

# Let's Pray

Sun 29 March - Sat 4 April 2026

## Sunday 29 March

- **Moderator** | *Pray for the congregations of PCI and the various services that will be taking place this incoming week in preparation for the celebration of Easter. Ask that the significance of our Saviour's death and the joy of his resurrection will have a deep impact of the lives of all those who know and love the Lord and also on those who are seeking him.*
- **Answering God's invitation to worship** | *'Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.'* Psalm 95:1. *Ask God to help us to respond to his invitation to find joy in him as we express our praise in song today.*

## Monday 30 March

- **Gary and Mary Reid, global mission workers, Kenya** | *Give thanks for the Maasai believers in Olkinyei and Siana, praying that they would be rooted in love, strengthened for service and protected from evil. Continue to remember Gary and Mary as they undertake speaking engagements during final Home Assignment and that they would be able to share effectively what God has done down through the years, and experience his guiding presence for the future.*
- **Refugees** | *At the outset of 2026 the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) reported that there were 121 million people displaced from their homes around the world, over 30 million of them are refugees. Pray for an end to conflict in those countries most deeply affected, including Syria, Ukraine, Afghanistan, Sudan and South Sudan, such that people may be able to return home.*

## Tuesday 31 March

- **Maynooth, Rev Dr Keith McCrory** | *Please pray for the upcoming elders' election as the congregation seeks to add two new elders to the Kirk Session. Pray also for those coming to a new Alpha course, as well as the new seniors' club on Monday mornings. Pray for the congregation's witness in Maynooth and surrounding area through the Easter period.*
- **Eleanor Drysdale, deaconess, Wellington** | *Give thanks to God for the opportunity to have a prayer space open daily from 7am - 8pm for people to come to pray and listen to God. Give thanks for all those who will worship together during the week, that each one will encounter the Risen Lamb of God.*

## Wednesday 1 April

- **Naomi Lere more, global mission worker, Kenya** | *Pray for Rev Jecinta, recently appointed Acting Director of the PCEA Theological Education by Extension (TEE) Programme, as she adjusts to her new role and seeks to lead and guide the department forward. Give thanks for the opportunity that Naomi has to engage in post-graduate studies and pray that these will, in God's time, bear much fruit in terms of the development, writing and editing of contextually relevant TEE materials for the church.*
- **Presbyterian Church of Myanmar (PCM)** | *Five years on, the civil war in Myanmar shows no sign of ending, with over 8,000 civilians killed and 23,000 still in detention. Give thanks that in the midst of this turmoil, the PCM continues to grow. Pray that its membership would know God's grace, strength, courage and provision in the face of violence, forced recruitment, displacement and food shortages.*

## Thursday 2 April

- **Tullamore, Rev William Hayes** | *Pray for the congregation in Tullamore, that they would be blessed and encouraged as they meet together for worship each week. Give thanks for Rev William Hayes and pray for him as he continues to serve this congregation.*
- **Jack McQuillan, community outreach worker** | *Give thanks for the work in Christ Church, Dundonald and Tullycarnet in which Jack is involved. Pray that he would be strengthened and encouraged as he builds relationships in both congregations and communities.*

## Friday 3 April

- **Council for Social Witness (CSW)** | *Pray for Rev David Brice, convener of CSW. Give thanks for David's initiative and faithfulness to the Council and the commitment he gives to the work of the social witness of our Church. Remember our committee conveners and members, that they may feel valuable in their role, and in the decision-making for the vision and work of the Council for Social Witness.*
- **Ending violence against women and girls** | *Pray for organisations such as Women's Aid, who support women in need, and those suffering domestic abuse. Give thanks for politicians and activists who speak out against this issue. Pray that there will be a cultural shift across Ireland, and that violence will cease.*

## Saturday 4 April

- **General Council** | *Pray for the staff of Assembly Buildings as they take their Easter break this weekend. Pray for rest and refreshment as they celebrate the joy of the resurrection with friends and family.*
- **Training in Ministry** | *Pray for all members of the College community at Easter. Pray that the remembrance of the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ will be a blessing to everyone.*