

Liberton Kirk Daily Devotions – March 2026

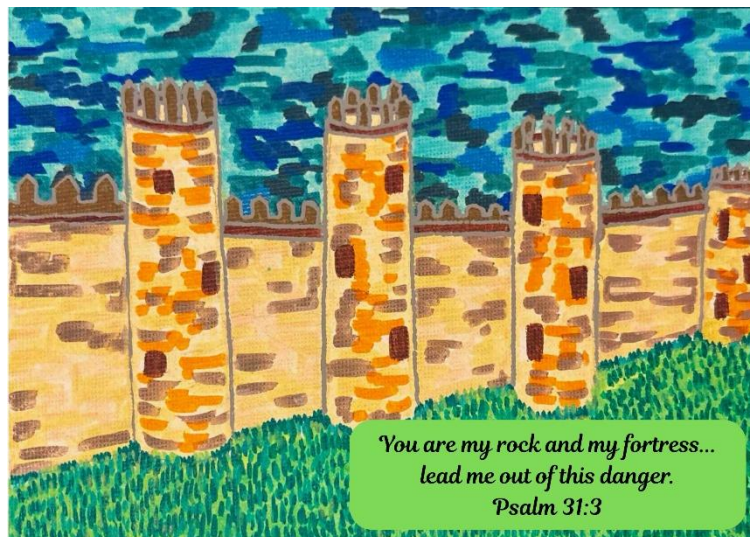
Trust in the Lord and do good; dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture. Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.

Psalm 37 verses 3 and 4

During 2026 we are looking daily at the theme of DAVID – GODLY WARRIOR KING. So far we have considered some of the early things in his life and looked at several of the PSALMS.

We pause at our times of Midday Devotion to pray for others in our church family, our city and our world.

In March we return to journey with the PSALMS as we consider the truths behind the words, the prayers of David in many cases.



We are all invited to listen for God's voice and make our response as we journey together daily in our 'rhythm of devotion' in 2026.

These Devotions are but one way to feed on God's Word in the morning, at midday, in the evening... to pray with Him continually through the day and even to share with others the treasures or hurdles you discover.

The Church website and Facebook page (even on a handy mobile) provide a fuller daily devotional page. However, it all follows the pattern below which the information provided fits into, based on the Kirk's origins of the Celtic and Northumbrian traditions which we started as a church family back in 2015.

Morning:

Reading and Meditation on the content, and Prayer of response

Midday:

Prayer – mostly for others

Evening:

Verse(s) from the morning reading

Reflection and Prayer at the end of the day

Prayer for March

Lord, our hearts sing to You in prayer.

You are forever faithful.

In our distress, you comfort us;

In our sickness, You bring healing;

In our sorrow, You bring joy.

We trust in the promises of You Word,

and thank You for choosing us as Your family.

In Your name, we pray, amen.

Sunday 1st March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 30.

Meditation: we take time to consider these words this morning.

“that my heart may sing your praises and not be silent.”

And then we pray to this God in response.

Holy Father, You know the hearts of Your people,

You know when we are singing praises to You.

Let silence never find our lips.

Let our minds always remember Your works.

For we will sing Your praises this day.

In Jesus' name, amen.

Midday:

Pray the words of the Prayer for the Month as your own prayer.

Lord, our hearts sing to You in prayer.

You are forever faithful.

In our distress, you comfort us;

*In our sickness, You bring healing;
In our sorrow, You bring joy.
We trust in the promises of Your Word,
and thank You for choosing us as Your family.
In Your name, we pray, amen.*

Evening:

Read these set words again from PSALM 30.
Reflect and then pray to this God of ours.

*Lord Jesus, exultation is for You.
For those in turmoil this evening,
lift them out of the depths,
never letting our enemies boast in victory.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Monday 2nd March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 31.

Meditation: as we pause with God, take time to consider these particular words today.

“Be strong and take heart, all you who hope in the Lord”

And then pray in response.

*Our Father and our defender,
we stand strong this morning,
in the knowledge that You are in charge of our safety.
When we feel attacked by this world,
You are the fortress that protects.
Even when under siege from our enemies,
we can take heart,
for our hope is in You.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in North Korea.

