olivia Crutchley: Olivia will be teaching at HBCs during the first two weeks of August DV, in Magherally Presbyterian and Ryans Presbyterian. Pray for the boys and girls who will attend.

David & Ruth Jackson: As Ruth begins to collate the *GNC* materials for distribution, pray that she will have wisdom in prioritising the orders. Pray that the Lord will use these resources to draw children to Himself.

Gareth & Lindsay Gwynne: A HBC is planned for this week. Pray that the members of Banbridge Independent Methodist would be encouraged through this community outreach and that children (along with their families) would be saved and added to the church.

## **Wednesday 04/08**

Colin Hylands: Pray as he organises a group of volunteers to help fit out and prepare Seaview for use.

Heather Watson: Pray for the CYIA outreach that is planned for the Strabane area this week.

Sarah Wagner: Pray for the Lord's guidance during the monthly online meeting of the Regional Literature Directors and Language Co-ordinators.

## **Thursday 05/08**

David & Rosemary Edwards: Pray that churches will be able to conduct HBCs in a safe and controlled manner and that many boys and girls will hear the gospel.

Brian & Helen Donaghy: Praise God for plans to run a week-long day camp on the beach of Rosses Point in Sligo this month and a Technology camp, with the appropriate building booked. Pray that God will give the wisdom to know how to implement this with local leaders in Sligo so that residential care will not be necessary and that the leaders will be able to commit to most days helping.

Lynda McAuley: Pray for opportunities to hold 5DCs in Westport. May the Lord grant wisdom and favour.

## **Friday 06/08**

Stan & Denise Beamish: Pray for the boys and girls who have watched the online camps. Pray that many will trust in the Lord.

Louise Davidson: Pray for opportunities to hold 5DCs in the NE Down area and that boys and girls will be reached with the gospel. Pray that the children's hearts will be opened and receptive to the message of the gospel.

Stephen & Pamela Garrett: Pray for the preparation and piloting of a basic training course to be used as a tool for helping small and developing ministries in Western Europe. Ask God that it may be successful in making new church connections and creating an appetite for further training.

## **Saturday 07/08**

Simon & Jayne Gibson: Pray for Cavan camp this year. They would love to be able to invite all the *GNC* children and parents to the camp centre in Donegal for 'day camp'. This would also be an opportunity to promote camp with the parents of younger children who would normally be too young to attend camp.

Paddy and Jill Crozier: They praise God for those who pray for them regularly and support the work financially - pray that God would bless them for their partnership.

## **Sunday 08/08**

8–14 Colin Hylands: The Retreat camp is planned for Athlone this week. Pray for the young people in the 17–23 years age group that this would be a blessing to them, either at camp or at alternative events which will be arranged.

Mid Antrim: Pray for the Mid Antrim SYC leaders, Amy and Emma as they plan and prepare for the winter programme. Give thanks for those who attended during the past year and pray that they will stay close to the Lord and connected to each other if they are once more unable to meet.

8–14 Philip & Denise Annett: Pray as they speak to the young people at the Mourne area Inters camp. Pray that they will know much of God's help and power as they teach, and pray that hearts and lives will be impacted through the teaching of God's Word.

## **Monday 09/08**

9–12 David & Olivia Crutchley: Inters Camp will most likely be in the form of a day camp; pray for all our young people and leaders.

9–13 Andrew & Beulah McMullan: Pray

as they teach at a HBC in Tandragee this week, that God will give them the words to teach and that many children will hear the good news of the gospel.

9–13 David and Heather Cowan: They plan to hold a non-residential Junior camp this week. Pray for the leaders as they teach the children that they will know God's leading.

Angie McKee: Pray as Linda Corry and Angie finish the classes on the Bible lesson at the online CMLC this week.

## **Tuesday 10/08**

Andrew & Beulah McMullan: Pray as they share at a deputation meeting in Coleraine FPC, that God will burden people to pray and support the work in SW Europe.

Julie Fenton: Pray for the HBCs and 5DCs planned this month that they will be conducted safely, that many children will attend and hear about the Saviour.

David & Rosemary Edwards: Pray that 5DCs will be able to be held in the open air and that God will bless His Word as it is shared.

## **Wednesday 11/08**

Jennifer McNeill: Pray for 5DCs that might be able to happen this month, that God would give wisdom as to how to do that safely. Pray that there will be enough volunteers to help.

Stephen & Grace Chambers: Pray for the Swedish board who hope to have a retreat this month to discuss the ministry presently and for the future. Pray for much needed wisdom.

