Diocesan Prayer Calendar

**February 2025**

**1 February**

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*

**Bermondsey & Rotherhithe Deanery**

Charles Moore (Area Dean) Ruth Reid (Lay Chair)

Adrian Greenwood (Reader)(PTO)

# 1 - 8 February Bermondsey

**& Rotherhithe Deanery**

Bermondsey & Rotherhithe is a small Deanery of seven Anglican parishes and two Nordic Lutheran churches with which the team works cordially under the Porvoo Agreement.

At the northernmost edge of the Diocese on the River Thames bordering the Diocese of London, it is an area of population growth and vitality with diverse groups of people, both socially and economically.

All are welcome and represented in the churches as they live the Gospel in their streets, schools and communities.

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

**2 February**

**Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas)**

**St James & St Anne Bermondsey (United Benefice)**

**St Anne w St Augustine, Bermondsey**

Katie Kelly (Vicar)

Penny Molyneux (Reader)(PTO)

**St James w Christ Church & St Crispin, Bermondsey**

The Salmon Centre

St James Primary School

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

**3 February**

**St Katharine w St Bartholomew, Bermondsey**

Egerton Gbonda (Vicar)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of London.



**Christ Centred | Outward Focused**

**4 February**

**St Mary Magdalen w St Olave, St John & St Luke, Bermondsey**

Charles Moore (Rector)

Peter Welby (Assitant Curate) Mark Fyffe (London City Missioner)

Boutcher CofE Primary School Estates Outreach – Southwark World Cancer Day

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Long Island, The Episcopal Church.

**5 February**

**St Philip & St Mark, Camberwell** Helen Harknett (Priest-in-Charge) Ejovwokoghene Ibuno (Assistant Curate)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Los Angeles The Episcopal Church.

**6 February**

**Holy Trinity, Rotherhithe** Andrew Doyle (Vicar) Samantha Pillin (Reader)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Louisiana, The Episcopal Church.

**7 February**

**St Mary w All Saints, Rotherhithe**

Mark Nicholls (Rector)

Peter Hills’s with St Mary and St Paul’s CofE Primary School

The Bede Centre

Bacon’s College (Mixed) Church of England

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Western Louisiana, The Episcopal Church.

**8 February**

**The Norwegian Church & Seamen’s Mission**

Dag Magnus Hopstock Havgar (Rector & Senior Chaplain)

Finnish Church (Seamen’s Mission) Marjaana Härkönen (Rector)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of Luapula, The Church of the Province of Central Africa.

# 9 - 17 February Charlton Deanery

Charlton is a Deanery with a clear geographic cohesion yet wide social diversity – containing the exciting riverside development regions of Greenwich & Woolwich and the new Kidbrooke Village.

**9 February**

**Fifth Sunday of Epiphany Pray for Charlton Deanery** Simon Winn (Area Dean)

Laura Faturoti (Assistant Area Dean) Liz Newman (Assistant Area Dean) Wendy Foreman (Lay Chair)

Lewisham & Greenwich NHS Trust: Steve Thomas (Trust Chaplain and Team Leader)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of The Anglican Church of Australia.

**10 February General Synod**

(*Meeting at Church House Westminster from today until 14 February)*

Pray for our Diocesan representatives: House of Clergy: Bishop Christopher, Aneal Appadoo, Charlie Bell, Mae Christie, Nicholas Lebey, Jonathan Macy, Andrew Moughtin-Mumby, Jago Wynne, Anna Norman-Walker, Sandra Schloss.

House of Laity: Helen Ainsworth, Rebecca Chapman, Adrian Greenwood, Matthew Parkes, Alianore Smith, Paul Waddell, Rosemary Wilson, Carl Hughes, Marsha de Cordova.

**St John the Evangelist, Blackheath**

Edward Scrase-Field (Vicar)

Andrew Beswetherick (Assistant Priest) Rosie Medhurst (Reader) (PTO)

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

**11 February**

**St Michael & All Angels, Blackheath Park**

Trevor Kemp (Vicar)

John Clark (Reader) (PTO) Carolyn Watkins (SPA)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Lui, Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan.

**12 February**

**Charlton (United Benefice)**

**St Luke w Holy Trinity, Charlton and St Thomas, Old Charlton**

Liz Newman (Rector)

Owen Morgan (Assistant Curate) Roberta Bassah (SPA)

Miriam Kakembo (SPA) Sheila Kinsella (SPA)

Patricia Nielsen (Children, Youth and Family minister)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of the Diocese of Lusaka, The Church of the Province of Central Africa.

