



Devizes St John & St Mary

# Prayer Cycle

## July



## 2021

**The Lord calls us to do justly, love mercy and walk humbly with God**

**- Micah 6:8**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Henry, John and Henry Venn the Younge, Priests, Evangelical Divines, 1797, 1813, 1873**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Pam and Sarah Annis, Sue and Terence Tovey, Catherine Woodruff, John Yard

*All Residents and Visitors of Albert Terrace, Bridewell Street, Hare and Hounds Street, Sutton Place and Tylees Court*

***Those who are frightened in our Parish***

**2<sup>nd</sup> - The Visit of BVM to Elizabeth**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Gwendoline Ardley, Richard Barron, Catherine Tarrant, Chris Totney

*All Residents and Visitors of Broadleas Road, Broadleas Close, Broadleas Crescent, Broadleas Park*

*Within our Parish all Medical and Dental Practices*

***Those who need refuge in our Parish***



**3<sup>rd</sup> – St Thomas the Apostle**

**Within Churches Together, Devizes: The Church of Our Lady; growing confidence in faith; introductory courses; Alpha, Pilgrim and ongoing study, home groups.**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Mike and Ros Benson, John and Julia Twentyman, David and Soraya Pegden

*All Residents and Visitors of Castle Court, Castle Grounds, Castle Lane*

*Within our Parish all Retail Businesses*

***Those who fear in our Parish***

**4<sup>th</sup> – The Fifth Sunday after Trinity**

**In the Devizes Deanery Wave of Prayer: Bishops Cannings and Etchilhampton, All Cannings, Chirton and Patney, Marden, Wilsford, Urchfont with Stert. All Pupils, staff and Governors in the schools in the Deanery**

**Within Churches Together, Devizes: The Rock Community Church: Championing Social Justice; The Work of Devizes Opendoors; Devizes Foodbank; Police Chaplaincy; Alabaré; and those supporting Syrian Refugees.**

**Within our Congregation and Parish: Stephen and Amanda Bradley, Sarah and Robin Stevens**

*All Residents and Visitors of New Park Street, New Park Road, Chantry Court,*

*Within our Parish all Commercial Businesses and those who are lonely*

***Those who are hungry in our Parish***

## **5<sup>th</sup>**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Judy Bridger, Georgina Burge, Gerry Lynch.

*All Residents and Visitors of Hillworth Road, Hillworth Gardens, Charles Morrison Close, John Rennie Close, The Moorlands, Pinetum Close and Westview Crescent*

*Within our Parish all Market Stalls and Stall Holders*

***Those who are in need of a friend in our Parish***

## **6<sup>th</sup> - Thomas More, Scholar, and John Fisher, Bishop of Rochester, Reformation Martyrs 1535**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Catherine, Ian and Jessica Brown, Bob Simpson and Marlene Wright, George Royle

*All Residents and Visitors of Downlands Road, Fruitfields, Woodland Way,*

*Within our Parish all Hotels*

***Those who are Homeless in our Parish***

## **7<sup>th</sup>**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Arthur and Margaret Bunyard, Susan Schorah

*All Residents and Visitors of Northgate Street, Northgate Gardens, Elcombe Gardens, St Joseph's Place*

*Within our Parish all Pubs*

***All those who are seeking the truth in our Parish***

## **8<sup>th</sup>**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Ray Burton, Gill Cadogan, Christopher Rogers, Jeannie Gye.

*All Residents and Visitors of High Street and Wine Street*

*Within our Parish: Our Churchyard Group*

***Those who are out of work in our Parish***

## **9<sup>th</sup>**

Within our Congregation and Parish: James Carey and Stephanie Williams, Karen Pugh and Kit Bliss, Sue Machin

*All Residents and Visitors of Long Street, Lansdowne Terrace, Morris Lane, and The Ark*

*Within our Parish all Banks and Building Societies.*

***Those who are in need of financial help in our Parish***

## **10<sup>th</sup>**

**Within Churches Together, Devizes: Saint Andrews Church, for Nurturing Children and young people, for all who work and study in our local schools: School Chaplaincy and church engagement, including Open the Book.**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Deborah and Colvin Chamberlain, Penny Price Jones, Ian Richards

*All Residents and Visitors of London Road*

*All Restaurants within our Parish*

***Those who are cold in our Parish***

## **11<sup>th</sup> – The Sixth Sunday after Trinity**

**In the Devizes Deanery Wave of Prayer: Bratton, Edington and Imber, Erlestoke and Coulston, Lavington, Cheverells and Easterton and Erlestoke Prison Chaplaincy**

