

## 1 February

### Our country

1 Peter 2 11-17

The government all members of both houses of parliament

All who work in the NHS

Those who work in the emergency services police, fire, ambulance

Those who serve in the forces

For coastguards and lifeboats

Those who ensure we have gas and electricity

## 8 February

### The Church throughout the world

1 John 5 1-5

The work of Christian Aid

Methodists serving overseas

Those for whom clean water is a luxury

The Bible Society and those who translate the scriptures

Those who suffer as a result of leprosy and those who minister to them

The worldwide Methodist family

## Prayer Meetings

Zoom meeting will take place every Monday at 6pm

Meeting ID: 830 0454 1832

Passcode: 687000

You can also ring in on 01 203 901 7895.

Each week we begin with a Bible reading and a short prayer. Then we have a time of prayer on the themes of the week.

There is an opportunity for topical prayer and we conclude with the Lords Prayer. All are welcome either to join us on zoom; to pray the themes with us without coming onto zoom or simply to use the prayers that week.

If you have a specific prayer request, please let me know on 01722 715134 or email [revstuartwild@aol.com](mailto:revstuartwild@aol.com)

## 4 January

COVID 19

James 5 7-11

Let us pray to God,  
who alone makes us dwell in safety:

For all who are affected by coronavirus,  
through illness or isolation or anxiety,  
that they may find relief and recovery:

For those who are guiding our nation at this time,  
and shaping national policies,  
that they may make wise decisions:

For doctors, nurses and medical researchers,  
that through their skill and insights  
many will be restored to health:

For the vulnerable and the fearful,  
for the gravely ill and the dying,  
that they may know your comfort and peace:

We commend ourselves, and all for whom we pray,  
to the mercy and protection of God.

11 January

### **Psalm 9**

#### **South Fylde Circuit**

Our churches  
Church Road  
Fairhaven  
Freckleton  
Kirkham  
Lytham  
The Drive

Our Circuit Stewards Anne, Michael, Katharine

Our staff Judith, Kim, Stephen and Stuart

Our retired ministers

Our local preachers

### **18 January**

1 Cor 1:10-13a

#### **Christian Unity**

Holy Spirit, you create and re-create the Church in all places. Come and  
whisper in our hearts the prayer which Jesus addressed to his Father on

the eve of his passion: "that they may all be one... so that the world may  
believe".

Lord Jesus, Prince of Peace, light the fire of your love in us so that  
suspicions and misunderstanding cease in the Church. May the walls that  
separate us fall.

Holy Spirit, Consoler of all, open our hearts to forgiveness and  
reconciliation and bring us back to you when we lose our way.

Lord Jesus, gentle and humble of heart, give us poverty of spirit so that  
we may be open to your grace.

### **25 January**

#### **Our local communities**

*Psalm 68 1-10*

Fylde Borough Council, Lancashire County Council, local town  
councils, for councillor and all who work for the local authorities

Local shop keepers

Doctors Surgeries and Health Centres

Local schools

All local churches

Those who are struggling financially

The lonely and the isolated