Rosalind Patterson: Pray for the various outreaches that are planned for this month. Pray that many children will be



reached with the gospel, especially those who have never heard the good news found in the Bible.

## **Thursday 12/08**

Emma Reid: Pray that children and young people in Mid Ulster will grow in their desire to pray and spend time studying God's Word.

Geoff & Karen Wallace: Pray that the Lord will provide all necessary finances to purchase stationary packs and gospel literature for Kids and Care Ministry. Pray that the Lord will open doors again and protect His Word from those who would seek to remove it. Pray that God would really move in the hearts and lives of these children and young people in residential care homes.

## **Friday 13/08**

Sarah Bleakley: Praise God for sending His Son to die on the cross for the children and people of Lpland.

Lynda McAuley: Pray for openings for 5DCs in Castlebar.

Andrew McNabb: Pray as he ensures supporters and other enquirers are kept informed about the work of the mission through social media and the CEF of Ireland website.

## **Saturday 14/08**

David and Heather Cowan: Praise God for each financial supporter who gives generously to support the ministry in the Lagan Valley area. Pray that they will continue to know God's blessing in return.

Gareth & Lindsay Gwynne: Several 5DCs have been planned throughout this month in accordance with current Covid legislation. Pray for these efforts, that the

summer of 2021 will be remembered for all the right reasons.

## **Sunday 15/08**

15–21 Colin Hylands: Teen Camp. Pray for all the young people who will be attending teen camp in whatever format is allowed!! Our hope and desire is to have as much face-to-face teaching and activities as is possible

15–21 Johanna Austin: Pray for the Wexford Teen Camp, in whatever format it takes place, that young people would be encouraged and challenged to walk with the Lord.

## **Monday 16/08**

16–20 Monty McCleery: Pray for the children's outreach in partnership with CYIA Belfast, BCM and Carryduff Gospel Hall.

Heather Watson: Pray for a CYIA week that is planned for the Omagh area this week.

Stan & Denise Beamish: Pray for the many young people contacted over these weeks.

## **Tuesday 17/08**

Mid Antrim: Pray for more children in the Mid Antrim area to do the correspondence courses that are available. Give thanks for those who completed the courses during the COVID-19 Lockdown and for the availability of online resources for many children to explore.

Declan & Amanda Curley: Pray for their ongoing ministry in the west Belfast area.

## **Wednesday 18/08**

David Coffey: Pray as he works on the children's literature and resources for the

various ministries. Pray for creativity and an awareness of God's help and guidance as he creates these resources within the Multimedia Dept.

Roberta Sherlock: Pray for opportunities to share the gospel with many children and young people.

Beverley McMaster: Pray that she will be a help and blessing as she works with David & Rosemary.

## **Thursday 19/08**

Brian & Helen Donaghy: Pray that families will encourage their children to join in the planned activities and outreach throughout the summer months.

Stephen & Tanya Hamilton: Pray for 5DCs in Dublin, that many children will come and there will be enough leaders for the clubs.

## **Friday 20/08**

Lynda McAuley: Pray for literature distribution in Co Mayo.

Sarah Wagner: Pray that she and Andi can be a good testimony to their family, friends and neighbours.

## **Saturday 21/08**

Jennifer McNeill: Pray for churches in the local area, that there will be a way for them to be able to reach out through the HBC ministry.

Rosalind Patterson: Pray that many volunteers will be involved in outreach especially those who have recently completed the TCE1 course.

## **Sunday 22/08**

Emma Reid: Give thanks to God for the volunteers who so faithfully serve among the children and young people in Mid

Ulster—pray God's abundant blessing upon them.

Julie Fenton: Praise God for all those who pray for and support the area work, and for the huge encouragement their faithfulness has been.

Claire Bain: Praise God for the opportunity to have day camps and 5DCs in many locations. May God continue to protect and give wisdom in making plans.

## **Monday 23/08**

David & Ruth Jackson: Pray that it will be possible to hold a 5DC in our own church, to kickstart the recommencement of children's and youth ministries.

Stan & Denise Beamish: Pray for school visits towards the end of this month.

## **Tuesday 24/08**

Gareth & Lindsay Gwynne: It seems that very few churches are planning HBCs this summer. Pray for those who have made the attempt to bring children together to teach them the Word of God that it might be a good launch pad for the commencement of winter ministry.

Heather Watson: Pray that doors into schools would remain open as she contacts principals to arrange monthly school assemblies.

## **Wednesday 25/08**

Co Monaghan: Pray for the ongoing ministry to the children and young people in the area.