Bring safety and freedom, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from Psalm 31.
Reflect and then pray to this God in response.

*Lord Jesus, You turn anguish into jubilation.
We put our trust in You.
We are sorry when we lose faith in Your deliverance.
When we forget the good things that You have planned for us.
Forgive us, Lord.
You are the rock on which we stand.
In Your name, amen.*

Tuesday 3rd March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 32.

Mediation: as we pause with God today, we consider these truths.

“Then I acknowledged my sin to you and did not cover up my iniquity.”

And then respond in prayer with Him.

*Our Father God and confidante,
we stand before You in humble confidence,
that You will listen to our sins,
and wipe the slate clean.
We do not need to be afraid,
but simply to turn to You in confession.
In that truth, we will rejoice
and sing our praise to You.
In Jesus’ name, amen.*

Midday:

Take time to listen for God to speak with you – ask, seek, knock – hear!

We are here Lord, we knock, we seek, we hear, amen.

Evening:

Read the words again from PSALM 32.

Reflect and then pray in response to our God.

*Lord Jesus, Your instructions and teachings,
will lead us where we must go.
We turn to You and ask for that counsel this evening.
We look to You with love,*

*and see more love reflected back to us.
For this everlasting adoration, we pray, amen.*

Wednesday 4th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 33.

Mediation: pause with God this new morning. Prayerfully consider the words written here.

And then turn to prayer.

*Father God, You made the heavens,
and all the stars in the sky.
You gathered the waters of the sea,
and pulled the land up within it.
All You say, can come to pass,
so we ask for to speak
Your blessings into our lives, today.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Somalia.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 33.

Reflect and then pray to the LORD our God.

*Lord Jesus, the greatest help we will ever have.
You are the shield that will help us in battle.
We trust in You with hearts rejoicing,
for Your unfailing love with is all we need for hope.
In Your name, amen.*

Thursday 5th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 34.

Mediation: consider this passage this new morning.

"I will extol the Lord at all times"

And then respond in prayer to this God, our God.

*Lord God, in every moment of today
we remember you.*

*We remember how You saved us
through sending Your son, Jesus
to give us freedom.*

*Thank You Lord, for this deliverance.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on the Church in Yemen.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the set verses again from PSALM 34.

Reflect on what is said here and then pray to this God we believe in.

*Lord Jesus, we reflect
on Your sacrifice on the cross.
Help us to show You the highest respect
by following Your example.
Help us this day,
to act with integrity,
staying clear of gossip and evil words,
seeking and spreading peace.
In Your name, amen.*

Friday 6th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 35.

Meditation: as we pause with God, we take the time to consider these verses.

'My tongue will proclaim your righteousness, your praises all day long.'

And then pray in response to God.

*Lord Jesus, at the beginning of a new day,
we look upon Your throne.
We proclaim Your righteousness with our tongues,
and are a witness for You in our actions.
You sustain us this day,*

*and our hearts will shout Your praise
in every moment.
In Your name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on our Church Prayer list.

For those who need Your help, pour out Your blessings. Amen.

Evening:

Read these words again from PSALM 35.
Take time to reflect and pray to Father God.

*Our Lord and Father,
for the provision this day, we thank You.
Life brings many trials and challenges
for which You are the ultimate defender.
Help us to walk in Your righteousness,
with Your glory, lighting our path.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Saturday 7th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 36.

Meditation: as we pause with Jesus, we consider these words.

"Continue your love to those who know you"

And then pray to this God we believe in.

*Lord God, in pray we come to You.
In reading Your word,
we learn about You.
We bring before you this morning,
those in our lives that do not yet know You,
or have lost their faith.
Open their hearts to feel Your love,
to unite, again of for the first time,
with Your unfailing faithfulness to us.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

Pray the words of the Lord's Prayer as your own prayer today.

*Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name.
Thy Kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the Kingdom,
the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.*

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 36.
Reflect and pray in response to what you read.

