Prayer Diary February 2020

He was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, 'Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples.' Luke 11.1

The prayers for each day are for:

- the mission and ministry of a particular deanery/benefice;
- organisations, schools, events of the diocese and the wider community.
- people and places in the Anglican Communion;
- Our link Diocese Kagera and World Mission

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Sat 01.02.20 Brigid, Abbess of Kildare, c.525.

- Elmswell: Ernest Okeke (Assistant Curate), Peter Goodridge (Rector).
- People who are marrying this month and the weddings ministry of parish churches. The Spiritual Practices and Discernment day today
- Lucknow (North India) The Right Revd Peter BaldevGuatemala. (Central America) The Most Revd Armando Guerra Soria.
- ❖ Kagera: Rev Capt Naris Sebekwekwe, Lecturing at St Phillip's College, Kongwa.

Sun 02.02.20 The Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas).

- Bishop Martin Seeley and Bishop Mike Harrison. The Honorary Bishops: Graeme Knowles, Sandy Millar, Gavin Reid, Tim Stevens, John Waine, Jeremy Walsh. The Bishop of Richborough. The Bishops' Administrative Team, Michael Robinson (Bishop's Chaplain and Canon Theologian) and the Bishops Chaple Chaplain.
- Jeanette Gosney being installed today as Archdeacon of Suffolk. Eve Bell, being licensed today as Rector of Banfield.
- Pray for the Anglican Church of Burundi The Most Revd Martin Blaise Nyaboho -Archbishop of Burundi & Bishop of Makamba.
- Canon Fareth Sendegeya, Lecturer at Kagera Christian Training College.

Mon 03.02.20

Anskar,

Archbishop of Hamburg, Missionary in Denmark and

- Agricultural Chaplains.
- Farmers and agricultural workers.
- Lui (South Sudan) The Most Revd Stephen Dokolo Ismail Mbalah. Taiwan (The Episcopal Church) The Right Revd David Lai. Guildford (England) The Right Revd Andrew John Watson.
- Pray for Thomas Shavu and his work for Tearfund in Tanzania.

Tue 04.02.20

Sweden, 865.

- Gilbert of Sempringham, Founder of the Gilbertine Order, 1189.
- Clergy with PTO (F,G) Herbert Fadriquela, John Fellows, Brian Fisher, Eric Fisher, Clare Fleming, James Florance, Pauline Florance, Sally Fogden, John Fowler, Ian Friars, Richard Frost, John Fulton, Raymond Gilbert, John Giles, Peter Gill, Richard Ginn, Christopher Goodwins, Wendy Gourlay, Malcolm Griffin, Garrie Griffiths, Paul Griffiths.
- World Cancer Day.
- ❖ Lusaka (Central África) The Right Revd David NjovuTamale. (West Africa) The Right Revd Jacob AyeeboGuinea. (West Africa) The Right Revd Jacques Boston.Pray for those who have been affected by the terrible bush fires in Australia. Pray that there will be no new fires in the coming months. Give thanks for the fire fighters who have put their lives at risk trying to save people and their homes.

Wed 05.02.20

- Lavenham with Preston: Stephen Earl (Rector), Pete Postle (Reader), Paul Tyler (Assistant Curate).
- Linda Peall being licensed today as Head of Chaplaincy, East Suffolk and North Essex NHS Foundation Trust.
- Lusitanian Church (Portugal) The Right Revd Jorge Pina Cabral. Tanga (Tanzania)
 The Most Revd Dr Maimbo Mndolwa (Primate).
- Pray for the people of Yemen who are struggling to survive in what is currently the world's biggest humanitarian crisis. Pray for the 24 million people who need urgent aid, including safe water, food and sanitation.

Thu 06.02.20 The Martyrs of Japan, 1597.

- Rattlesden with Thorpe Morieux, Brettenham and Hitcham: Steve Collins (Reader), Ruth Crocket (Reader), Julie Rayner (Lay Evangelist)Tiffer Robinson (Rector).
- International Day of Zero Tolerance to Female Genital Mutilation.
- Luwero (Uganda) The Right Revd Eridard Kironde Nsubuga Tarime. (Tanzania) The Right Revd R Mwita Akiri. Tasmania (Australia) The Right Revd Dr Richard Condie,
- We thank you, Father, for the opportunity to develop links with our fellow Christians in China, and we pray that we will use this opportunity wisely to learn from one another.

