

Friday 20th

Remember **our leadership** before God today. We are so blessed to have such committed people at the helm. Ask for God's blessing on Mark, Ben, Nat, Chris – their wives and children. Also bring Sara, Leanne and David to the Lord today. Thank God for them: their quiet ministry is so vital to us all.

Saturday 21st

There are a great many people who through no fault of their own, are unable to come to church anymore. Pray for those who are dying, ill, infirm or in a care home. Ask the Lord that **they won't feel forgotten** and if they're confused, pray that they experience God's peace.

Sunday 22nd

Pray for the ongoing work of **AWM Pioneers** in Arab speaking countries where believers are in the minority as we focus on their work today. Ask God's blessing on often isolated team leaders, their families and the small groups which they support. Pray for safety, strength, stamina and for a sense of God's presence.

Monday 23rd

Being in leadership is a big responsibility. Pray for wisdom and insight for those on **the PCC** as they meet this evening. Ask the Lord to direct them and that they can clearly see God's plan and purpose for the church in their decision making. Continue to pray for the Marriage Course.

Tuesday 24th

It's that time of year... when **our teenagers** are preparing for exams, particularly their GCSEs. Pray that they won't be distracted but can spend quality time in revision and study.

Remember our **musicians and singers**. Pray for God's blessing on their ministry.

Wednesday 25th

Bible Overview Course

continues. Ask the Lord to enthuse those who are taking the course that they will get the maximum from it, and pray that others will want to do the course another time.

Bring the Teccy people before God today. Thank Him for them and ask His blessing on their ministry.

Thursday 26th

We are blessed that the church has an open door into the **Care Homes in the village**. Ask the Lord that this will encourage those who already love Him and also that unbelievers would hear the good news of the gospel. If you know someone in a Care Home, bring them before God today and ask for His blessing.

Friday 27th

People will be gathering in church to prepare the building for the Sunday services. Thank the Lord for **the cleaners**, those who do the flowers and prepare the church hall for the childrens' work. We are so blessed to have a beautiful space in which we can invite people to come. If you know someone who does this service for the church, why not thank them personally.



Saturday 28th

It's easy to fall out with people. Relatives may not be speaking to each other, children are out of sorts with parents, married couples may be going through a bumpy ride, things which can cause a lot of heartache. Maybe this is your family. Bring **fractured families** before God today and pray for the Presence of the Lord and peace in the home.

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Before they call I will answer; while they are still speaking I will hear. Isaiah 65v.

Our Mission this Month – AWM Pioneers focus on people with least opportunity to hear and understand the gospel and work alongside local indigenous fellowships. Right now, Pioneers has more than 3,000 international missionary members working in 320+ mission teams in over 100 countries among more than 200 unreached people groups.

Sunday 1st

After the 11.30am traditional service, our guests and friends meet for **Sunday Roast**. Pray that people will feel as if Jesus himself were sitting next to them. Thank God for those who willingly sacrifice their Sunday each month to serve others and ask Him to bless them in ways in which the people enjoying Sunday Roast can't.



Monday 2nd

As the **Marriage Course** continues tonight helping couples to communicate more effectively, to understand each other's needs and resolve conflict, pray that people will find practical support to strengthen their relationship. Ask the Holy Spirit to consolidate every marriage. Take this opportunity to ask God to create strong marriages within the whole church community and beyond.

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This is our monthly diary of the ministries and events in the life of St Margaret's with some ideas for prayer. Thank you for praying - we want to make a difference!

It would be helpful if requests for inclusion in the March diary could be sent to Sara in the Church Office by 16th February..

PCC
Tonight



Tuesday 3rd

As a society we are becoming more aware of the needs of others. Church is usually full of people and can be noisy. Ask the Lord that the new area created near the kitchen will become a calm, **dementia-friendly space** for anyone needing a quiet moment, or to settle a child.

Wednesday 4th

Being alone through no fault of your own can be very hard. Ask the Lord that friendships will be made as **Mix and Mingle** comes together this afternoon. The **Prayer Meeting** is the power-house of the church. We may feel small and insignificant but God answers prayer! Pray that folks are encouraged, for great things to happen and that the gospel will grow in Angmering.

Thursday 5th

St Margaret's Music and Memory Café starts today. It's a monthly space for people affected by dementia and their families to connect, share stories, and enjoy coffee and cake. Lift Joseph and his helpers before the Lord and pray that this will become a much loved place where people will not only find friendship, support and a warm welcome but will also meet with Jesus.