*Lord Jesus, it was Your unfailing love,
that took brough You to this Earth.
And it was you unwavering faithfulness,
that gave us refuge through Your death.
We cannot express our gratitude fully,
so we sit now in Your presence,
and drink in Your Spirit.
We take You Spirit with us,
to share with those we meet.
In Your name, amen.*

Sunday 8th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 37.

Meditation: we take time with God to consider these particular words on this Sunday morning.

“Trust in the Lord and do good; dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture.”

And then we pray to Father God in response, humbly, honestly.

*Lord God, Father in heaven,
we cast our eyes to You this morning
and trust in Your guidance
for us to do good.
We take time this morning,*

*to dwell in Your presence,
enjoying the safety You provide.
In the name of Your son, amen.*

Midday:

Pray the words of the Prayer for the Month as your own prayer.

*Lord, our hearts sing to You in prayer.
You are forever faithful.
In our distress, you comfort us;
In our sickness, You bring healing;
In our sorrow, You bring joy.
We trust in the promises of Your Word,
and thank You for choosing us as Your family.
In Your name, we pray, amen.*

Evening:

Read these verses again from PSALM 37.
Reflect and then pray to this God of ours as we step into a new week – together – with Him.

*Our Saviour, Jesus,
at the end of this week, we reflect.
We delight in Your Spirit,
and follow Your steps.
You give us firm ground to walk on,
supporting each of us,
when the difficulty of life leads us to stumble.
We put our hope in You,
and praise Your holy name, amen.*

Monday 9th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 38.

Mediation: as we pause with God, we take time to consider these particular words today.

“Lord, I wait for you; you will answer, Lord my God.”

And then pray the words of verses 21 and 22 as your prayer in response.

*Lord God, do not forsake us;
do not be far from us, our God.
Come quickly to help us,*

*our Lord and our Saviour.
In Your name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Sudan.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 38.

Reflect and then pray to this God in response.

*Lord Jesus, it is all too easy for us to cry out in judgement;
putting blame at the feet of others, and sometimes at You,
before looking at ourselves.*

*Lord, help us this evening, to consider honestly,
examining ourselves for our sins,
and confessing to You.*

*It is only through You that we have freedom;
only through You that we have deliverance;
only through You that our wounds of pain,
can be turned into scars of joy.*

*Lord, we come to You in reverence,
and take You with us, with praise in our hearts,
In Your name, amen.*

Tuesday 10th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 39.

Meditation: as we pause with God we consider these words from David.

"Hear my prayer, Lord, listen to my cry for help; do not be deaf to my weeping."

And then respond in prayer with Him.

Lord God, You always listen.

*When we feel that You do not hear,
that is of our own making.*

*Help us Lord this day to open our hearts to You;
to hear Your words to us.*

In Jesus' name, amen.

Midday:

Take time to listen for God to speak with you – ask, seek, knock – hear!

We are here Lord, we knock, we seek, we hear, amen.

Evening:

Read the words again from PSALM 39.
Reflect and then pray in response to our God.

*Lord Jesus; giver of hope,
renew up this evening with enthusiasm,
to follow Your path
and never depart from Your plan.
We ask for patience to trust
that Your timing is perfect.
In Your name, amen.*

Wednesday 11th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 40.
Meditation: pause with God this new day. Consider these words written here.

*“He lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire; he set my feet on a rock
and gave me a firm place to stand.”*

And then turn to pray to God.

*Lord God, You only have the ability to lift us up.
You join us in the mud and mire,
supporting us in each moment,
taking each step with us.
From the pit, You return us to firm footing,
You deliver us from our despair,
for this, we sing all praises to You.
In Your name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Eritrea.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 40.
Reflect and then pray to the LORD our God.

*Lord Jesus, we put our trust in You.
We wonder at the path You have set for us,*

*and marvel at Your works.
You are our glorious saviour,
for ever and ever, amen.*

Thursday 12th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 41.

Meditation: as we pause with God today, we consider this passage this morning.

“Blessed are those who have regard for the weak; the Lord delivers them in times of trouble.”

And then respond in prayer to this Jesus.

