## **GREAT BRITAIN & IRELAND NETWORK OF PRAYER**





**WEEK OF 30 JUNE 2024** 

PLEASE JOIN WEDNESDAY MORNING NATIONAL PRAYER FROM 6-7 A.M. Zoom: Meeting ID: 810 1615 4628 Passcode: prayer

GENERAL CONFERENCE PRAYER & FASTING BEGINS 24 JUNE. See the calendar for the day your church is to fast and pray.



#### **PRAISE REPORTS:**

Sunderland reports 9 baptisms.

One filled in Glasgow and services starting in a hall in Hamilton.

The Isle of Man had a blessed anniversary weekend.

The London and South Youth report a great conference.

Thank God for His abundant blessings on the conference sponsored by the Clapham Church this past weekend. Five children received the Holy Ghost.

# TARGET CITY FOR PRAYER: YORK

#### THANK GOD FOR THE WORK THAT HAS BEEN STARTED IN THIS CITY. MAY IT GO FROM STRENGTH TO STRENGTH!

May we never fail to lift up in prayer those in our churches who are suffering from long term illness. We thank God for His sustaining grace and that these folks have kept the faith . . . through it all. May God give His continued grace and strength. Always keep Bro. Daniel Ogle and Bro. Anthony Frater in prayer and others that you know of. Pray for Bro. Anthony Banton's health.

Continue to pray for cancer healing for Sis. Maria Strickland, Sis. McFarland and Sis. Toni from Sunderland. They all need a miracle! Also, pray for strength and a healing touch for Sis. Marcia Norman. Sis. McFarland is to have surgery, 3 July.

Pray for special missions outreaches this month in Portsmouth and Wrexham.

Keep praying for the upcoming General Conference.



INTERNATIONAL REQUESTS Visit: European Prayer Force on Facebook and emeprayer.com

PRAISE REPORT: The recent Baltic Conference was very blessed of the Lord. One was baptised at the conference.

Pray for Sis. Bethany Sledge, missionary to Germany, who will have surgery Friday, 5 July.

Pray for James McCauley (Tammy Miller's husband), who is recovering from a heart attack.

Pray for the upcoming "Because of the Times" Conference in Barcelona. It is requested that fasting and prayer take place on Tuesdays for this.

Pray for the European Youth Congress, also being held in Barcelona this month.



Praying for a different nation in Europe each day. Go to European Prayer Force on Facebook and Instagram.



Register for the prayer summit on Facebook: European Prayer Force

Please send your prayer requests and praise reports to <a href="https://www.rkelley608@aol.com">rkelley608@aol.com</a>





## Prayer Target City: York

### Population: 141,685 (2021)

#### County: North Yorkshire

**York:** A cathedral city with origins from Roman times, York is the County Town of Yorkshire, and situated at the confluence of rivers Ouse and Foss.

Founded in 71 AD, it was the capital of Britannia Inferior, and later Kingdoms of Deria, Northumbria, and Scandinavian York, today it is famed for its remaining city walls, historic Castle, and beautiful Minster.

**History:** York passed from Kingdom to Kingdom throughout history and was a significant battle point for the English conquest of Viking rule, a fortified city both spiritually and naturally, we want to claim York as a stronghold for Christ in the North of England.

Holding city status from the third century, York has held influence across the region since its beginning as a small Roman occupied territory, with spiritual and scholastic influence as early as 672, when the first Minster was built, second only to London in the Middle Ages.

It seems that due to this influence, York has been often targeted by invading forces, including as recently as the Second World War, when the Baedeker Blitz bombed the city.

**Religion:** Sadly York has a bloody religious history, with records of somewhere between 150-500 Jews being massacred in 1190 at York Castle, its population also suffered greatly as a result of Henry VIII's dissolution of the monasteries.

With Kings and Kingdoms notably passing away, it was the Clergy that has held the most dominant influence in York across Centuries. We pray that God will reveal Himself to those who are earnestly seeking Him, and that His truth will be preached in York Minster.

It is no wonder with such chaotic religious history that York holds one of the highest percentages in England of "No Religious Beliefs," at 46%, with a comparatively close 43% identifying as Christian, and a smattering of Islam, Hindu, Buddhist and Jewish communities.

We are grateful for the Apostolic witness God is raising up in York against all opposition and we pray God will flood this city with the power of the Holy Ghost.

Nearest UPC work: Leeds

#### Prayer points:

For labourers. To transition from a preaching point into a fully-fledged church