

Prayer Points

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Week 1: Your Local Constituency

Sun 12th
April

Lord, we pray that Christians living in this constituency will be a witness to their neighbours during this election season. Amen.

Mon 13th

Remember in your prayers as many as possible of the local wards in your constituency by name.

Tues 14th

Pray for local council staff responsible for all the Polling Day arrangements.

Wed 15th

Ask God to grant wisdom, unity and vision to local churches as they plan hustings events.

Thurs 16th

Pray that hustings events will be well attended and that candidates will be impacted by the views of local Christians.

Fri 17th

Pray for wisdom and God's guidance as you consider who to vote for.

Sat 18th

Pray for the safety of volunteers canvassing, delivering leaflets and campaigning in public places.

Week 2: Political Parties & Policy Issues

Sun 19th
April

Almighty God, may the issues that are raised during this election campaign be those that are on Your heart. Amen.

Mon 20th

Pray that Party leaders will be able to present their beliefs and proposals clearly in debates on radio, television and online.

Tues 21st

Pray for the safety and welfare of party leaders and other politicians as they make their final campaign visits round the country.

Wed 22nd

Remember the candidates standing in your constituency, asking God to bless and guide them.

Thurs 23rd

Thank God that issues of marriage, the sanctity of human life and religious freedoms currently have a high profile.

Fri 24th

Pray that all the political parties consider how the UK can become a fairer and more compassionate society.

Sat 25th

Remember the smaller political parties and independent candidates, as they try to compete with the major players. Ask God to restrain those who hold extreme or offensive views.



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Week 3: The Media

Sun 26th
April

Lord of all truth and light, we pray that those involved in reporting during this election campaign communicate in unbiased and accurate ways. Amen.

Mon 27th

Pray for national and local newspaper editors to be discerning and fair during the campaign.

Tues 28th

Pray about the influence of 'new media' on the electorate; that blogs and other online communications will be used responsibly.

Wed 29th

Remember producers and editors of news and current affairs programmes on radio, television and the Internet.

Thurs 30th

Pray that party political broadcasts and high profile debates between leaders will prove to be an effective tool to motivate people to vote.

Fri 1st May

Pray for those in national and local political party offices preparing press releases, interviews and publicity about their campaigns.

Sat 2nd

Ask God to grant wisdom and opportunities to Christian organisations, publishers and churches engaging in public debate about important moral and social issues through local and national media.



Week 4: Party Leaders & Candidates

Sun 3rd
May

Heavenly Father, we commit to You every candidate standing for election, their families and their supporters. Amen.

Mon 4th

Pray that Party leaders will be able to present their beliefs and proposals clearly in debates on radio, television and online.

Tues 5th

Pray for the safety and welfare of party leaders and other politicians as they make their final campaign visits round the country.

Wed 6th

Remember the candidates standing in your constituency, asking God to bless and guide them.

Thurs 7th

ELECTION DAY
Lord, let your will be done today. May your grace and mercy be upon our nation.

Fri 8th

After the Election
Pray for those throughout the UK responsible for counting votes and declaring results.

Sat 9th

Remember all who have worked so tirelessly, that they will find time to rest.

Week 5: After the Election

Sun 10th
May

Almighty God, please give wisdom and understanding to our Queen as she invites the new Prime Minister to form her new Government. Amen

Mon 11th

Pray that every new MP would realise their need of God's guidance and strength.

Tues 12th

Remember parliamentary staff members whose MPs were not elected, as they wind up their jobs and clear their offices.

Wed 13th

Pray for the Prime Minister as he decides who to appoint to the Cabinet and other government posts.

Thurs 14th

Pray for members of the security and administrative staff at the House of Commons, as they get to know the hundreds of new MPs.

Fri 15th

Ask God to encourage former MPs who have now lost their seats, as they consider the next phase of their lives.

Sat 16th

Give thanks to God for all He has done in our nation over the last few weeks. Pray that He will equip the new Prime Minister and his Government as they begin their term of office.



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