*Lord Jesus, You are the deliverer of the weak.
And our protection in times of challenge.
We asked for forgiven for when we lose sight of You,
and let the fear of attack paralyse us.
Raise us up, Lord Jesus,
as we proclaim praise to Your name.
For ever and ever, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Syria.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the set verses again from PSALM 41.

Reflect on all that is said here and then turn to pray to this God we believe in.

*Father God, at the end of this day,
we reflect on our day.
Thank You for walking each step with us,
we take a moment now,
to list the gifts You have given us.
All praise to you, amen.*

Friday 13th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALMS 42 + 43.

Meditation: as we pause with God, we take time to consider these words.

“God, my rock... My stronghold”

And then pray in response to this God.

*Lord God, my rock and my stronghold.
You are the light in the darkness,
and illuminate the path before us.
When we are surrounded in shadows,
we come into your dwelling place
and you will turn our sorrow into joy.
All praise to You, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God’s blessing on those on our Church Prayer List.

For those who need Your help, pour out Your blessings. Amen.

Evening:

Read these words again from PSALM 42 + 43.

Take time to reflect and pray to Father God.

*Father God, giver of hope and light,
Your faithful care will sustain and renew us this evening,
We remain in Your presence
to praise your Holy Name, amen.*

Saturday 14th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 42.

Meditation: as we pause with Jesus, we take time to consider these words.

“My soul is downcast within me; therefore, I will remember you”

And then pray to this God.

*Lord God, the world can sometimes be dark place,
where we can feel that the storm of life is drowning us.
When we feel defeated, we turn to You.
Although we sometimes forget You,
You never forget us.
All we need to do is say, ‘Father’
and You will restore our hope,
In Jesus’ name, amen.*

Midday:

Pray the words of the Lord's Prayer as your own prayer today.

*Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name.
Thy Kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the Kingdom,
the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.*

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 42.
Reflect and pray in response to what you read.

*Lord Jesus, we praise You.
Our Saviour and our King,
we need not suffer unnecessarily,
for You are our hope.
You life us up from the deepest depths
and set up steady on Your rock.
In Your name, amen.*

Sunday 15th March

Mother's Day

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 43.
Meditation: we take time to consider these words this morning.
And then we pray to this God in response.

*Holy Father, we thank You this morning for our mothers.
For all women who have been a loving and supporting source,
we bring them to You for blessings.
We bring to You all those who find today difficult,
whose parent is sick or passed,
help them know that there is support in You.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

Pray the words of the Prayer for the Month as your own prayer.

*Lord, our hearts sing to You in prayer.
You are forever faithful.
In our distress, you comfort us;
In our sickness, You bring healing;
In our sorrow, You bring joy.
We trust in the promises of You Word,
and thank You for choosing us as Your family.
In Your name, we pray, amen.*

Evening:

Read these set words again from PSALM 43.
Reflect and then pray to this God of ours.

*Lord God, Jesus and Spirit,
We put our trust and hope in You.
We praise You for the joy and delight
we feel in Your presence.
In Your name, amen.*

Monday 16th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 44.

Meditation: as we pause with God, we take time to consider these particular words today.

“In God we make our boast all day long, and we will praise your name forever”

And then pray in response.

*Lord God, let us feel Your presence this morning.
We do not always feel Your near us,
but You are always there.
We praise you this morning,
and share Your love with others,
In Jesus name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Nigeria.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 44.
Reflect and then pray to this God in response.

*Lord Jesus, in You alone we have eternal refuge.
We can trust and hope in You salvation.
Hold us close this evening,
feeling Your provision for us,
knowing that a rescue from our hardship is near.
In Your name, amen.*

Tuesday 17th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 45.
Meditation: as we pause with God today, we consider these truths.

"I will perpetuate your memory through all generations; therefore, the nations will praise you for ever and ever."

And then we take the time to respond in prayer with Him – asking, seeking, knocking

*Lord God, we take time this morning to consider your works.
We enter Your presence to praise Your name,
to thank You for guarding our lives,
and fighting alongside us in this broken world.
Give us the correct words to inspire the next generation,
to help build their faith in our awesome God.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

Take time to listen for God to speak with you – ask, seek, knock – hear!

