



Parish Prayer Diary 2024

Includes the cycles of prayer for the worldwide Anglican Communion, [Chichester Diocesan Intercessions](#) prayers for the work of our church and for those who live and work in the roads, care homes and schools in the parish and all who worship at St Peter's.

May

Wednesday 1st May - Sts Philip and James, Apostles

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Central Ecuador – The Episcopal Church

[Aldingbourne, Barnham and Eastergate](#)

Our licensed ministry team: Rector Arwen Folkes, Associate Vicar Reverend Elizabeth Jinks, Assistant Curate Father Joe Padfield and Reader Kay Blackburn.

Adelaide Close, Albany Road, Alexandra Close, Argent Close*

Thursday 2nd May - Athanasius, 373

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Edinburgh – The Scottish Episcopal Church

[Aldwick St Richard](#)

Our honorary Assistant Clergy: Fr Eric Pollard, Fr John Harrington, Fr Chris Collison.

Audrey Close, Balmoral Close*, Barn Close*, Barn Rise*

Friday 3rd May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Edmonton – The Anglican Church of Canada

[Angmering St Margaret:](#)

Our Churchwardens, Neville Chalkley and Anne Collison
Beach Close, Beacon Close, Beacon Drive, Beacon Road and the residents and staff of Threeways

Saturday 4th May - The English Martyrs

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Saint Edmundsbury and Ipswich – The Church of England

[Arundel with Tortington and South Stoke](#)

Our Treasurer, Chris Reynolds, Secretary, Christine Cooke, Buildings Project Manager, Christa Lindner and all the PCC members

Belgrave Crescent, Belvedere Gardens*, Belgrave Road and the residents and staff of Maldon House

Sunday 5th May - Easter 6

PRAY FOR Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil

Pray the Bishop of Chichester, Dr Martin Warner and his Office: Howard Cattermole; Jeannette Sax, Imogen Robins and Ian Tout.

George Rix, Linda Stratford and the serving sacristy teams

All who steward, clean, help maintain the church and chapel rooms and keep the churchyard and grounds tidy

Berwick Close, Birling Close, Bishops Close, Blatchington Close, Blatchington Hill and the residents and staff of Beachlands

Monday 6th May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Egba – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

[Bognor: St Wilfrid](#)

Our pastoral team, our lay ministers of communion and our telephone 'visitors'

Blatchington Road Bowden Rise, Brooklyn Road, Buckingham Road and the Students and staff of Bowden House School.

Tuesday 7th May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Egba-West – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

[Burpham](#)

For our bible study group and our life of learning as a church

Buckland Close, Carlton Close, Carlton Road, Caroline Close

Wednesday 8th May - Julian of Norwich c1417

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Egbu – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

[Poling](#)

Our life of prayer together, that God may keep us faithful and diligent in prayer

Chalvington Close*, Chapel Close, Charles Close, Chartwell Close, Chichester Close and the residents and staff of Nova House

Thursday 9th May - THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Egypt – The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria

[Clymping and Yapton with Ford](#)

The preaching and teaching we hear in our parish, that it may be true and wise

Chichester Road, Churchill Road, Claremont Road and the residents and staff of Clifden House and Claremont House

Friday 10th May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Eha-Amufu – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

[East Preston with Kingston:](#)

The Love we receive and share with our neighbours, that we may sow peace in Our World

Clementine Avenue, Connaught Road, Coxwell Close*, Cradle Hill Road*, Crown Hill

Saturday 11th May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Ekiti – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

Felpham St Mary

Our charitable offerings, that we will be generous in giving and wise in stewardship

Duchess Drive, Dukes Close, Earls Close, Edinburgh Road

Sunday 12th May -EASTER 7 (SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION)

PRAY for The Anglican Church of Burundi

Pray for the Bishop of Horsham, Ruth Bushyager and Amanda Belcher, her PA.

The communication team of the parish, including our Benefice Administration Assistant Natasha Tansley, Neville Chalkley, Christine Cooke and Roger Bing
Eleanor Close, Esher Close, Firle Close, Firle Drive

Monday 13th May

We pray for the Bishop, clergy and laity of the Diocese of Ekiti Kwara- The Church of Nigeria (Anglican communion)

Littlehampton

Our children, young people and families. For family life and for growth into the Christian faith; for Lighthouse, Little Fishes and our search to recruit for a youth and children's worker.

Firle Grange, Firle Road, Flint Close, Foster Close and the residents and staff of Blatchington Manor.

Tuesday 14th May - Matthias the Apostle

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Ekiti Oke – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

Lyminster and Wick

Our sacramental life, that we may take the presence of God received into the world around us

Friston Close, Glebe Drive, Grand Avenue, Grosvenor Road, Hawth Way, The Holt, Holters Way, Homefield Close

Wednesday 15th May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Ekiti West – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

Middleton

Those who serve their neighbours quietly and lovingly.

Homefield Road, Isabel Close, Jubilee Gardens*, Katherine Way

Thursday 16th May - Caroline Chishom, 1877

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Eldoret – The Anglican Church of Kenya

North Bersted

Those who are struggling to cope with the increasing cost of Living and Employment insecurity: May they Know encouragement and support as they care for their Families

Kedale Road, Kimberly Road, Kings Mead Lane, Kings Ride.

