Prayer Diary

April 2023









1-7 April, we pray for...



Saturday 1 April

As we enter Holy Week, we pray for Jesus to walk with us and show us how to walk with others, Amen.

The Diocese of South Rwenzori - The Church of the Province of Uganda

Sunday 2 April

Palm Sunday - As we commemorate Jesus' entry into Jerusalem, so we pray for the peace of that city and for all people of faith who see it as a spiritual home.

Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan

Monday 3 April

Holy Monday - We pray for our commitment to Grow Disciples Wider. That through this most Holy Week, our parishes and churches reach out to those yet to hear the story of salvation.

The Diocese of Sabah - The Church of the Province of South East Asia

Tuesday 4 April

Holy Tuesday - We pray for commitment to Grow Disciples Younger. Give thanks for the Younger Leaders College. Pray too for our commitment to young people in education.

The Diocese of Sabongidda-Ora – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Bendel Province)

Wednesday 5 April

Holy Wednesday - we pray for commitment to Grow Disciples Deeper. We are invited to join our bishop for the Chrism Eucharist today. Pray for our response as the anointed of God, all Christians in our Diocese.

The Diocese of Saldanha Bay – The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

Thursday 6 April

Maundy Thursday - As we recall the events of the Last Supper, we dedicate ourselves afresh to servant ministry as we follow the example of our Servant King.

The Diocese of Salisbury – The Church of England (Canterbury Province)

Friday 7 April

Good Friday - We stop and adore the sacrifice made by Jesus. Thank you, Lord.

The Diocese of El Salvador – Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America

8-14 April, we pray for...



Saturday 8 April

Holy Saturday - A day of waiting as we remember all those whose life feels like it is 'on hold', whatever the reason.

The Diocese of Sambalpur – The (united) Church of North India

Sunday 9 April

Easter - Christ is Risen! Alleluia!

Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan and we pray for the Peace of Jerusalem

Monday 10 April

Easter Bank Holiday – Pray for the Holy Spirit to bring vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, faith to our lives, hope to our communities, and love to our hearts.

The Diocese of Santiago (in Chile) – Iglesia Anglicana de Chile

Tuesday 11 April

Bassetlaw & Bawtry Deanery

The Diocese of Santiago (in the Philippines) – Philippines

Wednesday 12 April

The Rivers Benefice (Askham, St Nicholas; Dunham-on-Trent, St Oswald; East Drayton, St Peter; East Markham, St John the Baptist; Fledborough, St Gregory; Grove, St Helen; Headon-cum-Upton, St Peter; Laneham, St Peter; Rampton, All Saints; Stokeham, St Peter; Treswell, St John the Baptist) The Diocese of Sapele – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Bendel Province)

Thursday 13 April

The River Idle Benefice (Bawtry, St Nicholas; Austerfield, St Helena; Misson, St John the Baptist; Everton, Holy Trinity; Mattersey, All Saints)

The Diocese of Saskatchewan – The Anglican Church of Canada (Rupert's Land Province)

Friday 14 April

The Idles and Sands, Retford (Babworth, All Saints; Bothamsall, Our Lady & St Peter; Eaton, All Saints; Elkesley, St Giles; Scofton, St John; Sutton-cum-Lound, St Bartholomew; West Drayton, St Paul)

The Diocese of Saskatoon – The Anglican Church of Canada (Rupert's Land Province)

15-22 April, we pray for...



Saturday 15 April

Miserton, All Saints; Beckingham, All Saints; Clayworth, St Peter; Walkeringham, St Mary Magdalene; West Stockwith, St Mary the Blessed Virgin; Gringley-on-the-Hill, St Peter & Paul The Diocese of Sebei – The Church of the Province of Uganda

Sunday 16 April

2nd Sunday of Easter

Blyth, St Mary & St Martin's Priory Church; Scrooby, St Wilfrid; Ranskill, St Barnabas The Anglican Church of Tanzania

Monday 17 April

The Clays Benfice (Bole, St Martin & Saundby; Clarborough, St John the Baptist; Hayton, St Peter; North Leverton with Habblesthorpe, St Martin Anglican/Methodist LEP; North Wheatley with West Burton, St Peter & St Paul Anglican/Methodist LEP; South Leverton, All Saints Anglican/Methodist LEP; Sturton Le Steeple with Littleborough, St Peter & St Paul)

The Diocese of Sekondi – The Church of the Province of West Africa (Ghana Province)

Tuesday 18 April

Carlton-in-Lindrick, St John the Evangelist; Langold, St Luke; Oldcotes, St Mark The Diocese of Seoul – The Anglican Church of Korea

Wednesday 19 April

Worksop Priory of Our Lady & St Cuthbert; Clumber Park, St Mary the Virgin The Diocese of Seychelles – The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean

Thursday 20 April

Harworth & Bircotes, Styrrup and Hesley, All Saints

The Diocese of Sheffield – The Church of England (York Province)

Friday 21 April

Norton Cuckney, St Mary

The Diocese of Shinyanga – The Anglican Church of Tanzania

Saturday 22 April

Ordsall, All Hallows; Retford, St Michael

The Diocese of Upper Shire - The Church of the Province of Central Africa

23-30 April, we pray for...



Sunday 23 April
3rd Sunday of Easter
Retford, St Swithun
The Church of the Province of Uganda

Friday 28 April

Monday 24 April Worksop, Christ Church; Shireoaks, St Luke The Diocese of Shyira – Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda

Tuesday 25 April Worksop, St Anne The Diocese of Shyogwe – Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda

Wednesday 26 April Worksop, St John the Evangelist The Diocese of Sialkot – The (united) Church of Pakistan

Thursday 27 April
Worksop, St Paul
The Diocese of Singapore – The Church of the Province of South East Asia

We pray for those who work in healthcare around our diocese The Diocese of Sittwe – The Church of the Province of Myanmar

Saturday 29 April
We pray for those who work and live in care settings
The Diocese of Sodor & Man – The Church of England (York Province)

Sunday 30 April 4th Sunday of Easter We pray for those who are unable to attend church due to illness The Episcopal Church