We are here Lord, we knock, we seek, we hear, amen.

Evening:

Read the words again from PSALM 45.
Reflect and then pray in response to our God.

*Lord Jesus, perfect righteousness,
guide and protect us in our lives,
so we are counted among the righteous.
Show us the path that we should walk,
that will protect us from wickedness.
In Your name, amen.*

Wednesday 18th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 46.

Meditation: pause with God this morning. Prayerfully consider these words written here.

“Be still, and know that I am God”

And then turn to pray to God.

*Lord God, we enter Your presence this morning,
and sit in Your glory.*

We think about who You are:

*Mighty God, Wonderful Counsellor,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace,*

*We slow down this morning,
to open up to Your words.*

In Your glorious name, amen.

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Pakistan.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 46.

Reflect and then pray to the LORD our God.

*Lord God, we call on You this evening,
to intervene in this broken world.*

*This world is bubbling with unrest,
and wars are destroying many lives.*

*We ask You to speak into these situations,
to make these wars cease,*

*and weapons shatter,
bringing peace.*

All praise will be given to You, amen.

Thursday 19th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 47.

Meditation: consider this passage as this new day begins.

And then respond in prayer to this God, our God.

*Father God, You are the awesome Lord,
You chose us as Your people.
We sing Your praise this morning,
and surrender to the sovereignty of Your plan in our lives.
We bow to Your throne, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Libya.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 47.

Reflect on all that is said here and then pray to this God we believe in.

*Lord Jesus, we quiet some into Your presence this evening.
But we shout to You in worship.
We sing praises to Your, our God,
Lord over all the Earth.
In Your name, amen.*

Friday 20th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 48.

Meditation: as we pause with God, we take the time to consider these words.

“For this God is our God for ever and ever; he will be our guide even to the end.”

And then pray in response to this God.

*Heavenly Father, eternal provider,
You are the guide of lives.
With You leading our paths,
we can never lose our way.
Although, times may be hard,
and the road ahead may seem dark,
You always know the way.
Help us to trust in Your promise of safety.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on those on our Church Prayer List.

For those who need Your help, pour out Your blessings. Amen.

Evening:

Read these words again from PSALM 48.

Take time to reflect and pray to Father God.

Lord God, we open our ears to Your voice this evening.

We strive to follow Your words.

Lord, we look around us to see the beauty of Your works.

We strive to keep our focus only on You.

We praise and thank You for the glorious works that You do.

Help us build on those, in Your name,

and not impede Your purpose in this world.

In Jesus' name, amen.

Saturday 21st March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 49.

Meditation: as we pause with Jesus, we consider these words.

"Why should I fear...?"

And then pray to this God we believe in.

Lord God, why should I fear?

On dark days, You provide light.

In battle, You provide armour.

We put that armour on this morning,

and stand in confidence with You.

In Jesus' name, amen.

Midday:

Pray the words of the Lord's Prayer as your own prayer today.

Our Father, who art in heaven,

Hallowed be thy name.

Thy Kingdom come.

Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts,

as we forgive our debtors.

*And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the Kingdom,
the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.*

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 49.
Reflect and pray in response to what you read.

*Lord Jesus, all our treasures are given by You.
Our earthly possession hold no value beyond death.
True fortune is only found in Your presence,
for that we praise You this evening.
In Your name, amen.*

Sunday 22nd March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 50.
Meditation: we take time to consider these words this Sunday morning.

"Listen, my people, and I will speak"

And then we pray to this God in response.

*Lord God, you command us to listen.
We open our ears now.
At the end of another week,
and on another Sunday in Lent,
we reflect on Your message to us,
Give us the strength to follow Your commands,
to honour You in our thoughts and actions,
in be counted in the blameless
and share in Your salvation.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

Pray the words of the Prayer for the Month as your own prayer

*Lord, our hearts sing to You in prayer.
You are forever faithful.
In our distress, you comfort us;
In our sickness, You bring healing;
In our sorrow, You bring joy.*

*We trust in the promises of You Word,
and thank You for choosing us as Your family.
In Your name, we pray, amen.*

Evening:

Read these set words again from PSALM 50.
Reflect and then pray to this God of ours.