**Within Churches Together, Devizes: Saint James', Southbroom and for being good stewards of the Environment and the use of eco-congregation resources.**

**Within our Congregation and Parish: John and Florence Chapman, Marjie and Robin Pook, Jane and Tony Scorer**

***All Residents and Visitors of Station Road, Moyne Close, The Sidings, Great Western Way and West Ridge***

***Within our Parish all Coffee Shops***

***Those who are weary in our Parish***

## **12<sup>th</sup> - Battle of the Boyne**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Alice Cleland, Veronica Cleverley, Lyn Payne, Jonathan Petty

*All Residents and Visitors of Maryport Street, Monday Market Street and Sidmouth Street*

*Within our Parish all Tea Shops*

***To those who need to be heard in our Parish***

## **13<sup>th</sup>**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Angela and Peter Coles, Barry and Janice Payne, Mary Tynsall, Bob Walker

*All Residents and Visitors of Potterne Road, Wick Lane, The Fairway and Queens Road*

*Within our Parish all Supermarkets*

***Those who are isolated in our Parish***

**14<sup>th</sup> – John Keble, Priest, Tractarian, poet, 1866**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Jonathan Cook, Chris Cox, Elizabeth Paddon, David Palmer, Rosemary and John Hawthorne

*All Residents and Visitors of Southbroom Road*

***Those with no bed for the night in our Parish***

**15<sup>th</sup> – Swithun, Bishop of Winchester, c.862**

Within our Parish Our Churchwardens and PCC

Within our Congregation and Parish: Peter Crofts, Mary Dainty, Roy and Liz Overthrow.

*All Residents and Visitors of Sedgefield Gardens, Victoria Road, St Mary's Gardens, St James' Gardens and Henman Close*

***For those who are in hospital in our Parish***

**16<sup>th</sup> – Osmund, Bishop of Salisbury, 1099**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Pam Davies, Faith Davis, Jeff Ody, Juliet Oxenham

*All Residents and Visitors of St Johns Street and St Johns Court and Alley*

*Within our Parish all Building Firms*

***Those who suffer in our Parish***

**17<sup>th</sup>**

**Within Churches Together, Devizes: St John and St Mary, and for growing confidence in faith, for Christian outreach and witness in Devizes; discussions about town centre Chaplaincy.**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Chris and John Dexter, Fiona and Julian Nicholson, Sheila Hurst, Audrey Hutton

*All Residents and Visitors of Hartmoor Road, Hartmoor Close, Cornwall Crescent,*

*Within our Parish all Charity Shops*

***Those who need food in our Parish***

**18<sup>th</sup> – The Seventh Sunday after Trinity**

**In the Devizes Deanery Wave of Prayer: Devizes St John and St Mary, Devizes St Peter, Southbroom St James, Churches together in Devizes**

**Within Churches Together, Devizes: St Peters, and for Championing Social Justice, Those who struggle to make ends meet; Agencies such as Christian Aid, CAFOD, Tearfund and Traidcraft**

**Within our Congregation and Parish: Carie and David Evans, Susan and Christopher Miles, Shirley Wright, Victoria Young**

***All Residents and Visitors of The Market Place and The Brittox***

***Within our Parish all Recreational Clubs and Societies***

***Those who are weary in our Parish***

**19<sup>th</sup> – Gregory, Bishop of Nyssa, and his sister Macrina, Deaconess, teachers of the faith c.394, c.379**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Mary Edward-Jones, Elizabeth Ellis, Rosemary Milne-Day, Anny Mulder-Nomen, Becky Edgington

***All Residents and Visitors of Pinetum Close***

***Within our Parish all Funeral Directors***

***Those who are dying in our Parish***

**20<sup>th</sup> – Margaret of Antioch, Martyr C.4**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Anna Ellison, Richard Evans, Patrick and Anne Miller, Christine Nichols

***All Emergency Services with our Parish***

***Those who need help in our Parish***

**21<sup>st</sup>**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Claudia and David Williams, Martin Houghton, Marion O'Brien

***All Residential Homes, Almshouses and Sheltered Accomodation within our Parish***

***The work of Open Doors, its staff, volunteers and clients***

***Those who are hungry in our Parish***



**22<sup>nd</sup> – Mary Magdalene**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Alan and Sally Field, Mike McClelland, Liz Merritt