Ida Johnston: This is the time for preparation for clubs and children's missions. Please pray some children's missions will be allowed in the autumn.

## Thursday 26/08

Angie McKee: Praise God for the opportunities to conduct online training in *TCE* courses and with churches. Pray that many children will be taught the Word of God because of them.

Correspondence Course: Pray that the children involved in the series of lessons will learn more about God and will grow in their faith. Praise God for the secretaries and local workers who look after the correspondence course in the areas.

## Friday 27/08

Philip & Rachael Agnew: Pray for wisdom in planning and preparation for the season of work.

National Office: Pray for the staff in each of their various roles that they will know God's daily help and wisdom in all they do. Pray they will be a support and blessing to the workers.

## Saturday 28/08

Sarah Bleakley: Pray that the children, young people and families in Lapland will hear and respond to God's loving invitation of salvation through His Son, Jesus.

Stephen & Pamela Garrett: Pray for guidance, as together the areas in Western Europe consider the personnel needed to create an area team. Many of the *CEF* teams in the countries of Western Europe are small and, in some cases, lacking skills and finances. Pray that God will help them to see where help is needed.

## Sunday 29/08

NE Ulster: Thank God for the progress in the rebuild of Seaview Camp Centre, and for the financial response. Pray that

this new centre will be used for God's glory and purposes, to make known His message to a generation of children so they might 'set their hope in God'.

Paddy and Jill Crozier: Pray that restrictions would be such that they would be able to share in churches and house groups about the work of *CEF*—pray that God would call others into His harvest field.

## Monday 30/08

Julie Fenton: Praise God for opportunities to serve Him this summer even though the format of the clubs may have been different.

Louise Davidson: Praise God for opportunities to reach the children with the good news of the gospel this summer and for the volunteers who give of their time to reach the children in NE Down. Pray that they would be encouraged in their service for Him.

## Tuesday 31/08

Mid Antrim: Pray for the Lord to bless the children and young people of Mid Antrim as they prepare to go back to their studies and normal life. Give thanks for all in the area who have served the Lord so faithfully over the past years.

# September 2021

## Wednesday 01/09

David & Rosemary Edwards: Pray as they meet with the Board of Trustees; pray for godly wisdom and discernment.

Lynda McAuley: Pray that in the coming days it will be possible to once again visit schools to share the good news of Christ.

Rosalind Patterson: Pray for wisdom as the autumn work starts again this month. Pray that the normal venues for the *GNCs*

and JYC will still be available.

## Thursday 02/09

Simon & Jayne Gibson: Pray for their three girls as they return to school. Jessica will be starting her final year of High School. Robyn will be beginning her Leaving Certificate years and Bronwyn will be going into second year.

Stan & Denise Beamish: Pray as they make many visits to schools and for a positive response from school principals.

## Friday 03/09

Philip & Rachael Agnew: Pray that Joel, their son, would settle back into school again.

Gareth & Lindsay Gwynne: Praise God that their subscriber goal for their YouTube channel, “Discover Truth”, was reached in a matter of months and that it continues to grow and expand with God’s help.

Fermanagh: Pray for the ongoing ministry in the area and for the Committee as they oversee the work.

## Saturday 04/09

Roberta Sherlock: Praise God for new members for the East Belfast Steering Group. Pray for unity and God’s help as they plan.

Stephen & Grace Chambers: Pray for wisdom for them in NW Europe as they seek to develop links with churches. Their desire is to train, equip and support the churches in the work of evangelising and discipling children and linking these children to their local church for follow-up.

## Sunday 05/09

Sarah Wagner: Pray that the Lord will provide workers for *CEF* Switzerland (Luke 10:2). Pray for Andi in his role as Chairman of the National Board.

Stan & Denise Beamish: Pray as they seek to make further contact with many churches to promote the work of *CEF*.

Emma Reid: Give thanks to God for churches and individuals who partner with the ministry in Mid Ulster prayerfully and financially; pray God’s abundant blessing upon them.

## Monday 06/09

Brian & Helen Donaghy: Praise God for the short respite period where they can refresh and rejoice in the summer past—praying that God will continue to speak into the lives of the children reached.

Angie McKee: Praise God for the national online *TCE* 1 course that was held from February to April this year and for the students who completed it. Pray as we look to organise more of these courses so believers from all over the island of Ireland can receive training in reaching children.

## Tuesday 07/09

David & Rosemary Edwards: Pray for the workers as many of them will be taking a break during this month. Pray for spiritual and physical refreshment for them.

Julie Fenton: Pray for openings into the schools that ‘in person’ assemblies will once again be possible.