*Lord Jesus, at the end of this day, and week,
we reflect.*

In our hard moments, did we call on You?

Did we follow the path You set before us?

We know You will provide.

For this we praise You.

We know Your path is righteous.

For this we praise You.

For ever and ever, amen.

Monday 23rd May

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 51.

Mediation: as we pause with God, we take the time to consider these honest words today.

“Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.”

And then pray in response.

Lord heavenly Father, these words are our prayer.

Create in us a heart that is pure and righteous.

Help our spirit be upheld by Your Spirit.

In Jesus' name, amen.

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Iran.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 51.

Reflect and then pray to this God in response.

*Jesus, our brother and our King,
through your sacrifice,
Your Spirit is free to us.
You paid the price so that we did not have to.
We spend time this evening, broken before You.
We thank You for Your gift of life,
and rest now in Your renewing power.
In Your name, amen.*

Tuesday 24th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 52.

Meditation: as we pause with God today, we consider these truths.

“But I am like an olive tree flourishing in the house of God; I trust in God’s unfailing love for ever and ever.”

And then respond in prayer with Him –asking, seeking, knocking on Heaven’s door.

*Lord God, we knock at Your door and enter Your house.
We spend time this morning, in Your presence,
praising You for all You are, and do, and provide.
We start our day in hope, and trust and faith.
In Jesus’ name, amen.*

Midday:

Take time to listen for God to speak with you – ask, seek, knock – hear!

We are here Lord, we knock, we seek, we hear, amen.

Evening:

Read the words again from PSALM 52.

Reflect and then pray in response to our God.

*All praise to You, Lord!
All glory to Your Name!
We are building our roots in You each day.
We know that You will let us flourish,
that Your fruits will grow in our lives.
We praise Your Holy Name, amen.*

Wednesday 25th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 53.

Mediation: Pause with God as the day starts. Prayerfully consider these words written here.

“God restores his people”

And then turn to pray to Him.

*Our Lord of restoration,
we look to You this morning,
rejoicing from the Salvation You has given us.
Long before Your Son was born,
his coming was foretold.
And now in this time of Lent,
we meditate on His journey
that would give us redemption.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Afghanistan.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 53.

Reflect and then pray to the LORD our God.

*Jesus, our bring of redemption.
King of Kings, You are our champion.
You will fight for us and with us
when we are attacked.
You will scatter our enemies,
and protect our souls.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Thursday 26th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 54.

Meditation: consider this passage as this new day begins.

- Salvation
- Vindication

And then respond in prayer to this God, our God.

*Father in heaven, at the beginning of this day,
we surrender our freewill to You.
When decisions are before us today,
guide us to look to You for the way.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in India

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 54.

Reflect on all that is said here and then pray to this God we believe in.

*Jesus, friend and Saviour,
deliverance from our troubles
is only found through You.
So we take time this evening
to set in Your presence,
in praise, in reverence.
All glory to You, Lord, amen.*

Friday 27th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 55.

Meditation: as we pause with God, we take the time to consider these words.

"My thoughts trouble me and I am distraught"

And then pray in response to Him.

*Lord God, we enter Your presence this morning,
whether it is our thoughts that are troubled,
or those of one we know,
we send our plea to You.
We ask for You to lift the troubled,
bringing peace to the anguished.
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on our family members and friends.

Bring love, provision and support to all we love, amen.

Evening:

Read these words again from PSALM 55.
Take time to reflect and pray to Father God.

*Heavenly Father, we cast our cares onto You.
You take them for us.
You will always stand with us,
for You are the endurance we need.
In You we trust, amen.*

Saturday 28th March

Morning:

Reading: PSALM 56.
Mediation: as we pause with Jesus, we consider these words.

“When I am afraid, I put my trust in you.”

And then pray to this God we believe in.

