



Diocesan Prayer Calendar

March 2024

People in Zimbabwe pray daily for us. Let us also pray for them daily. Pray for the people suffering hardship and hunger in Zimbabwe, and for our Link Dioceses: Bishop Ignatios in Central Zimbabwe, Bishop Erick in Manicaland, Bishop Cleophas in Matabeleland and Bishop Osiward in Masvingo; their clergy and people.

God Bless Zimbabwe, protect her children, transform her leaders, heal her communities and grant her peace, for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen

1 - 10 March

West Lewisham Deanery

Straddling the border between urban priority areas and suburbia, West Lewisham Deanery needs your prayers as it learns to work together better to make effective use of all its resources.

1 March

World Day of Prayer

West Lewisham Deanery

Jim Perry (Area Dean)
David Vyvyan (Assistant Area Dean)
Vacancy (Lay Chair)

Pray for the bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Christ the King, The Anglican Church of Southern Africa.

2 March

St Saviour, Brockley Hill

David Vyvyan (Vicar)
Elizabeth Bogle (PTO)
Kathleen Knight (Reader)
Sandie Avenell (SPA)

Pray for the bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Christchurch, The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia.

3 March

3rd Sunday of Lent

St Hilda w St Cyprian, Crofton Park

Stuart Bates (Vicar)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of The Church of the Province of Uganda.

4 March

Forest Hill Team Ministry

Richard Lane (Team Rector)
Ray Turpin (PTO)
Morwenna Orton (Reader) (PTO)

Pray for Bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Chubu, The Nippon Sei Ko Kai.

5 March

Forest Hill Team Ministry

St Michael & All Angels, Lower Sydenham

Ifeyanyi Chukuka (Team Vicar)

St George, Perry Hill

St George's CE Primary School
St Michael's Primary School

Pray for the bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese Clogher, The Church of Ireland.

6 March

All Saints, Sydenham

Philip Smith (Priest in Charge)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese on the Coast, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion).

7 March

Holy Trinity, Sydenham & Forest Hill

Benjamin Strain (Vicar)

Valerie Shirley (PTO)

Holy Trinity Primary School

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Cochin The Church of South India (United).

8 March

St Augustine of Canterbury, Honor Oak Park

Vacancy (Priest in Church)

Michael Brooks (Assistant Priest)

Pray for the bishops, priests, deacons and people of Coimbatore, The Church of South India (United).

9 March

St Bartholomew, Sydenham

Jim Perry (Vicar and Area Dean)

St Bartholomew's Primary School, Sydenham

St Christopher's Hospice, Sydenham: Andrew Godhead (Spiritual Lead and Methodist Minister); Sam Whittington (Chaplain)

Pray for the bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Colombia, The Episcopal Church.

10 March

4th Sunday of Lent

Mothering Sunday

St Philip the Apostle, Sydenham

Chika Nduku (Vicar)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of The Episcopal Church.

11 - 20 March

Camberwell Deanery

Camberwell is an urban priority deanery, very culturally diverse and enjoying this diversity.

11 March

Camberwell Deanery

Sandra Schloss (Area Dean)

Sonia Phippard (Lay Chair)

Pray for the bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Colombo, The Church of Ceylon (Extra Provincial).

12 March

All Saints, Peckham

Gregory Cushing (Vicar)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of The Diocese of Colorado, The Episcopal Church.

13 March

Christ Church, Camberwell

Vacancy (Vicar)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Congo Brazzaville, Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo.

14 March

St George, Camberwell

Sarah Dawson (Vicar)

Anne Stevens (Associate Priest)

St George's CofE School

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Connecticut, The Episcopal Church.

15 March

St Giles w St Matthew, Camberwell

Nicholas George (Vicar)

Stanley Njoka (Minister in Charge)

St Giles Trust for the Homeless

Pray for the bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Connor, The Church of Ireland.

16 March

St Luke, Camberwell

Sandra Schloss (Vicar and Area Dean)

Collins Durueke (Assistant Priest)

Joanna Lewis Burgess (Assistant Curate)

Yemi Ojumu (SPA)

Pray for Bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Cork, Cloyne and Ross, The Church of Ireland.