***The Museum, The Theatre, The Cinema within our Parish***

***Those who have no family in our Parish***

**23<sup>rd</sup> – Bridget of Sweden, Abbess of Vadstena, 1373**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Simon and Trudy Fisher, Susan and Henry McDowell, Devizes Town Council; its staff and Councillors

***Those who are to be married within our Parish***

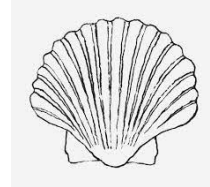
**24<sup>th</sup>**

**Within Churches Together, Devizes: Sheep Street Baptist Church; Nurturing Children and Young People; Devizes Youth; Wiltshire Youth for Christ**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Gail Foster, Angela and Andrew Maclachlan, Alison, Robert and Chloe Hanna

*All Voluntary Organisations within our Parish*

***Those who are mourning in our Parish***



**25<sup>th</sup> – St James**

**In the Devizes Deanery Wave of Prayer: Potterne, Worton and Marsden, Seend, Bulkington and Poulshot, Bromham and Rowde, Chittoe and Sandy Lane. Residents and staff in the care homes in the Deanery**

**Within Churches Together, Devizes: The Religious Society of Friends; being good stewards of the environment, and the Work of Sustainable Devizes.**

**Within our Congregation and Parish: Richard and Jennifer Fry, Alan and Nita Martin, Eleanor Mahoney, Carole Mapp, Chris Burdon**

***Within our Parish: those who are to be baptised***

***Those who are vulnerable within our Parish***

**26<sup>th</sup> – Anne and Joachim, parents of BVM**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Elizabeth Gibb, Thelma Gittins, Sian and Lauren Wiltshire

*Within our Parish all Breweries*

***Those who are afraid within our Parish***

**27<sup>th</sup> – Brooke Foss Westcott, Bishop of Durham, Teacher of the Faith, 1901**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Peter and Penny Goodliffe, Christopher Joseph, *The Foodbank its volunteers, staff, users and those who donate to them*

**28<sup>th</sup>**

Within our Congregation and Parish: Richard and Yzanne Hallett, Diana Jones, Marianne Jones and John Walter

*All Residents and Visitors of Drews Pond Lane and Orchard Close*

***Those who are caring for the sick and dying within our Parish***

**29<sup>th</sup> – *Mary, Martha and Lazarus, Companions of our Lord***

Within our Congregation and Parish: Mark, Diana and Belinda Harrison, Patricia and Michael Holtham

*All Residents and Visitors of Snuff Court, Snuff Street, Couch Lane and Commercial Road*

***Those who are frightened in our Parish***

**30<sup>th</sup> – *William Wilberforce, social reformer, Olaudah Equiano and Thomas Clarkson, Anti-slavery campaigners, 1833, 1797, 1846***

Within our Congregation and Parish: John and Victoria Heaton Renshaw, John and Sandra Hoadley

*All Residents and Visitors of Hartfield, Hartfield Close and Old Park*

***Those who need refuge in our Parish***

**31<sup>st</sup> – *Ignatius of Loyola, Founder of the Society of Jesus, 1556***

Within our Congregation and Parish: Charles and Diana Slater, Tim Lacey-Hulbert

*Within Our Parish: Our Bishops, Archdeacons, Our Clergy and Our Lay Worship Leaders.*

***Those whose burden is heavy in our Parish***



## July Year's Mind

02/07/2019 Pauline Morton  
11/07/2019 Edward Tewkesbury  
14/07/2017 Pauline Cornall  
19/07/1993 Fred Merritt  
23/07/2007 Eileen Spawton  
24/07/2017 Helen Roberts



## Living our Wild and Precious Lives

During Advent 2016 and Lent 2017 we spent time reflecting on Mary Oliver's Poem *A Summer Day* which ends with the line '*Tell me, what is it you plan to do with your one wild and precious life?*'. From these reflections, we developed a parish Rule of Life. A Rule or Rhythm of Life has long been an aspect of the Christian way of living. Gail Foster (local poet) has written a poem that captures something of our hope to share this vision of our life together.