Fri 07.02.20

- Rougham, Beyton with Hessett & Rushbrooke: Nick Cutler (Rector).
- ❖ Adult Education.
- ❖ Lweru (Tanzania) The Right Revd Godfrey Mbelwa. Te Pihopatanga o Tai Tokerau (Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia) The Right Revd Te Kitohi Wiremu Pikaahu.
- We thank you, Father, for the encouraging growth of eco-churches in our diocese as congregations respond to the global problem of climate change which threatens your creation.

Sat 08.02.20

- Saint Edmund Way: Jeremy Parsons (Rector).
- Age Concern Suffolk.
- ❖ Machakos (Kenya) The Right Revd Joseph Mutungi. Te Pihopatanga o Tairawhiti (Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia) The Most Revd Don Tamihere (Primate). Gujarat (North India) The Right Revd Silvans Christian.
- Lweru: Rev Nelson Mbatina, Mubunda Parish.

Sun 09.02.20

Third Sunday before Lent

- David Jenkins (Archdeacon of Sudbury); Sally Gaze (Archdeacon for Rural Ministry); Rhiannon King (Archdeacon of Ipswich); Jeanette Gosney (Archdeacon of Suffolk). Diocesan Officers and Advisors.
- For the new pattern of the Lightwave Community Guiding team gatherings, (consisting of support/networking, workshops, teaching and meetings).
- Pray for the Anglican Church of Canada. The Most Revd Linda Nicholls Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada.
- Thank God for the work of the Mothers' Union around the world and particularly here in our own diocese and in Kagera

Mon 10.02.20

Chaplains to the British Army, Royal Navy and the Royal Airforce.

Scholastica, sister of Benedict, Abbess of Plombariola,

- Service Personnel serving overseas and their families.

 Madbyo Korola (South India) The Most Boyd Thomas I
- Madhya Kerala (South India) The Most Revd Thomas Kanjirappally Oommen (Primate). Te Pihopatanga o Upoko o Te Ika (Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia) The Right Revd Waitohiariki Quayle. Gusau (Nigeria) The Right Revd John Garba Danbinta.
- ❖ Kagera: Pray that NAPS may soon be able to start taking in boarders and increase their revenue stream.

Tue 11.02.20

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- Clergy with PTO (H): Jean Halliday, Paul Hamlet, Alan Harding, John Hare, Michael Hatchett, Henry Heath, Colin Hewitt, George Hilliard, Ian Hooper, Victor Hopkins, Joy Horton, Graham House, Frank Howard, George Howard, Mark Hunt.
- Community Action Suffolk.
- ❖ Te Pihopatanga o Upoko o Te Waipounamu (Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia) The Right Revd Richard Wallace. Guyana (West Indies) The Right Revd Charles Davidson.
- Biharamulo: Rev Richard Karugune, Rusahunga Parish. Rev Peter Paschal, Nyakahula Parish.

Wed 12.02.20

- Woolpit with Drinkstone: Mike Birt (Assistant Curate), Paul Clarke (Reader), Ruth Farrell (Rector).
- Diocesan Board of Education.
- ❖ Madras (South India) The Right Revd George Stephen Jeyaraj. Temotu (Melanesia) The Most Revd Leonard Dawea (Primate).
- ❖ Lweru: Rev Samson Edward, Runazi Parish.

Thu 13.02.20

- Loes Deanery: Mark Sanders (Rural Dean). Church schools: Charsfield Primary School.Debenham High School; Sir Robert Hitcham's Primary School Debenham.Dennington Primary School.
- People making a new start.
- Madurai-Ramnad (South India) The Right Revd Marialouis Joseph. Temuco (Chile) The Right Revd Abelino Manuel Apeleo. Tennessee (The Episcopal Church) The Right Revd John Bauerschmidt.
- Lweru: Rev Thadeo Ngonga, Kimwani Parish.

Fri 14.02.20 Cyril and Methodius,

- Debenham and Helmingham: Susan Bates (Rector), Veda Berriman (Reader), Mark Trevitt (Reader).
- Just 42 Youth Ministry.