Paddy and Jill Crozier: They look forward to beginning *GNC* again; pray that the boys and girls will return, and that God will speak into their hearts and lives. Pray for new children to come along.

## **Wednesday 08/09**

Stephen & Pamela Garrett: Please remember the British Board as they meet online today and again on 13th of this month. Ask God to help Stephen & Andrew McMullan as they attend these meetings and seek to advise.

Jennifer McNeill: Praise God that she was still able to reach schools via the YouTube ministry in the last school year. Pray that this month the doors might open again for school ministry.

## **Thursday 09/09**

Heather Watson: Pray for the preparations for the recommencement of *GNC* in West Tyrone.

Stephen & Pamela Garrett: Pray for the Area Directors as they meet online. Pray for unity and openness to hear what God is saying individually and collectively. Remember Sarah Wagner as she takes minutes of the meeting.

## **Friday 10/09**

Colin Hylands: Pray that all JYC groups will be able to start back face to face this month.

Emma Reid: Pray for open doors into schools to take assemblies and school clubs when it is safe to do so.

Simon & Hannah Snodgrass: Praise God for the team already in Scotland (John & Martha and Lydia) as they continue to reach the children in their areas.

## **Saturday 11/09**

Mid Antrim: Pray for the Mid Antrim committee as they meet this evening. Ask God to give them wisdom and guidance as they make decisions about the work and that He would soon lead a new worker into the area.

Sarah Bleakley: Praise God for the year that Sarah has been in Lapland. Pray that she will continue to settle well and will be able to use everything she has learnt in the past year, in both her language studies and in adapting to the culture.

## **Sunday 12/09**

12–16 David & Rosemary Edwards: Pray as they lead Staff Conference. Pray this will be a time of refreshment, encouragement and a source of blessing to all the workers.

Louise Davidson: Praise God for those who so faithfully continue to support the work prayerfully and financially in NE Down.

## **Monday 13/09**

Beverley McMaster: Pray as she takes minutes of meetings held over the next few days at Staff Conference.

David and Heather Cowan: Pray as they meet with the Lagan Valley committee on the second Monday of each month. Pray that they will know God's guidance as they try to plan for the autumn work.

Ida Johnston: Pray for the *GNCs* in Billefjord on Mondays, Lakselv on Tuesdays, and Børselv on Wednesdays. Pray that children will continue to come.

## **Tuesday 14/09**

Paddy and Jill Crozier: Pray for a time of refreshment, encouragement and challenge as they meet together for Staff Conference (restrictions permitting).

Julie Fenton: Pray for the area *GNCs* as God-willing they can recommence. Pray that the Lord will draw the boys and girls back again.

Co Donegal: Pray for the ongoing ministry in the area.

## Wednesday 15/09

Andrew & Beulah McMullan: Pray that God will use them to encourage and challenge His people as they share at a deputation meeting in Armagh FPC.

Jennifer McNeill: Pray for new leaders for the JYC as she seeks to build on the work that went on during Lockdown.

## Thursday 16/09

Lynda McAuley: Pray that it will be possible to recommence *GNCs* again in Westport, Ballinrobe, Castlebar, Charlestown and Ballina.

Philip & Denise Annett: Praise God for a number of opportunities to help mentor some leaders across Europe on a one-to-one basis. This has been a real blessing and encouragement; pray that they will have wisdom, courage, and honesty as they seek to help these leaders grow.

## Friday 17/09

David & Ruth Jackson: Pray for the young people as they return to Castlereagh JYC that they will be keen to study God's Word together.

David & Olivia Crutchley: Pray for the Lord's guidance as they work with the *GNC* teachers with a view to reopening in the autumn.

Johanna Austin: Pray for the Wexford and Shillelagh *GNCs* as the leaders meet with Johanna and make decisions about how to reopen after a year online.

## Saturday 18/09

Colin Hylands: Pray for the JYC leaders' morning, that it will be an encouragement to the leaders and that

the time of training will be helpful. Gareth & Lindsay Gwynne: Pray that through the winter months they might have opportunity to train new individuals and churches in presenting the gospel to children, whether in the form of *TCE1*, online seminars (now that we are very comfortable with Zoom) or one-off training classes.

## Sunday 19/09

Mid Antrim: Pray for all the *GNC* teachers in the Mid Antrim area as they plan and prepare to teach the boys and girls for another year. Give thanks for their faithfulness and for the excellent *CEF* resources that have been produced to help them.

Angie McKee: Pray as she speaks at deputation meetings in the Lagan Valley area this month. She will be speaking at Loughaghrey Presbyterian and Cargycreevy Presbyterian today.

