

- Tue 25th Please pray for the *President for a Day Experience* presenter training day today - particularly for the training on politics (by members of CARE), macro-economics (by Andy Hartropp) and presenting the conference itself (by Jenny Baker). Pray for great communication, keeping to schedule and for the trainees to take everything in. Pray also for Steve Alexander and Carol Pollard as they meet the trainees and deal with administration.
- Wed 26th Give thanks for the many schools who subscribe to *RE Lessons Online*. Pray for students who have used our material and who are preparing for GCSE exams. Pray that as well as helping them academically, our lessons will encourage them to think again about spiritual and moral issues.
- Thurs 27th Tony Watkins is starting a sabbatical today for three months. Pray for a good time of rest and renewal for him, and for a rewarding study of the Old Testament prophets.
- Fri 28th Give thanks for the opportunities young people have through our school conferences to think about spiritual and moral issues and discuss their beliefs with each other. Pray for more conference bookings, particularly for the autumn term. Pray that schools would respond to the publicity that we are doing and book for the first time, as well as schools continuing to rebook year on year.
- Sat 29th Pray for Richard Collins' continuing work on *deovox*. Give thanks for all who listen to the weekly episodes and pray that they would help listeners to apply the message of the Bible to their lives.
- Sun 30th Give thanks for Vicky Thompson who mails out this Prayer Diary each month as well as doing other admin jobs.
- Mon 31st Please pray for Peter Williams' preparation for a debate on 4th June organized by Imperial College Christian Union. Peter will be debating with Dr Peter Cave on the rationality of belief in God.

As Pharaoh approached, the Israelites looked up, and there were the Egyptians, marching after them. They were terrified and cried out to the LORD. They said to Moses, "Was it because there were no graves in Egypt that you brought us to the desert to die? What have you done to us by bringing us out of Egypt? Didn't we say to you in Egypt, 'Leave us alone; let us serve the Egyptians'? It would have been better for us to serve the Egyptians than to die in the desert!"

Moses answered the people, "Do not be afraid. Stand firm and you will see the deliverance the LORD will bring you today. The Egyptians you see today you will never see again. The LORD will fight for you; you need only to be still."

Exodus 14: 10-14



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- Sat 1st Please pray for Peter Williams preparing for his lectures at the European Leadership Forum in Hungary later this month.
- Sun 2nd Give thanks for Richard Baker who we have appointed in the new role of National Co-ordinator for the *Global Student Forum*. Pray for wisdom for Carol Pollard as she puts together all the details for Richard in advance of him starting on 10th May.
- Mon 3rd Please pray for Tony Watkins who is contributing tomorrow to an evening run by Southwell and Nottingham Diocese on the new *Robin Hood* film.
- Tue 4th Give thanks for the applications received to become presenters for our school conference the *President for a Day Experience*. Pray for Jenny Baker, Steve Alexander and David Whitmarsh short-listing applicants today to invite to interview.
- Wed 5th Please pray for Holly Price's work on *Assemblies Online (Primary)*. Pray that she will know how best to enable primary school children to think about moral and spiritual issues.
- Thurs 6th Pray for work on the *Global Student Forum* peer educator DVD, which will be given to sixth formers at the national conference. Many members of the Damaris team are working on it.

Fri 7 th	Pray for the monthly conference call meeting this morning between the Trustees and Nick and Carol. Give thanks for the advice and leadership our Trustees provide and pray for them making wise decisions.	Sun 16 th	Pray for Tony Watkins speaking at Above Bar Church's youth group this morning on science and Christianity.
			Tony is also speaking today and the next two Sundays on apologetics at the Bible School for Above Bar Church, Southampton.
Sat 8 th	Please pray for wisdom as we make decisions about developing the <i>Tools for Talks</i> website to make it even more useful to subscribers.	Mon 17 th	Please pray for Carol Pollard writing her latest <i>Movie Moments</i> column for <i>Women Alive</i> magazine.
Sun 9 th	Pray for David Whitmarsh who is preaching at West End Chapel, Fareham this morning.	Tue 18 th	Tony Watkins is teaching at the Southampton Deanery Chapter Study Day today, reflecting on contemporary culture and how to reach young adults.
Mon 10 th	Richard Baker, National Co-ordinator for the <i>Global Student Forum</i> , starts work today. Please pray for him that he will be able to quickly get to grips with the job and for good communication with Damaris and our partners in the <i>Global Student Forum</i> .	Wed 19 th	Please pray for wisdom for Steve Alexander and David Whitmarsh as they continue to plan how best to publicise Damaris' work to schools, churches and individuals.
Tue 11 th	Today is a team day for Damaris. Pray for the team as we discuss various things, including how we can best help people hear of our work. Give thanks for Vicky and John Thompson hosting us.	Thurs 20 th	Please pray for David Whitmarsh and his wife Alison on annual leave from today.
	Please pray also for a <i>President for a Day Experience</i> today at Bomlo Folk High School, Norway, run by the Stromme Foundation.	Fri 21 st	Give thanks for the teachers who took the time to respond to our online survey about <i>Assemblies Online (Secondary)</i> . Pray for Managing Editor Steve Couch as he examines the results of the survey and looks to make the site an even more valuable resource.
Wed 12 th	Please continue to pray for the <i>Global Student Forum</i> management group (including Nick and Carol Pollard) which is meeting sometime in May to finalise the conference's programme and materials.	Sat 22 nd	Pray for Peter Williams at the European Leadership Forum this next week, lecturing on a variety of topics, including an introduction to apologetics and the new atheism. Pray for energy for a busy schedule and that his lectures would help many people.
Thurs 13 th	Please pray for Tony Watkins and Tom Price filming material about truth for Innovista's <i>Glad You Asked</i> enquirers' course.	Sun 23 rd	Praise God for how the financial needs of Damaris continue to be met each month. We are grateful for all our regular donors and continually thank God for their support.
Fri 14 th	Pray for Carol Pollard filming <i>Movie Moments</i> today on the film <i>Sherlock Holmes</i> . Pray that these free videos would be really helpful to churches and women's groups as discussion starters.	Mon 24 th	Please pray for Holly Price as she sources quotes and clips for <i>Tools for Talks</i> . Pray that they will help speakers to engage with culture and enable listeners to understand the Bible more clearly.
Sat 15 th	Please pray for the work of our partners in Damaris Norway as they seek to help people understand the message of Jesus in the context of their culture.		