Missionaries to the Slavs, 869 and 885.

- Mahajanga (Indian Ocean) The Right Revd Spencer Hall Speers. Terekeka (South Sudan) The Right Revd Paul Modi Farjala.
- On St Valentine's Day pray for more people around the world to know the love of Jesus Christ in their lives. Pray that we may grow in his love and share it with others.

Valentine, Martyr at Rome, c.269.

Sat 15.02.20 Sigfrid, Bishop,

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Apostle of Sweden, 1045.

Thomas Bray,

Priest, Founder of the SPCK and the SPG, 1730.

- Framlingham with Saxtead: Terry Gilder (Reader), Edith Peck (Reader), Mark Sanders (Rector).
- Christian Bookshops and cafes.
- Maiduguri (Nigeria) The Right Revd Emmanuel Morris. Territory of the People (Canada) The Right Revd Barbara Jean Andrews. Gwagwalada (Nigeria) The Right Revd Moses Tabwaye.
- Pray for refugees fleeing hunger and violence around the world and ask for wisdom and compassion for the people and the leaders of countries to which they are fleeing.

Sun 16.02.20

- St Edmundsbury Cathedral. Joe Hawes (Dean). The Cathedral Chapter and staff.
- Youth and children's work being carried out by parishes.

Second Sunday before Lent

- Pray for the Church of the Province of Central Africa. The Most Revd Albert Chama, Archbishop of Central Africa & Bishop of Northern Zambia.
- Lweru: Rev Sadoth Audax, Nkomero Parish.

Mon 17.02.20

Chaplains to seafarers.

Janani Luwum, Archbishop of Uganda,

- People working in the maritime industry.
- Maine (The Episcopal Church) The Right Revd Stephen Lane. Texas (The Episcopal Church) The Right Revd Andrew Doyle.
- Martyr, 1977. ❖ Lweru: Rev Joseph Katabazi, Kyamyorwa Parish.

Tue 18.02.20

- Clergy with PTO (I, J, K): Susannah Izzard, Linda Jacquet, Derek Johnson, Keith Jones, Desmond Kelly, Reginald Kirkpatrick.
- Local Government Councillors.
- Maiwut (South Sudan) The Right Revd Peter Gatbel Kunen Lual. The Arctic (Canada) The Right Revd David Parsons. Haiti (The Episcopal Church) The Right Revd Jean Zache Duracin.
- Lweru: Rev Deogratias Kamanda, Omubweya Parish .

Wed 19.02.20

- Mid Loes: Derek Alway (Reader), Stephen Brian (Rector), Kathleen Martin (Assistant Curate).
- . Lunch Clubs.
- ❖ Makamba (Burundi) The Most Revd Martin Blaise Nyaboho (Primate). The Episcopal Church in South Carolina (The Episcopal Church) The Right Revd Gladstone Adams,
- ❖ Kagera: Rev Peter Msigwa, Murugina Parish.

Thu 20.02.20

- Orebeck Benefice: Graham Hedger (Priest in Charge).
- World Day of Social Justice.
- Makueni (Kenya) The Right Revd Francis Mboya Matui. The Murray (Australia) The Right Revd Keith Dalby. The Reformed Episcopal Church of Spain (Spain) The Right Revd Carlos López-Lozano.
- ❖ Lweru: Rev Renatus Katale, Izimbya Parish.

Fri 21.02.20

- Upper Alde: Martin Percival (NSM).
- Medical Services.
- Makurdi (Nigeria) The Right Revd Nathan Nyitar Inyom. Thika (Kenya) The Right Revd Julius Njuguna Wanyoike. Biharamulo: Rev Wilson Ernest, Mganza Parish.
- * Kagera: Rev Canon Nahashon Mutabazi, Rural Dean, Murugalama Deanery.

Sat 22.02.20

- Wickham Market with Pettistree: Viv Buckle (Reader), Jenny Catchpole (Reader), Leslie Siu (Vicar), Gloria Theobald (Licensed Lay Minister).
- Migrants and refugees.
- Malabar (South India) The Right Revd Royce Manoj Victor. Thoothukudi Nazareth (South India) The Right Revd Samuel Devasahayam Ebenezer Clement. Hanuato'o (Melanesia) The Right Revd Alfred Karibongi.
- Pray for Mary Kunzi, the new Mothers' Union coordinator in Kagera.