### What Will You Do?

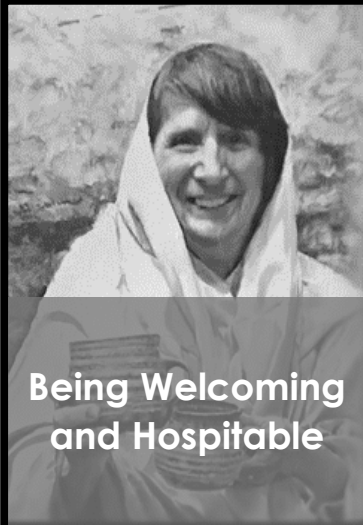
What will you do, the poet said, with this  
One wild and precious life you have today?  
Within the womb the Baptist leaps for bliss.  
Upon the cross He gives his life away.

What will we do indeed, for heaven's sake  
We motley crew of children, priests, and fools  
We offer fairy cakes and prayers, and break  
Communal bread according to the rules

What did he do? He died, and rose again  
Was unconventional, and wild, and brave  
He gave his precious life that other men  
Might rise in easy conscience from the grave

And you, sat there all cosy in your pew  
What will you do with what he gave for you?

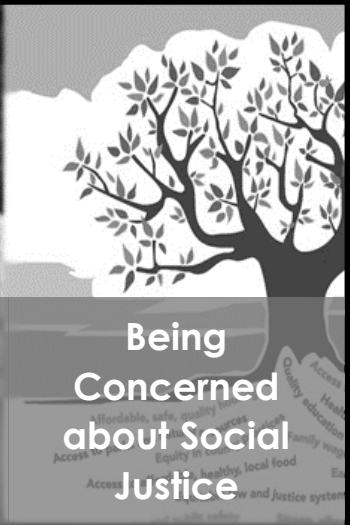




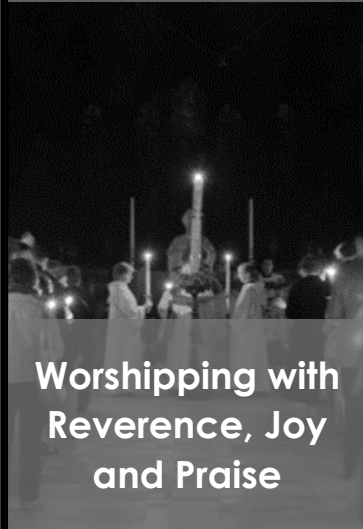
**Being Welcoming and Hospitable**



**Showing Care and Respect for the Natural World**



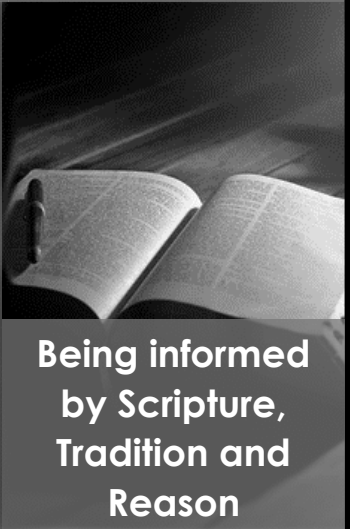
**Being Concerned about Social Justice**



**Worshipping with Reverence, Joy and Praise**



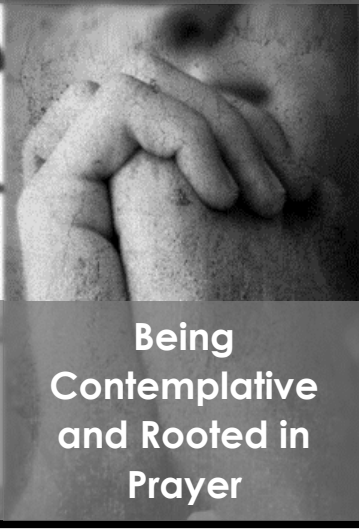
**Living our Wild and Precious lives by...**



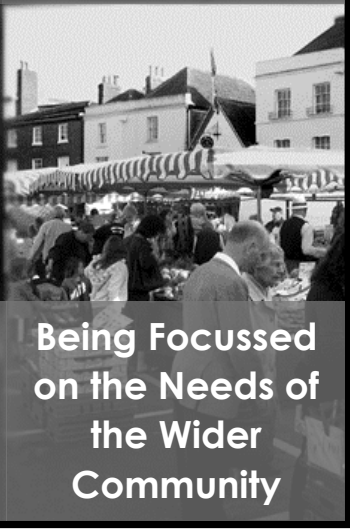
**Being informed by Scripture, Tradition and Reason**



**Being Inclusive**



**Being Contemplative and Rooted in Prayer**



**Being Focused on the Needs of the Wider Community**