



Keswick

Convention 2022



Prayer at the 2022 Keswick Convention

Wednesday 27th July 2022



Grateful, that...

The Gospel is for the World



Mark 14:32–35

And they went to a place called Gethsemane. And he said to his disciples, “Sit here while I pray.” And he took with him Peter and James and John, and began to be greatly distressed and troubled.

And he said to them, “My soul is very sorrowful, even to death. Remain here and watch.” And going a little farther, he fell on the ground and prayed that, if it were possible, the hour might pass from him.



Mark 14:36–38

And he said, “Abba, Father, all things are possible for you. Remove this cup from me. Yet not what I will, but what you will.”

And he came and found them sleeping, and he said to Peter, “Simon, are you asleep? Could you not watch one hour? Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation. The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.”





1. Praying for the World



Praying for World Mission



- Mission mobilisation in UK churches is at a very low ebb:
 - Most UK, European, North American and Australian Bible Colleges have a minuscule number of undergraduate level students planning on starting in Sept 2022
 - A problem both for Bible Colleges and for the future of Church
- Pray for boldness in local church mobilisation:
 - that people hear God's call on their lives and are sent into missional life and work locally and globally



Nigeria



- Kidnapped Christian girls are still held captive after more than five years
- Leah Sharibu [19 years old]
 - refused to recant her faith, has been forced to bear children and remains captive
 - Pray for her parents and siblings and friends who long for her release
 - Pray for reintegration when she is eventually returned home



Further prayer for Africa

- War, ethnic conflict, language conflict
 - this affects east DR Congo, Ethiopia, NW Cameroon, Mozambique, CAR, Northern Nigeria, South Sudan
- Kidnapping and killing of Christians
 - in Nigeria, Niger, CAR, Mali, Sudan
- Poverty and starvation
 - in northern Ethiopia, Zimbabwe etc. partly caused by the war in Ukraine





2. Praying for the Convention



Today's Programme [1]

- Bible Reading:
 - Jeremy McQuoid, Ephesians 2:11-22, Grateful for Unity
- Evening Celebration:
 - Richard Coekin, Psalm 67, God's blessing of His people and the whole world (Mission Night)
- Keswick Lecture :
 - Krish Kandiah, The Daniel Calling



Today's Programme [2]

- Keswick for Kids (K4K):
 - 3-4s, 4-5s, 6-7s and 8-11s, morning sessions
- Keswick Youth:
 - 11-13s, 14-16 and 17-18s, morning and evening sessions
- 19-24s:
 - Morning and late-night sessions





3. Praying for One Another



Praying for One Another

- For those who hear God's call to service, including full time service
- For those who serve us in B&B's, restaurants and in many other ways in Keswick
- For the Keswick Ministries team, for strength and grace.
- For any whose needs you know





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