Friday 6th

St Margaret's Church of England Primary School is seeking a dynamic SENCo to join their Senior Leadership Team. They are looking for a visible, collaborative, and proactive leader, a committed Christian who can work with their values of Love and Aspire. Today they will be holding interviews for the applicants. Ask the Lord to give wisdom to all those involved so that the choice will be obvious.

Saturday 7th

Today the **Women Together** team host The Vine from 9am when the speaker, Andrea Trevenna, will be looking at friendship and what it means to walk in faith together. Ask for God's blessing for all those attending, that they will experience friendship at first hand and come to know the Friend who sticks closer than a Brother even better.

Sunday 8th

Offer a prayer of thanks for those who **volunteer** on Sundays. Those who bring people to the services week after week; the teachers in the Sunday school who spend hours preparing sessions and craft; the people who do teas and coffee in the hall after the services; those who clear and tidy up before we go home. It's all too easy to take them for granted, so let's ask for a blessing on them today.

Monday 9th

As the **Marriage course** continues today, ask the Lord to help those taking part to appreciate how each other feels. Also, ask the Lord's blessing on the leaders, Ben and Astrid, and those people who prepare such lovely meals and wait on tables.

Tuesday 10th

As well as looking for someone to join their Senior Leadership Team, St Margaret's Church of England Primary School is also seeking a new **Deputy Head Teacher**. They would like a confident, creative leader who can take initiative, bring ideas and lead with ownership, warmth and clarity. The interviews are today and tomorrow. Pray for wisdom and that they make the right choice

Wednesday 11th

Today we as a church join 140,000 people who are doing the **Bible Overview Course**. Ask the Lord that participants will become more confident in reading the Bible, understand how it all fits together and how to apply its teachings to their lives. Remember St Margaret's Church of England Primary School as they continue the interviews for a new Deputy Head teacher.

Thursday 12th

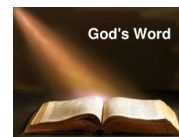
Whether it's broadcasting hope and encouragement to persecuted Christians, providing radio communications as a critical resource for disaster affected communities, or sharing key health education messages, **FEBA partners** across Africa, Asia and the Middle East are there. Pray that they are able to safely serve the Lord in everything they do.

Friday 13th

The Pancake Olympics is an evening of fun when children can decorate their own pancake masterpiece and enjoy other craft activities. Pray that this will continue to build relationships with families in our community. May this become the spring-board to a deeper relationship with God.

Saturday 14th

Valentine's Day. Did you know that legend has it that St Valentine was a 3rd century priest who was imprisoned for performing Christian marriages at a time when it was forbidden? In a society which is losing its Christian roots, pray for our young people in their fledgling relationships and that we shall all have a healthy respect for one another.



Sunday 15th

When so many churches have no **children's ministry** it's wonderful to see how blessed we are when the children go out to their classes on a Sunday. Ask that they will meet with Jesus. Pray that they surrender their lives to Him even at their young age, something which will keep them from so many of the perils in life. **Sunday Girls** this evening: This is a Homegroup for teenager girls (13-17) Ask the Lord that firm friendships will be made and that they will grow in their Christian faith.

Monday 16th

Half term starts today. Bringing up children is never easy, especially in a secular society where people have little or no time for God. Bring our families before the Lord and ask for his help as parents encourage their children to have a personal relationship with Jesus. Pray that **parents** are prayerful and that they continue to depend on the Lord.

Tuesday 17th

Did you know there are an estimated 10,000 people living in **Angmering** now? Easter is not far away and plans are afoot for an outreach over the period. Ask the Lord to birth new ideas, especially ways in which we can connect with the new housing estates surrounding the village.

There's a **Holy Communion** in church today. Pray that those attending will feel the presence of the Risen Lord.

Wednesday 18th

Sometimes we can feel overwhelmed by **the news on TV** or in our newspapers. Bring something which has concerned you to God today. Ask that world leaders will be guided by Him even if they have no belief. Pray for the Lord's blessing on peacemakers and those leaders who genuinely want the best for their peoples. **Evergreen** meets today. Pray for a blessing on the seniors who attend.

Thursday 19th

In Sept 2025 three major earthquakes struck eastern Afghanistan, leaving at least 2,200 dead, and thousands injured. These communities were already facing extreme hardship. Pray for **Tearfund's partners**, who continue to respond with vital relief. Ask the Lord for strength and endurance as they continue to navigate difficult terrain in order to reach and support those affected.