Sun 23.02.20

Members of the Diocesan Synod, Diocesan Secretary Anna Hughes and the diocesan staff.

Sunday Next before Lent Polycarp, Bishop of

- People who have been baptised and/or confirmed this month.
- Pray for the Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America. The Right Revd Julio Murray Thompson, Primate of IARCA & Bishop of Panama.
- Lweru: Rev Hurban Gerazi, Kinuzi Parish.

Smyrna, Martyr, c.155.

Mon 24.02.20

Chaplains to Scouts and Guides. Chaplains to Army Cadets, Sea Cadets and Air Cadets. Chaplains to the Boys Brigade.

St Matthias the Apostle

- Venture Scouts and Rangers, Scouts & Guides, Cub-scouts & Brownies, Beavers and Rainbows.
- Malaita (Melanesia) The Right Revd Samuel Sahu. Tirunelveli (South India) The Right Revd Jayaraj Christdoss. Harare (Central Africa) The Right Revd Chad Nicholas Gandiya.
- Pray for the success of Fairtrade Fortnight which starts today. Pray that more churches and individuals in the UK will want to make a difference to farmers and producers in developing countries by buying more Fairtrade goods.

Tue 25.02.20

- Clergy with PTO (L): Mary Lamb, Peter Langford, Liz Law, Alison Lay, Sam Lee, Christopher Leffler, Christopher Lewis, Brian Lillistone, Jane Lloyd, Stephen Lloyd, Sam Long, James Longe, David Lowe, Anthony Lury.
- Fairtrade Fortnight.
- Malakal (South Sudan) The Most Revd Hilary Garang Deng. Toamasina (Indian Ocean) The Right Revd Jean Paul Solo.
- Kagera: Pray for the ongoing work of CCMP and its expansion into new areas in the north of Kagera. May their work encourage more people to know Jesus Christ as their Saviour.

Wed 26.02.20

Ash Wednesday

- Mildenhall Deanery: Max Osbourne (Rural Dean), Rosemary Rycraft (Asst Rural Dean). Church schools: Elveden Primary School; Moulton Primary School; St Mary's School Mildenhall, All Saints Primary School Newmarket; St Christopher's Primary School, Red Lodge.
- * The Bishops Lent Challenge. The Lightwave Small group leader training 6 week course starting today.
- * Malek (South Sudan) The Right Revd Peter Joh Abraham Mayom. Tohoku (Japan) The Right Revd John Masato Yoshida.
- * Kagera: Rev Scott Edward Runyota, Muruvyagira Parish.

Thu 27.02.20

Barton Mills St Mary the Virgin: Sandie Barton (Parish Priest). *

George Herbert, Priest, Poet, 1633.

- Malek Rup (South Sudan) The Right Revd Peter Marial Agok. Tokyo (Japan) The Right Revd Francis Xavier Hiroyuki Takahashi. Toliara (Indian Ocean) The Right Revd Todd McGregor.
- * Rev Fredrish Kabobe, Mwendakulima Parish.

A reduction in the use of single use plastics.

Fri 28.02.20

- Brandon: Dennis Coburn (Assistant Curate), Sharron Coburn (Rector), Sue Nutt (Lay Evangelist), Kath Palmer (Assistant Curate).
- ** That we shop in ways that reduce waste.
- * Malindi (Kenya) The Right Revd Lawrence Dena. Tonj (South Sudan) The Right Revd Peter Yuol Gur.
- * Lweru: Rev Witson Ruboha, Kashalu Parish.

Sat 29.02.20

- * Dalham, Gazeley, Higham, Kentford and Moulton: Rosemary Rycraft (Priest in Charge).
- For greater awareness of the effects on people of climate change.
- Manchester (England) The Right Revd David Walker. Torit (South Sudan) The Most Revd Bernard Oringa Balmoi.
- Pray for the work of Rwanda Direct as it continues to support the growing church in Rwanda through evangelism and theological education.