17 March

5th Sunday of Lent

St Patrick's Day

St Antony w St Silas, Nunhead

Dele Ogunyemi (Vicar)

Moses Shonga (Assistant Priest)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Church in Wales.

18 March

St John w St Andrew, Peckham

Emmanuel Adeloje (Vicar)

Rosemary Hill (Reader) (PTO)

Althea Smith (SPA)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Costa Rica, Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America.

19 March

St Mary Magdalene, Peckham

Vacancy (Vicar)

Sonia Phippard (Reader)

St Mary Magdalene CE Primary School, Peckham

Pray for the bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of The Diocese of Coventry.

20 March

Work with unemployed people in Peckham and the work of PECAN

King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust: Alfred Bunyan (Head of Chaplaincy); George Ochola (Chaplain)
South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust: Cameron Langlands (Church of Scotland) (Lead Chaplain)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Cuba, The Episcopal Church.

21-31 March

Deptford Deanery

Working together in mission and ministry in South East London.

21 March

Deptford Deanery

Anne Bennett (Area Dean)

Grant Bolton-Debbage (Assistant Area Dean)

Colin Plant (Lay Chair)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Cueibet, Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan.

22 March

St Nicholas & St Luke, Deptford

Vacancy (Vicar)

Jennifer Morgan (SPA)

Evelyn 190 Centre, offering carer benefits and legal services.

Pray for Bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Cuernavaca, La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico.

23 March

S. Paul's, Deptford

Paul Butler (Rector)

Serving the multiply-diverse inner-city community of Deptford since 1730.

Celebrating life and justice amidst the struggles with poverty and gentrification.

The Divine Office and Holy Mass are celebrated daily in church (except on Monday).

Pray for Bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Cuttack, The Church of North India (United).

24 March

Palm Sunday

St Peter, Brockley

Benjamin Jones (Vicar)

Chris Gaul (Pioneer Assistant Curate)

Joel Soares (Pioneer Assistant Curate)

Dom Toms (Assistant Curate)

Sylvia Richards (SPA)

Carol Smith (SPA)

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of The Church of the Province of West Africa.

25 March

St Catherine, Hatcham

Vacancy (Vicar)

Jane Elliott (Assistant Priest)

Lesley Marshall (Reader)

Haberdasher's Aske's College:
Telegraph Hill Centre

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Cyangugu, Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda.

26 March

St James & St George, Hatcham

Kingsley Akwasi-Yeboah (Vicar)

St James' Church of England School

Goldsmith's University of London: Ann

Clark (Chaplain)

The Church Lads' Brigade

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of The Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf, The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem and The Middle East.

27 March

St Michael, Hatcham

St Michael's Community Centre
Partnership with URC and the Reverend John Grundy

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Daejeon, The Anglican Church of Korea.

28 March

Maunday Thursday

All Saints, HatchamPark

Grant Bolton-Debbage (Vicar)
John Francis (Assistant Priest)
Angus Galbraith (PTO)

Nigerian Anglican Chaplaincy: Ven Joseph Ajaefobi (Leader)

Millwall Football Club: central to the ecumenical life of this church and the community

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of North Dakota, The Episcopal Church.

29 March

Good Friday

St John's with Holy Trinity, Deptford St John's

Christopher Hanning (Priest in Church)
Olunike Keshiro (Reader) (PTO)
Abigail Adetayo (PTO)

Pray for Bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of South Dakota, The Episcopal Church.

30 March

Holy Saturday

St John w Holy Trinity, Deptford Holy Trinity Centre

Quaggy Development Trust
Lewisham Churches Foodbank for Refugees (LewCAS)
Lewisham College

Pray for bishops, priests, deacons & people of the Diocese of Dallas The Episcopal Church

31 March

Easter Sunday

The Ascension, Blackheath

Anne Bennett (Team Vicar & Area Dean)

ESOL Classes
Wash House Youth Project
All Saints CofE School

Pray for the bishops, priests, deacons and people of The Church in the Province of the West Indies.

Notes on the Prayer Calendar

We do our best to make sure that all the information in this Prayer Calendar is accurate - however, we sometimes make mistakes, and we're really sorry for that.

For questions about the design and distribution of the Calendar, please email the Communications Team via communications@southwark.anglican.org

General comments and enquiries about entries should be addressed to Penny Lotheadat via pl@southwark.anglican.org