

# Week of Prayer & Fasting

01-08  
JUNE

Dear Church

**We invite you to join a special week of prayer and fasting, starting Sunday, 1 June, as we seek God's wisdom and provision during this season of extraordinary grace and favour.**

We're witnessing remarkable growth - lives, families, and communities are being transformed by the Gospel. Your faithful giving through tithes and offerings has been key in supporting this impact.

The graphs (right) show our planned budget. However, utilities and employment costs are rising sharply, while external funding is becoming increasingly restricted. As a result, we anticipate a greater deficit in the coming months. We're aware that this financial challenge contrasts with the favour and growth we're experiencing in virtually every area of church life. So, we remain confident in God!

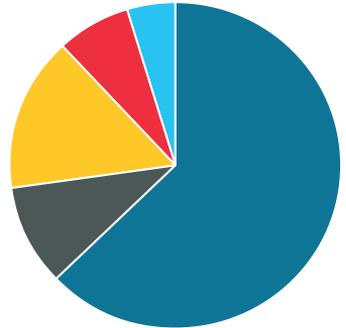
In response, we've been reducing costs, seeking new income, and the Eldership team has been praying and fasting. God led us to 1 Thessalonians 2:17-18, reminding us that obstacles, like these financial ones, can be a form of spiritual warfare and blockage.

That's why we're calling the whole church to unite in prayer and fasting, asking God to bring a financial breakthrough so we can continue His amazing work without holding back.

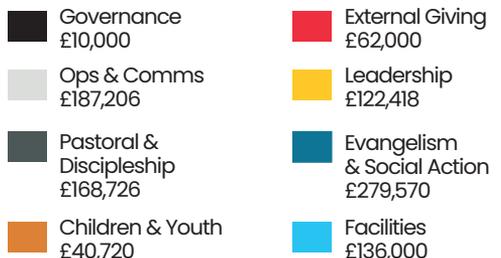
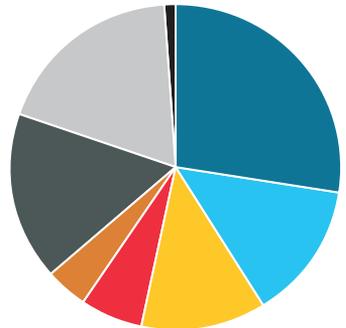
Let's stand together, trusting that God will release all the resources needed for the vision He has given us.

Blessings,  
*Martin*

**Income Budget 2024/25**  
Total  
£982,500



**Expenditure Budget 2024/25**  
Total  
£1,006,640





We've created resources to help you pray and reflect on God's Word—whether on your own, with others, or as part of a group. In the meantime, here's a brief overview of the areas we'll be praying into throughout the week.

## Sunday 1 June

**Thank God for His grace and favour, and pray for the provision to continue this work.**

We'll launch our week of prayer and fasting during both Sunday services and we encourage you to take part in whatever way you can.

## Monday 2 June

**Aligning with God's vision through prayer.**

Begin by seeking God's heart for our church and aligning ourselves with His purposes.

## Tuesday 3 June

**Recognising the battle and standing strong in the Lord.**

Acknowledge the spiritual opposition we face and draw strength from God.

## Wednesday 4 June

**Praying for breakthrough.**

Pray for breakthrough in areas where progress has been hindered, especially financially.

## Thursday 5 June

**Trusting in God's provision.**

Call on God as our provider and place your full trust in His faithfulness.

## Friday 6 June

**Giving generously and growing in faith.**

Pray that as we give, our faith will grow, and others will be inspired to do the same.

## Saturday 7 June

**Advancing the Gospel.**

Focus on the mission – asking God to empower and resource us to continue spreading His Word.

## Sunday 8 June

**Declaring victory and giving thanks.**

We'll end the week of prayer and fasting in praise, declaring victory in faith and thanking God for His abundant favour.

For daily prayer points and more about what fasting is and how to do it safely, scan here or visit [tvcchurch.org.uk/prayer-and-fasting](https://tvcchurch.org.uk/prayer-and-fasting)