## Monday 20/09

David Coffey: Pray as he assists local workers in their ministries and helps create additional promotional material for the mission.

Simon & Jayne Gibson: *GNC* in Cavan and Belturbet will be recommencing again. Please pray as the teachers meet to plan and prepare for this.

Wilna Shaw-Karsemeijer: Pray for Wilna as she continues to serve in the Netherlands.

## Tuesday 21/09

Heather Watson: Pray for the school assemblies as they recommence this week.

Brian & Helen Donaghy: Pray that God will guide for their future activities/plans

along with the Sligo Committee and that they will be wise in all things.

Claire Bain: Pray that the online gospel booklets and tracts will be read by many children, especially those who do not have access to the paper copies of the books.

## **Wednesday 22/09**

Stephen & Tanya Hamilton: Pray as they try to establish *GNCs* and the Teen clubs again.

Emma Reid: Pray all the Mid Ulster *GNCs* would be able to recommence when it is safe to do so and for wisdom, guidance and help for each *GNC* teacher.

David and Heather Cowan: Praise God for each faithful volunteer who gives of their time to help with the ministry in the Lagan Valley area.

## **Thursday 23/09**

Lynda McAuley: Pray that the Lord will grant wisdom about how more children could be reached with the gospel in Co Mayo.

Paddy and Jill Crozier: Pray for help and wisdom in the plans for Autumn Conference. Pray that God would use the various speakers to encourage and challenge.

## **Friday 24/09**

Jennifer McNeill: Pray as she tries to build up the *GNCs* again that new people will come forward who will have the vision and commit themselves to this ministry.

Colin Hylands: Pray for the regular ministry that Colin is involved in (Blackskull, Kilwilkie and Lurgan *GNCs* and Lurgan and Dublin JYC) that they

will all begin face to face this month.

## **Saturday 25/09**

Julie Fenton: Pray for plans to start the area JYC up again and pray for the young people who are now eligible to attend that they will be eager to.

Stan & Denise Beamish: Pray as they seek to develop closer links with churches and encourage more children's ministry.

## **Sunday 26/09**

Gareth & Lindsay Gwynne: Pray throughout the winter months that they might be able to make better, stronger, links with a few local churches—helping them to grow and establish a solid children's ministry.

Angie McKee: Pray as she speaks at deputation meetings in Lagan Valley. She will be speaking at Drumbo Presbyterian this morning and Ballykeel Baptist ladies meeting on Tuesday evening (28th).

## **Monday 27/09**

Mid Antrim: Pray that many people will be burdened to pray for the Lord's work among the boys and girls of Mid Antrim. Give thanks for all the faithful prayer warriors and supporters.

NE Ulster: There are currently a number of areas in Northern Ireland without a local worker. Thank God for the provision of CMLCs to train workers. Pray for 'younger' people to hear God's call on their lives today and to respond like Isaiah, "Here am I, send me". Continue to pray for a worker for NE Ulster and pray also for other vacant areas.

## **Tuesday 28/09**

Philip & Denise Annett: Pray for Denise as she continues to work on new materials to help train National Committees. This

is a big task and please pray that they will be able to create training resources that will meet the various needs of each Board across their European region.

Heather Watson: Pray that people would be encouraged as she visits prayer and financial supporters in West Tyrone.

### **Wednesday 29/09**

Geoff & Karen Wallace: Please pray for wisdom as they start the winter work. Please pray that school assemblies will be a blessing to all the children and teachers.

Louise Davidson: Pray that she would be sensitive to God’s leading and guiding in these days for developing ministry in the NE Down area.

Andrew & Beulah McMullan: Pray for the workers in SW Europe as they begin their autumn ministries and that these can take place face to face. Pray that God will give each area wisdom regarding the best way forward in their ministry.

### **Thursday 30/09**

Ida Johnston: Pray especially that more teens will come to the JYC in Karasjok, and that Sarah Bleakley will get help with it. Roberta Sherlock: Pray for open doors into churches to share the vision of reaching children.

Johanna Austin: Pray for her as she encourages believers from the target/ vacant counties to take opportunities for teacher training in person or online.

### **Abbreviations**

**GNC** Good News Club

**HBC** Holiday Bible Club

**SDC** 5-Day Club

**JYC** Junior Youth Challenge

**SYC** Senior Youth Challenge

**TCE** Teaching Children Effectively

**CMLC** Children’s Ministry

Leadership Course

**PS** Primary School

**NS** National School

**SOTC** Summer Outreach Training Course



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