*God, in whom we place our trust,
it is by Your power that we find solitude.
This mortal world can often seem offensive to us,
but with You beside us, we are not afraid.
We welcome You beside us today.
In Jesus’ name, amen.*

Midday:

Pray the words of the Lord’s Prayer as your own prayer today.

*Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name.
Thy Kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the Kingdom,
the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.*

Evening:

Read the verses again from PSALM 56.
Reflect and pray in response to what you read.

*Lord God, we enter Your presence this evening,
to give You praise.
We worship Your almighty power.
For it is in You trust
that we need not be afraid.
Thank You.
All glory to You, amen.*

Sunday 29th March

PALM SUNDAY**Morning:**

Reading: MARK 14:1-31.
Meditation: we take time to consider these words this Palm Sunday morning.

“This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many,”

And then we pray to this God in response.

*Lord Jesus, at the beginning of this Holy Week,
we read about your life on Earth.
Words of thanks will never be enough
to show our gratitude for Your sacrifice.
You paid our debt,
the blood payment for our mortal soul,
so that we can see one day
be with You in the kingdom of God.
All praise to You, hosanna, amen.*

Midday:

Pray the words of the Prayer for the Month as your own prayer.

*Lord, our hearts sing to You in prayer.
You are forever faithful.
In our distress, you comfort us;
In our sickness, You bring healing;
In our sorrow, You bring joy.
We trust in the promises of You Word,
and thank You for choosing us as Your family.
In Your name, we pray, amen.*

Evening:

Read these set words again from MARK 14:1-31.
Reflect and then pray to this God of ours.

*Lord God, we love You,
and strive to worship You,
and follow You in all we do.
But we are flawed, and fall short.
We are sorry for the moments
when we deny You,
through our thoughts, or actions.
Forgive us Lord.
We invite You in to help us be better tomorrow,
In Jesus' name, amen.*

Monday 30th March

Morning:

Reading: MARK 14:32-50.

Meditation: as we pause with God, we take the time to consider these particular words today.

"Yet not what I will, but what you will."

And then pray in response.

*Lord Jesus, as Holy week continues,
we reflect on Your darkest week.
Faced with the knowledge of what was to come,
You maintained perfect faith in the Father.
We spend time this morning, with You,
inviting Your Holy Spirit into our hearts,
in the trust that whatever difficulties we face today,
the Father has a plan.
We strive today to follow His will.
In Your name, Amen.*

Midday:

We pray God's blessing on believers in Saudi Arabia.

Lord, we pray for freedom to worship in safety and openness, amen.

Evening:

Read the verses again from MARK 14:32-50.
Reflect and then pray to this God in response.

Father God, all praise to You.

*We thank You for sending Your Son to this Earth,
to be our sacrifice and pay the cost of our misdeeds.*

*We can only imagine the hurt that caused You,
asking Your Son to take on the sin of the world.*

*You are all knowing and knew this was the only way,
for us to re-unite with You.*

Help us today to live a life worthy of that precious gift.

In Jesus' name, amen.

Tuesday 31st March

Morning:

Reading: MARK 14:53-72.

Mediation: as we pause with God today, we consider these truths.

“Are you the Messiah, the Son of the Blessed One?”

*“I am,” said Jesus. “And you will see the Son of Man sitting at the right hand of the
Mighty One and coming on the clouds of heaven.”*

And then respond in prayer with Him asking, seeking, knocking on Heaven's door.

*Lord Jesus, we stand at heaven's door,
seeking Your presence.*

We spend time this morning talking with our Messiah.

We look towards the Mighty One and celebrate Your trinity.

All praise to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, amen.

Midday:

Take time to listen for God to speak with you – ask, seek, knock – hear!

We are here Lord, we knock, we seek, we hear, amen.

Evening:

Read the words again from MARK 14:53-72.

Reflect and then pray in response to our God.

*Lord Jesus, at the end of this month,
we reflect on the times when we have let You down.*

When we, like Peter, have disowned You.

*As we move into a new month,
and another day in Holy Week,*

*please fill us with the strength
to stand strong in You,
proclaiming our kinship in the correct situations.
In Your name, amen.*