Let's Pray

Sunday 28 July

- **Moderator |** *Pray for the Moderator as he fulfils a series of appointments and engagements in the summer months – including some celebrations of PCI members who have reached 100 years of age. Continue to remember him as he prepares for what will be a very busy season starting in September when he will be leading many services in various presbyteries.*
- **Resting in God in worship|** *'The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he refreshes my soul.' Psalm 23:1-3. Thank God for how he leads us into rest that renews our souls and ask that you may find refreshment for daily living as you worship today.*

Monday 29 July

- **Volker and Jinhyeog Glissmann, global mission workers, South Africa |** *Give thanks that Micha and Lukas have recently concluded important exams. Pray for the Glissmann family over these summer months, that they would know safe travels, good rest and wisdom in decision making.*
- **Theological Education by Extension Malawi (TEEM) |** *Pray for the development of TEEM's ministry in Makwapala and Mikuyu Prisons, Zomba District, especially for those who serve as facilitators of fortnightly classes, and for effective spiritual formation in the lives of inmates as they study God's Word.*

Tuesday 30 July

- **Chaplains |** *Pray for the ongoing work of PCI chaplains over the summer months, as those involved in chaplaincy in the areas of healthcare, forces and prisons continue with their work and also prepare for the autumn/winter.*
- **Church planting |** *Give thanks for opportunities to share the gospel throughout Ireland and pray for those involved in church planting, that they would be encouraged and strengthened.*

Wednesday 31 July

- **Edwin & Anne Kibathi, global mission workers, UK |** *Pray for Edwin & Anne to be sustained & encouraged as they work together to support the members and families connected with PCEA UK Outreach who are grieving or hurting at this time.*
- **PAK Mission Society (PMS), Pakistan |** *Give thanks for the work of Rev Dr Maqsood Kamil, PMS Strategic Advisor, and pray for the expansion of the programme that seeks the spiritual, personal and professional development of young pastors.*

Thursday 1 August

- **Tullamore |** *Pray for Rev William Hayes and the congregation of Tullamore. Give thanks for their continued witness in that area.*
- **Sally Moore, community outreach worker, Second Randalstown |** *Pray for the holiday Bible club starting on 5 August, specifically for the weather to enable use of outside space. Pray for the leaders as they prepare to lead the week, and for the children who would attend – that they might open their hearts to God. Pray that opportunities might arise for leaders to make connections with parents.*

Friday 2 August

- **Council for Social Witness (CSW) |** *Pray for the Personnel Department who continue to support managers in CSW in staffing each of the services with people who have the right skills & experience for each role. Pray that the right candidates will come forward & that the selection panels will have the wisdom & discernment to know God's will in making decisions.*
- **Looked after children |** *Pray for children and young people who are in residential care, often as the result of adverse childhood experiences. Pray that they would be able to receive the right professional and personal support to help them flourish and thrive.*

Saturday 3 August

- **General Council |** *Pray for the staff of Assembly Buildings, many of whom are taking leave this month and next – that they might have a chance for rest and refreshment ahead of the new phase of activities starting in September.*
- **Training in Ministry |** *Pray for Rev Andrew Faulkner, minister of Sloan Street, Lisburn, as convener of the Council for Training in Ministry, and Rev Eddie Chestnutt, minister of Harryville, as convener of the Ministerial Studies and Development Committee. Pray that the Lord would give energy, vision, and wisdom.*