

PRAYER DIARY – May 2026

- Fri 1** Pray for those who offer their services voluntarily to support the needy in the community.
- Sat 2** We pray for the Swindon Street Pastors.
- Sun 3** Remember those who worship at Immanuel with Highworth- the first Sunday of their ministerial vacancy.
- Mon 4** We remember those who attend “Open house” at Bath Road. (10.30-12.00). May they feel welcomed.
- Tues 5** Be thankful for those who run the Lunch Club at Bath Road.
- Weds 6** We remember our MP Heidi Alexander, may she be blessed with wisdom for the future.
- Thurs 7** Immanuel's Elders meeting- pray for wise decisions.
- Fri 8** On World Red Cross Day, we are thankful for the humanitarian work that is undertaken.
- Sat 9** Bath Road community breakfast and table tennis morning session. We rejoice in the fellowship created.
- Sun 10** Remember those who worship at Christ Church and at St. Mary's.
- Mon 11** At the beginning of Christian Aid week we pray for awareness and generosity.
- Tues 12** This afternoon Immanuel hosts their regular Tea and Chat session. We are thankful for friends.
- Weds 13** We pray for families, especially those who support children with additional needs.
- Thurs 14** Ascension Day – that we will know Jesus is with us always even though we cannot see him.
- Fri 15** Remember Swindon's Youth for Christ.
- Sat 16** On F A Cup final day, we celebrate the joys of sport.
- Sun 17** Remember those who worship at Bath Road.
- Mon 18** We pray for students who will be starting their exams shortly.
- Tues 19** We pray for the mid-week services that take place across the Partnership.
- Weds 20** Pray for those who struggle to feed their families and need to use the Swindon Food Collective.
- Thurs 21** In “Tell a Story Month”, we rejoice in the gift of imagination. May we use ours to see opportunities for the future.
- Fri 22** We pray for those who care for old and frail members of our community.
- Sat 23** For all those who choose to marry within the Church. May they feel blessed and supported.
- Sun 24** Pentecost -we pray that the Spirit will be with us, in particular at Immanuel's first Cafe Church this morning. Pray for open minds and positive feedback.
- Mon 25** On this Spring Bank Holiday, may we be blessed with peace and opportunities to relax.
- Tues 26** We pray for the staff at Great Western Hospital. May they feel valued.
- Weds 27** We pray for those who look after our parks and open spaces. We rejoice in the beauty we see.
- Thurs 28** We pray for those who provide music and song in our churches – a dimension we would surely miss.
- Fri 29** We remember the children who attend Sunbeams pre-school group. May they be blessed and safe.
- Sat 30** We pray for the ministers and preachers who fill our pulpits week by week. May they feel led by our Lord Jesus Christ.
- Sun 31** Remember the Partnership Confirmation service this morning. Pray for all involved...confirmands, clergy and congregation.

“Prayer, according to the Bible, is not just speaking—it
is approaching God”



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**BATH ROAD
CHRIST CHURCH**

**IMMANUEL
ST MARY'S**

**Swindon Old Town
Partnership of Churches**

The Partnership Prayer:

Loving God we are one in Jesus Christ. Help us to live out this unity in our partnership through mission; so that those around us may turn to Jesus who is the way the truth and the life. In his name we pray.