Friday 17th May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Port Elizabeth – The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

Pagham

For those most in need and those unable to ask for our help

Kingsmead, Kingsmead Close, Kingsmead Walk, Kingsmead Way, Kingsway

Saturday 18th May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of El-Obeid – Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan

Rustington

The East Blatchington Mothers' Union and all the good work of the Mothers' Union worldwide

Lexden Court*, Lexden Drive*, Lexden Road, The Lords and all the pupils and staff at Cradle Hill Primary School

Sunday 19th May PENTECOST (Whit Sunday)

PRAY for The Anglican Church of Canada

Pray for the Bishop of Lewes, Will Hazlewood and Nicky Still his PA

Our online congregation, that they may continue to feel part of the worshipping life of our parish

Lower Drive, Lucinda Way, Marine Parade, Mason Road, Monarch Gardens*

Monday 20th May St Alcuin of York, 804

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Ely –The Church of England

Slindon Eartham and Madehurst

Our organist, Coryn Roberts; chief chorister, Eleanor Ferguson, the choir and all who contribute to the musical life of our parish

Morningside Close, Normansal Close*, Normansal Park Avenue*, North Camp Lane, Northfield Close

Tuesday 21st May- Helena, 330

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Embu – The Anglican Church of Kenya

South Bersted

Those who arrange our flowers, Sylvia Aston, Daphne Dempster. Those who arrange our vestments, Linda Stratford. All who contribute to the decorative and creative life in our parish

North Way, Northcliffe Close, Offham Close, Park Road and the residents and staff of Abundant Grace Care Home

Wednesday 22nd May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Enugu – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

Walberton with Binsted

For the fundraising, charity and social life committee, furthering the mission of this parish

The Peverels*, Pinewood Close, Pitt Drive*, Princes Close, Princess Drive

Thursday 23rd May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Enugu North – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

[The Rural Deanery of Chichester and Immanuel \(BMO\)](#)

Those who write, study and research our parish and church life

Quarry Lane*, Queens Park Gardens, Queensway*, Raymond Close*, Regents Close

Friday 24th May - *John & Charles Wesley*

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Esan – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

[Boxgrove](#)

Those who built this church and left us the legacy of her life.

The Ridgeway, The Ridings, Rose Walk, Royal Drive

Saturday 25th May - *Bede, 735; Aldhelm, 709*

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Eswatini – The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

[Chichester St Pancras and St John](#)

Those who sit in our churchyard to reflect, remember and enjoy the birdsong and flowers

St Crispians, St Peter's Close, Salisbury Road

Sunday 26th May - TRINITY SUNDAY

PRAY for The Church of the Province of Central Africa

[Pray for John Preston, the Diocesan Secretary](#)

All the couples who have been married or blessed within these church walls over the years

St Peter's Road and the residents and staff at Barclay House

Monday 27th May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Etche – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

[Chichester St Paul with Westhampnett](#)

All the babies, children and adults who have been baptised at St Peter's and those who have been confirmed here.

Sandringham Close*, Seagrove Way*, Sherwood Rise, Sherwood Road, Sovereign Close*

Tuesday 28th May Lanfranc 1089

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity The Diocese of Etsako – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

[Chichester, St Wilfrid:](#)

All the families who have held the funerals of those they love at St Peters

Station Approach, Surrey Road, Sutton Drove, Tudor Close, Upper Belgrave Road

Wednesday 29th May

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Europe – The Church of England

[Donnington](#)

For the people of the Ukraine, may they retain hope through the Holy Spirit for an end to the war with a just peace.

Upper Sherwood Road, Vale Road, Valley Drive*, Valley Rise.

Thursday 30th May THE BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi)

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Convocation of Episcopal Churches in Europe – The Episcopal Church

[Earnley with East Wittering and Almodington](#)

Pray for former parishioners now living in care homes situated in other parts of Seaford or further away. Those who live outside the parish but worship at St Peters

Victor Close Westdown Road, Whiteway Close, Wilmington Road,

Friday 31st May - *The Visit of the Blessed Virgin Mary to Elizabeth*

We pray for the bishop, clergy and laity of The Diocese of Evo – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

[Lavant](#)

Wilkinson Way and the pupils and staff of Seaford Primary School



Prayers for the Sick

Those who have asked for our prayers:

Brian Adams, Harry Anderson, Tina Bacon Devon Baker, Sheila Berch, Rev'd Richard Buckingham, Jennifer Cartwright, Paul Coles, Joanne Cooke, Alan Dempster, Deanna, Izzy Fletcher, Katie Gould, Annifer Hatcher, Beryl Henley, Rebecca Hitchman, Gwen Huntley, Kayleigh Ivers, John, Jo, Leslie, June Marshall Mike and Gill, Joseph Murphy, Barbara Prendergast, Wendy Preston, Sarah Read, Ian Rothery, Anne Self, Felicity Sirc, Pam Taggart, Carole Tidy, Jean Till, Peter Thompson, Tony, Hilary Warner, Wendy, Pam Wiley, Jessica, Ann Reed, Ann Rix, Ruth, Leo (Mum) and son Felix.