



Devizes St John & St Mary

Prayer Cycle

OCTOBER

2020

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

- Micah 6:8

1st – Remigius, Bishop of Rheims, 533

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

2nd

Gwendoline Ardley and Richard Barron, Catherine Tarrant and Chris Totney

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

Within our Parish all Medical and Dental Practices

3rd – George Bell, Bishop of Chichester, 1958

Mike and Ros Benson, and Andrew Stevens

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

Within our Parish all Retail Businesses

4th – The Seventeenth 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: Sheep Street Baptist Church; Nurturing Children and Young People; Devizes Youthy; Wiltshire Youth for Christ; Devizes Child Contact Centre

Within our Parish those who are lonely

Stephen and Amanda Bradley, Sarah and Robin Stevens

All Residents and Visitors of New Park Street, New Park Road, Chantry Court, Snuff Court, Snuff Street, Couch Lane and Commercial Road

Within our Parish all Commercial Businesses

5th

Judy Bridger and Georgina Burge, Charles and Diana Slater.

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

6th – *William Tyndale, Translator of the Scriptures, 1536*

Catherine, Ian and Jessica Brown, Bob Simpson and Marlene Wright

All Residents and Visitors of Downlands Road, Fruitfields, Woodland Way, Drews Pond Lane and Orchard Close

Within our Parish all Hotels

7th

Arthur and Margaret Bunyard, Susan Schorah and Gwyneth Sinden

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

Within our Parish all Pubs

8th

Ray Burton and Gill Cadogan, Christopher Rogers and Jamie Schneider

All Residents and Visitors of High Street and Wine Street

Within our Parish: Our House Groups including Lectio and our Bible Study Group.

Those who are out of work within our Parish

9th – *Denys, Bishop of Paris. C.250*

James Carey and Stephanie Williams, Karen Pugh and Kit Bliss

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

Within our Parish all Banks and Building Societies.

10th – Paulinus, Bishop of York, 644

Deborah and Colvin Chamberlain, Penny Price Jones and Ian Richards

All Residents and Visitors of London Road

All Restaurants within our Parish

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

11th – The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

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 Parish: Our Churchyard Group.

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

12th - Wilfrid, of Ripon, Bishop, 709

Alice Cleland and Veronica Cleverley, Lyn Payne and Jonathan Petty

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

Within our Parish all Tea Shops

13th – Edward the Confessor, King of England, 1066

Angela and Peter Coles, Barry and Janice Payne, Mary Tynsall and Bob Walker

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

Within our Parish all Supermarkets

14th

Jonathan Cook and Chris Cox, Elizabeth Paddon and David Palmer,
Rosemary Hawthorne

All Residents and Visitors of Southbroom Road

Within our Parish all Breweries

15th – *Teresa of Avila, Teacher of the Faith, 1582*

Peter Crofts and 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*

16th – *Nicholas Ridley, Bishop of London and Hugh Latimer, Bishop of Worcester, Reformation Martyrs,
1555*

Pam Davies and Faith Davis, Jeff Ody and Juliet Oxenham

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

Within our Parish all Building Firms

17th – *Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch c.107*

Chris and John Dexter, Fiona and Julian Nicholson, Sheila Hurst
and Audrey Hutton

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

Within our Parish all Charity Shops

All those who are out of work within our Parish



18th – St Luke the Evangelist

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 Church of Our Lady; growing confidence in faith; introductory courses; Alpha, Pilgrim and ongoing study, home groups.

Those who are dying within our Parish

Julian and Becky Edgington, Christine Nichols and Marion O'Brien

All Residents and Visitors of The Market Place and The Brittox

Within our Parish all Funeral Directors

19th – Henry Marytn, Translator of the Scriptures, 1812

Mary Edward-Jones and Elizabeth Ellis, Rosemary Milne-Day and Anny Mulder-Nomen

All Residents and Visitors of Pinetum Close

Within our Parish all Recreational Clubs and Societies

20th

Anna Ellison and Richard Evans, Patrick and Anne Miller, Martin Houghton

All Emergency Services with our Parish

21st

Carie and David Evans, Susan and Christopher Miles

All Residential Homes, Almshouses and Sheltered Accommodation within our Parish

The homeless within our Parish and the work of Open Doors

22nd

Alan and Sally Field, Mike McClelland and Liz Merritt, Sian and Lauren Wiltshire

The Museum, The Theatre, The Cinema within our Parish

Those who are to be married within our Parish

23rd

Simon and Trudy Fisher, Susan and Henry McDowell, John Walter and Claudia Williams

Devizes Town Council; its staff and Councillors

24th

Gail Foster, Angela and Andrew Maclachlan, Alison, Robert and Chloe Hanna

All Voluntary Organisations within our Parish and those who are mourning

25th – The Last 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: The Rock Community Church: Championing Social Justice; The Work of Devizes Opendoors; Devizes Foodbank; Police Chaplaincy; Alabaré; and those supporting Syrian Refugees.

Within Our Parish: Our Bishops, Archdeacons, Our Clergy and Our Lay Worship Leaders, Our Churchwardens and PCC

Richard and Jennifer Fry, Alan and Nita Martin

Those who need a friend within our Parish

26th - Alfred the Great, King of the West Saxons, 899

Elizabeth Gibb and Thelma Gittins, Eleanor Mahoney and Carole Mapp

Those who are afraid within our Parish

Within our Parish Our Churchwardens and PCC

27th

Peter and Penny Goodliffe, Christopher Joseph and Tim Lacey-Hulbert

The Foodbank its volunteers, staff, users and those who donate to them

28th – Simon and Jude, Apostles

Richard and Yzanne Hallett, Diana Jones and Marianne Jones

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

Our House Groups including Lectio and our Bible Study Group.

