

All Of Us

June 1 "So I say, live by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the sinful nature" (Galatians 5:16). Pray that as we go through this month, we will all become aware of what it truly means to live by the Spirit.

June 2 Pray for our Division leaders, that as they lead, the fruit of the Spirit will be an inspiring witness through them.

June 3 "But the fruit of the Spirit...is love". Pray that this love is strikingly evident through our church meetings this week.

June 4 Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever. (Psalms 107:1) Praise God today that the love of the Spirit in us, has a never-ending supply!

June 5 "Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit" (Galatians 5:25) Pray that this desire becomes increasingly central in the thoughts of our church.

It is not what he has, nor even what he does which directly expresses the worth of a man, but what he is.

Henri F. Amiel, Swiss poet and philosopher

June 6 "But the fruit of the Spirit is...self-control". How often we fail on this one! Ask God to reveal to you areas of your life that need this – that he can be increasingly glorified in you.

June 7 Pray for our local church leaders that their grasp of our Father's purposes will lead to a clear and attractive vision in the churches they serve.

June 8 At the end of this month, the Zechariah Project will launch in Dublin, which will provide internships to people who will work with the Pastors in creating and discipling evangelistic contacts. Pray that God will lead many to join this initiative.

June 9 "But the fruit of the Spirit is...joy". "You have made known to me the path of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence, with eternal pleasures at your right hand. (Psalm 16:11).

In Harmony

June 10 "Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me." (Psalm 51:12). Ask God to grant you this wonderful joy, and those you know, who like David, struggle with sin.

Have peace in your heart, and thousands will be saved around you.

Seraphim of Sarov

June 11 Many of our members will be going on holiday in the coming weeks. Pray that this summer be a time of spiritual and physical refreshment.

June 12 "But the fruit of the Spirit is...patience". This can be so hard! Pray that our patience with others will become opportunities for God to show his grace through us.

June 13 There is continuing violence in Syria that is causing so much pain and suffering. Pray that God will intervene and bring a resolution to that troubled region.

June 14 "Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful." (Colossians 3:15). Pray for the global body of Christ – that this may be true for us all despite our differences.

The fruits of the Holy Spirit are, it seems to me, largely fruits of sustained interaction with God. Just as a child picks up traits more or less simply by dwelling in the presence of her parent, so the Christian develops tender heartedness, compassion, humility, forgiveness, joy, and hope through "the fellowship of the Holy Spirit"--that is, by dwelling in the presence of God the Father and Jesus Christ his Son. And this means, to a very large extent, living in a community of serious believers.

Robert C. Roberts

Constantly

June 15 "But the fruit of the Spirit is peace" "For to us a child is born...And he will be called Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. (Isaiah 9:66) Spend some time to praise such a God!

June 16 David wrote, "Who can discern his errors? Forgive my hidden faults." (Psalm 19:12) Pray that God will give us discernment personally and as a church, to clearly see where we need correction and forgiveness.

June 17 The Discover Bible School is growing in many local churches around the world. Pray that God will guide these churches as they send out the correspondence courses.

When my 4-year-old son, Matthew, was dressing himself for preschool one morning, he chose to wear a pair of underpants with a Fruit of the Loom label inside. "Mommy," he explained to me, "I want to wear these because they have the fruit of the spirit in them!"

Tammie Quesenberry, Clayton, NC.

June 18 The City Of Hope steering committee is meeting again tonight. Pray that our plans together will mature into something that will make God known with great power.

June 19 Great peace have they who love your law and nothing can make them stumble (Psalm 119:165). Pray for those you know, that they may choose to shape their lives around God's words and find this peace.

June 20 Please continue to pray for our prayer network, that it will be influential in encouraging people to pray and lead to far reaching spiritual renewal.

June 21 "But the fruit of the Spirit is...goodness". Ask God how we can attractively reveal this as a church to a world that often seems so intrinsically bad – that Jesus may be seen.

For God's Glory

June 22 "But the fruit of the Spirit is...kindness". Pray for an opportunity for God to show his kindness through you today.

June 23 "But the fruit of the Spirit is...faithfulness". Sometimes what we believe is unpopular and causes others to make our lives difficult. Pray that God gives increasing faithfulness to those across the world who are severely tested for Christ.

June 24 The rescheduled literature evangelists training begins today and will continue all week. Pray that God will open up many ways for our books to be read across our Mission.

June 25 "But the fruit of the Spirit is...gentleness". Pray that the gentleness of the Spirit in your life may encourage more people to ask you about Jesus.

June 26 "Those who belong to Christ have crucified the sinful nature with its passions and desires." (Galatians 5:24) Pray that we will not allow sin to be ignored in our lives, but that we will be honest if it exists and deal with it directly.

June 27 Global Mission targets funds and personnel to places where the church has not been before. Pray that God will call more people who desire to be used by Him to work as "pioneers" in these areas.

June 28 As the literature evangelists finish their training, pray that God will show them good places to work.

***Don't Just Stand There... Pray Something!* (Ronald Dunn)**



A wonderful little book, full of interesting stories and helpful insights on intercession. Looks at why and how God uses people like us to fulfil his purposes, the prayer God always answers, fasting, God's prayer list and a whole lot more! "This is not only the most encouraging book I have ever read on prayer, it is simply one of the best books I have ever read."

Richard Bewes, Rector, All Souls, Langham Place, London.

Across Ireland

June 29 Praise our Father this Sabbath, that no matter what sort of past we may have had, he still desires to reveal his character through us! "...for his compassions never fail, they are new every morning." (Lamentations 3:22b-22a)

June 30 Our church is increasingly using media to reach people across our Division. Pray that many more people will now be able to find and listen to the gospel and find encouragement and hope.

Have A Prayer Request?

If your church has a specific prayer request that focuses directly on our mission together, please ask your pastor to send it along to us.

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Our Mission

1. A community of intercessors, who are praying for a powerful revelation of God's character and purposes in the whole of Ireland, made evident through a radically disciplined and passionately devoted membership, who irresistibly share the good news of Jesus by radiating our Father's love.
2. An awareness, among everyone within our churches, that prayer is the foundation of all successful plans to prepare a people to meet Jesus.



June 2013 Prayer Diary

Ireland for Jesus

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Dear Intercessor,

Welcome to our June prayer diary. You will notice the City of Hope logo that we are using. In its centre is a spire that stands in the centre of Dublin. It is the world's tallest sculpture at over 121 metres and is called the Monument of Light.

That makes it an appropriate symbol for our work to make God known. For in the same way that this monument towers over Dublin, so the light of the Holy Spirit in our lives is to be visible among people we mix with.

So this month we will be praying through the fruit of the Spirit in Galatians 5:22-23. These characteristics are in sharp contrast to what is seen in the world. So to live out the fruit of the Spirit points to the reality that there is a power available to us that is *out* of this world!

Best wishes,

Gavin Anthony

Intercessors for the Harvest