



Thank you for praying for and with MCF. We hope this prayer calendar assists you to pray for Defence related issues. The calendar includes international and national prayer concerns and those of MCF groups in Australia and other nations, and other Christian Military Ministries.

‘While He [Jesus] was still speaking to her, messengers arrived from the home of Jairus, the leader of the synagogue. They told him, “Your daughter is dead. There’s no use troubling the Teacher now.” But Jesus overheard them and said to Jairus, “Don’t be afraid. Just have faith.” ’

Matthew 5:35-36 (NLT)

Please send prayer points to the Prayer Coordinator: Dr Daniel Solomon (daniel.solomon3@defence.gov.au)

2 June 24

- † Pray and encourage each other to step out in faith for breakthroughs in their personal lives and in our workplaces. Pray that the MCF will impact our workplaces significantly, with more people attending the MCF meetings each week, healings in the workplace and people coming to Christ through the MCF. Pray for God’s wisdom and guidance in all things.
- † Thank God for the wonderful work of the MCF throughout Defence. MCF’s mission is to promote Christian faith in Defence by;
 - Being a disciple for Christ,
 - Encouraging, supporting and developing Christians in Defence, and
 - Actively supporting the ministry of Christian ADF Chaplains.
- † Thank God for a wonderful Autumn season in Australia. Pray to God for a lovely Winter Australia-wide, with sufficient rain and also plenty of sunny days.

9 June 24

- † Pray for MCF donations as we approach the end of FY 24/25, so MCF can meet its budget. Pray also for MCF finances so that the MCF can reach more areas of Defence with the Word of God. A donation of just \$50 or \$100 will help significantly. Donations can be made at <https://mcf-a.org.au/donate/>. The MCF is entirely funded by free-will and tax-deductible donations. All donations to the MCF are tax deductible.
- † Pray for a very successful National Day of Prayer for Defence, which will be held in Canberra on Saturday 15 June (<https://mcf-a.org.au/events/national-day-prayer-defence-2024/>). Pray also for prayer events held in conjunction with the National Day of Prayer for Defence at other places across Australia and beyond.

16 May 24

- † Thank God for all those that have served on HMAS Anzac(III), which was farewelled at HMAS Stirling after 28 years of service. Thank God for the

bravery, service and sacrifice of the ship's company.

† Pray for peace and unity across the world, in particular in trouble spots where lives are being lost daily. Pray for Defence supporting or training in this space.

† Pray for ADF personnel on operations in Australia & overseas (see <https://www.defence.gov.au/defence-activities/operations>). Pray in particular for operations in the Middle East, namely Operation Accordion, Operation Augury, Operation Beech, Operation Manitou and Operation Paladin. Pray also for Operation Resolute in Australia. Pray for the family of ADF personal on operations or exercises.

23 June24

† Thank God and keep praying for the MCF-A leadership, including MAJGEN Sue Graham CSC, CHAP Steve Neuhaus, Julie Jaensch, Darren Thomas, David Coleman, PACHAP Andrew Lewis, LACW Dinusha Perera, MAJ (Ret'd) Geoff Robertson, AC Quan Tran, Dr Daniel Solomon and all others.

Pray that God will give them an abundance of wisdom and faith, as they lead and grow the MCF in FY 24/25.

† Pray for our Christian Military partners, including FOCUS, Navigators, Solid Rock, ACCTS, RSDS, Everymans as well as AMCF, Bible Society and Chaplains.

† Pray for all mid-year postings, with a number of people changing roles especially within DSTG. Help them to find an MCF group and settle well into their new role and location.

30 June 24

† Pray for the National Defence Strategy and implementation of new programs across Defence. Pray for all affected personnel, for God's peace and guidance in their lives.

† Pray for more MCF Centurions, who pray and financially support the work of the MCF, so the MCF can meet its budget and grow in FY 24/25. (See half way down [About Us - Military Christian Fellowship of Australia \(mcf-a.org.au\)](https://www.mcf-a.org.au))

† Thank God for all the wonderful work He has accomplished through the MCF in

FY 23/24. Thank God for the people that have started attending the MCF in the last year, for those that have given their lives to God and for the significant impact the MCF is having in various area in Defence.

MCF PRAYER

Heavenly Father,
we thank you
that the blood of Jesus Christ
cleanses us from all sin.
Bless the service men and women
of all nations
and grant that we who know the joy
of being all one in Christ Jesus
may be filled with your love
and pass it on to others
until His coming again.
Amen