**13 February**

**East Greenwich Team Ministry**

John Pout (Team Rector) Laura Faturoti (Team Vicar) Vacancy (Team Vicar)

Dominic Hubbuck (Assistant Priest) Cynthia Finnerty (PTO)

Barbara Moss (PTO) Julie Mason (Reader)

**Christ Church, St Andrew and St Michael, East Greenwich**

Robert Hornby (Reader)

**St George, Westcombe Park**

**Holy Trinity, Greenwich Peninsula**

Koinonia Federation of St Mary Magdalene

CE School and Christ Church CE Primary School

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of The Lusitanian Church, (Extra Provincial)

**14 February**

**St Alfege, Greenwich**

Simon Winn (Vicar)

Stephen Kamegeri (Assistant Priest) Tatiana Gutteridge (Assistant Curate) Robert Tobin (Assistant Curate)

Mark Hatcher (PTO)

Peter Kinnison (Reader)

Richard Mash (Reader) Carole Moses (CPLM)

**Lugandan Congregation** (BMO) **Old Royal Naval College Chapel** Robert Tobin (Chaplain)

Faith Wakeling (Assitant Chaplain) Susan Blackall (PTO)

**Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance, University of Greenwich and Greenwich Foundation**

Robert Tobin (Chaplain)

**Grace Church Greenwich** (BMO)

Andrew Latimer (Minister) Andrew Sach (Minister)

St Alfege w St Peter’s CofE School

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Luwero, The Church of the Province of Uganda.

**15 Febuary**

**St Nicholas, Kidbrooke**

Tola Badejo (Priest in Charge)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Northern Luzon, The Episcopal Church in the Philippines.

**16 February**

**6th Sunday of Epiphany St James, Kidbrooke** Ben Jones (Vicar)

Dominic Toms (Assistant Curate)

**Morden College**

Alex Russell (Chaplain) and the retired clergy resident in the College

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of The Church of Bangladesh.

**17 February**

**St Mary Magdalene w St Michael & All Angels, Woolwich**

Jesse van der Valk (Rector)

St Mary Magdalene CE Primary School, Woolwich

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Lweru, The Anglican Church of Tanzania.

# 18 - 27 February

**Eltham & Mottingham Deanery** Eltham & Mottingham is an urban/suburban medley, including several council estates in deceptively green surroundings, crisscrossed by major roads and railway lines, with highly transitional and increasingly multicultural communities. It is situated mainly in the borough of Greenwich, but with pockets in Lewisham, Bromley and Bexleyheath.

**18 February**

**1st Sunday of Lent**

**Eltham and Mottingham Deanery**

Annette Rose (Area Dean)

Caroline Risdon (Assistant Area Dean) Elaine McNaughton (Lay Chair)

John Francis Friendship (PTO) Christine Latham (PTO)

Peter Charles (Deanery Reader)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of Missionary Area of Macau, Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui.

**19 February**

**Holy Trinity, Eltham**

**V**acancy (Vicar)

Karen Wood (CPLM-SPA)

**University of Greenwich (Avery Hill)**

## Steve Cook (Chaplain) (P/T)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of The Diocese of Machakos, The Anglican Church of Kenya.

**20 February**

**Eltham North Group Ministry St Barnabas, Eltham**

Steve Cook (Vicar)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of The Diocese of Maciene, Igreja Anglicana de Mocambique e Angola.

**21 February**

**Eltham North Group Ministry**

St Luke, Eltham Park Juliet Evans (Vicar) Patrick Shorrock (Reader)

Richard Evans (Reader)(PTO)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of The Diocese of Madhya Kerala, The Church of South India (United).

**22 February**

**St Saviour, Eltham**

Susan Charles (Priest in Charge) Nick Russell CA (Parish Evangelist)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Madi and West Nile, The Church of the Province of Uganda.

**23 February**

**2nd Sunday before Lent Diocesan Training Centre**

Richard Ellis (Centre Manager) and his team at Wychcroft House who are the heart of the operation of the House

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Igreja, Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil.

**24 February**

**St John the Baptist, Eltham**

Caroline Risdon (Vicar)

Jo McCrone (Assistant Curate) Eltham CofE School

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Madras, The Church of South India (United)

**25 February**

**St Andrew w St Alban, Mottingham**

Ian Welch (R)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Madurai- Ramnad, The Church of South India (United).

**26 February**

**St Edward the Confessor, Mottingham**

Vacant (Vicar)

Pat Dockree (CPLM-SPA)

## Ruth Slater (CPLM-SPA)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Magwi, Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan

**27 February**

**All Saints, New Eltham**

Annette Rose (Vicar)

Rita Mather (Reader) (PTO)

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Mahajanga, The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean.

**28 February**

**Diocesan working groups and the World Mission Agencies and their representatives covering Southwark Diocese**

Pray for the Bishops, priests, deacons and people of the Diocese of Maiduguri, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion).

# 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.

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