

Praying through the week 4th August 2025

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- ❖ In His love for Ruth, God richly blessed her.....has there been a moment recently when you became aware of God’s rich blessing on you? How does that feel?

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