

- Tue 23rd Pray for three school conferences today – a President for a Day Experience at Chantry High School, Ipswich; Ethics in an Age of Science at Culcheth High School, Warrington; and That's a Good Argument at Ysgol Tregib, Llandeilo.
- Wed 24th Give thanks for the many subscribers to RE Lessons Online, particularly those who continue to subscribe year after year. Pray for teachers to find time to respond to our subscribers' survey, and for wisdom as we analyse the results and look for ways of improving the effectiveness of this resource.
- Thurs 25th Pray for President for a Day Experiences happening today (at Cowbridge Comprehensive, Vale of Glamorgan) and tomorrow (at Fullbrook School, Addlestone), and an Ethics in an Age of Science conference happening today at the Henrietta Barnet School in London.
- Fri 26th Please pray for Tony Watkins and Tom Price working on developing the Culturewatch Course – a film-based discussion course intended as a gentle introduction into asking questions about meaning and spirituality. They are working in preparation for the official launch later this year.
- Sat 27th Pray for Peter Williams as he continues to work on the second edition of his book *I Wish I Could Believe In Meaning*.
- Sun 28th Give thanks for our partners in Damaris Norway. Please pray for the development of their websites Snakk Om Tro (their version of Tools For Talks), Kulturvinduet (Culturewatch in Norwegian) and KrdOnline (providing resources for schools).
- Mon 29th Please pray for the technical rehearsal happening this afternoon for the Global Student Forum (tomorrow). Pray for all difficulties to be solved swiftly. Pray also for students travelling to the conference early tomorrow morning.
- Tue 30th Please pray for the Global Student Forum national sixth form conference today. This year the theme is child mortality – why is that millions of children die of preventable causes before their fifth birthday? Pray that the 10 students who attend from each partner school would be inspired and informed about the issues, and would return to their schools enthusiastic about being peer educators.

Then King David went in and sat before the LORD, and he said:

"Who am I, LORD God, and what is my family, that you have brought me this far? And as if this were not enough in your sight, my God, you have spoken about the future of the house of your servant. You, LORD God, have looked on me as though I were the most exalted of men.

"What more can David say to you for honouring your servant? For you know your servant, LORD. For the sake of your servant and according to your will, you have done this great thing and made known all these great promises."

1 Chronicles 17: 16-19



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The majority of the feedback from users of the prayer diary is that they prefer me to put prayer requests on the same date that the event is happening, so I'm moving back to this system. Thanks to all who have given me feedback on this issue!

- Mon 1st Pray for various members of the Damaris office team, working to finalise our resources in support of the film *Last Chance Harvey*. Pray for efficiency and attention to detail in the final week of preparing and publishing this material. Pray also for the final management group meeting for the Global Student Forum 2009, happening today.
- Tue 2nd Give thanks for Richard Blakely, joining us three days a week as an intern over the summer. Pray that he will settle in quickly and get into the swing of writing good material for Culturewatch.
- Wed 3rd Carol Pollard has recently had laser eye surgery – please pray for her full and swift recovery.
- Thurs 4th Pray for two President for a Day Experiences being run by the Stromme Foundation in Norway, tomorrow and Monday, both at Kristen Videregaaende Skole in Oslo.
- Fri 5th The film *Last Chance Harvey* is released today. Pray for a large number of churches to use our resources for a guest event, based on a trip to see the film. Pray that it will be an effective means of building relationships and encouraging people further into the activities of churches.

Sat 6 th	Pray for Tony Watkins working on ideas for new books. Pray for guidance and wisdom in making the right decisions – for both Tony and potential publishers.	Mon 15 th	Please pray for Tony Watkins' weekly UCB UK radio slot in which he talks about new film releases. Pray that it would be useful to listeners and now also to people who download the podcast (available at www.damaris.org/podcasts under the Culturewatch heading).
Sun 7 th	Nick Pollard is attending the Churches Media Council Conference over the next three days, meeting people from the UK national and regional media. Pray he would make good contacts and that Damaris would come to the attention of more people in the media.	Tue 16 th	Pray for Steve Couch as he writes, edits and publishes new material for Assemblies Online (Secondary) each week. Pray for continued inspiration and creativity, and that our assemblies will continue to be enjoyable and helpful for students and teachers alike. Give thanks for all the schools that currently use our material, and pray for a steady increase in subscription numbers.
Mon 8 th	Pray for Peter Williams teaching about cultural apologetics at the Oxford Centre for Christian Apologetics today.	Wed 17 th	Pray for the quarterly meeting of the Damaris trustees with Nick and Carol Pollard, this morning at the Damaris office.
Tue 9 th	Ian Hamlin is presenting the President for a Day Experience at Rydens School in Surrey today.	Wed 17 th	Pray for President for a Day Experiences happening today (at Heart of England School, Coventry) and on Friday (at Milford Haven School in Pembrokeshire).
Wed 10 th	Please pray for the preparations for the Global Student Forum national sixth form conference, on 30 th June – particularly for our partners completing everything required, Nick and Carol Pollard finalising the script and Brian Leask dealing with last-minute bookings. Pray that we would have a full house on the day!	Thurs 18 th	Give thanks for the many subscribers to Tools for Talks. Pray that the illustrations on this site would inspire and equip many speakers as they seek to communicate the Bible in a way that shows its relevance within contemporary culture. Pray for researcher Nicola Lee as she searches out quotes and film clips with which to update the site each week.
Thurs 11 th	Nick Pollard and Tony Watkins are watching press screening of forthcoming films over the next three days. Pray for wisdom for them as they consider themes in the films and make decisions about which films to talk about in Pollard on Film and Culturewatch TV.	Fri 19 th	Pray that more schools would hear of our conferences and the supplementary resources for them (which we will be releasing in the autumn). Pray that this would lead to increased bookings – particularly of schools booking all three conferences in a year in order to fulfil their statutory RE requirements for sixth form.
Fri 12 th	Pray for the development of supplementary material for our School and College Conferences. Our aim is to make our conferences even more valuable by enabling schools to use them to cover their entire statutory sixth form requirement.	Sat 20 th	Pray for Peter Williams presenting a That's a Good Argument conference today for Cheltenham Ladies' College.
Sat 13 th	Please pray for those working on the deovox project as we adjust to a new schedule. Pray for Richard Collins editing the material in preparation for release on CD. Please pray that all technical difficulties will be overcome and that the final product will be one that reaches many people.	Sun 21 st	Culturewatch continues to grow – over 20,000 people now receive the weekly email. Pray for more growth and for what we produce to be increasingly useful to people, especially people who are not Christians who come to the site.
Sun 14 th	Please pray for the success of grant applications we have made to fund extensions to the Global Student Forum – for the Media Partnership Challenge (enabling three groups of students to make a short film about child mortality) and Regional GSFs (enabling many more young people to learn about global issues).	Mon 22 nd	Pray for our partner Boost.tv, working to reproduce some of our video resources in Spanish and Portuguese, for launch of their website on 13th July.