



The Diocese of
Southwark

Vacancy prayer



Christ
Centred

Outward
Focused

Vacancy prayer

*Brothers and sisters, pray for us,
so that the word of the Lord
may spread rapidly and be
glorified everywhere.*

2 Thessalonians 3.1

Let us pray!

God of all times and places,
send us a Bishop who will
lead us faithfully through
days of rejoicing and
nights of challenge,
with prayer and Scripture,
with love and laughter,
with bread and wine.

Send your Holy Spirit to
guide those entrusted with
this process. May they
recognise the person of your
choice, with ears that are open
and hearts that are wise.

Make us thankful for all that
has gone before, ready and
hopeful for all that lies ahead,
led by a Bishop whose ministry
is a blessing to everyone in
Southwark Diocese, as we hear
the good news of Jesus and
delight in the love of God.

Amen