29th - *James Hannington, Bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa, Martyr in Uganda, 1885*

John and Victoria Heaton Renshaw, John and Sandra Hoadley

Within our Parish: Our Churchyard Group

Those who are dying within our Parish

30th

Mark, Diana and Belinda Harrison, Patricia and Michael Holtham

Those who are to be baptised within our Parish

31st *Martin Luther, Reformer, 1546*

John and Julia Twentyman, Shirley Wright and Victoria Young

Those who are to be married within our Parish



*God our Father,
renew our hope.*

*By the Holy Spirit's power
strengthen us to pray readily,
serve joyfully
and grow abundantly
rejoicing in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

October Year's Mind

01/10/2014 Penelope Poulton

03/10/1998 Maureen Burton

07/10/1995 Mildred Davis

07/10/1993 Linda Norris

10/10/2011 John Stagles

10/10/2015 Alex Lascelles

12/10/2009 Peter Morton

13/10/2015 Mike Swindells

15/10/1999 Ian Gibb

15/10/2018 Anne Groom

16/10/2013 George Graham

18/10/1980 Margaret Walter

28/10/2019 Malcolm Osland

29/10/2008 Peter Budd

31/10/2017 Sidney Jacques



Renewing **HOPE**

Pray • Serve • Grow

Diocese of Salisbury Cycle of Prayer

1 October

Hampreston

Clergy: Sarah Pix, Patches Chabala, Barry Lomax, Raymond Forbes. LLMs: David Scouse, Alan Field.

Please pray for us as together we seek the Lord's future for us, looking to take hold of all that he has done during this unique season and seeking to be in step with Him as we reach out to our communities with the hope of Jesus.

Hampreston CE VA First School

2 October

New Borough and Leigh St John (or Wimborne St John)

Clergy: Peter Breckwoldt, Matt Lee, Michael Drury. LLM: Jo Field.

Thank God for his amazing protection and care over the last few months.

Pray for our staff team providing online services as well as services in the church building.

Pray for our children's and youth team providing teaching materials in different ways.

Wimborne St John's CE VC First School

3 October

Verwood

Clergy: Deborah Matthews, Norman Moulard. LLMs: Duncan Moss, Robin Morgan, Bill Seymour. LWL: Barbara Walton. CLP: Martyn Hancock. Youth & Children's Minister: Helen Anderson. Parish Administrator: Ellen Witt.

Please pray for Verwood & Three-Legged Cross

For all who minister and worship in this parish as we give thanks for our Associate Priest Revd Pat Miles who died at the end of July. We pray for resilience and peace as we plan a new framework of services.

Verwood CE VA First School

Verwood Trinity CE VA First School

4 October – Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

West Moors

Clergy: Andy Muckle, Lynne Morris, Alan Butler.

On this day when the church remembers St Francis, we give thanks for those who strive to preserve the integrity of creation and seek to build a kinder future for God's earth. Please pray for those who live in residential homes in our community and who have lived through such a period of enforced isolation.

West Moors St Mary's CE VC First School

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Pray for the Anglican Church of Tanzania, and The Most Revd Dr Maimbo Mndolwa - Archbishop of Tanzania & Bishop of Tanga.

5 October

West Parley

Clergy: Charles Booth.

Give thanks for the refurbishment of the Small Hall and for the volunteers who have undertaken the work, and pray that it will be a great asset in the mission and outreach of the parish.

6 October

Wimborne Minster and Wimborne Villages

Clergy: Andrew Rowland, Suzie Allen, Heather Waldsax, Elise & Michael Harding, William French, Nick Wells, Sharon Boyle.

Please pray for our benefice and all laity and clergy in our various roles and responsibilities. As we welcome, newly ordained Nick Wells and Sharon Boyle as Assistant Curates may they, and we all, grow in love and ability in the service of the good Lord and His Gospel.

We pray God's blessing upon the church, our schools and communities here.

Witchampton CE VA First School

Gaunts Common St James' CE VC First School

Wimborne Queen Elizabeth's CE VC Secondary School

7 October

Verwood Emmanuel CE VA Middle School

Headteacher: Rob Christopher.

Executive Headteacher: Ron Jenkinson.

Episcopal churches in South Sudan and Sudan: Please pray for the Rt Revd Simon Lual Bang Jal, in the diocese of Nasir.

8 October

Mothers' Union - Rosie Stiven (President), Jenny Harrison (Secretary)

We ask all members of the Mothers' Union in this Diocese to pray for those who are recently bereaved, for those suffering from domestic violence, for those enduring child abuse and for those who are victims of Modern Day Slavery. We ask the Lord to hold them all in His Love.

9 October

Poole & North Bournemouth Deanery

Rural Dean: Lucy Holt. ARD: David Price. Lay Chair: Vacant.

As we begin to see what the new normal might look like please pray for the developing Deanery plan and also for the new incumbents at St Peters Parkstone and Lytchett and Upton as they settle into the deanery.

10 October

Branksome Park All Saints

Clergy: Charlie Boyle, Stewart Timbrell. LLM: Eva Wallace-Hadrill. LWL: Kate Edwards. LWL in training: Stella Whitcombe. Moorlands Student Placement Intern: Emma Blaney.

Renew us by His Holy Spirit and Holy Word, as we rebuild and rethink ways of doing and being the people of God. We pray for a new Children, Youth and Families worker. With an ageing congregation, we thank you for those with youth and energy, whether elderly or young.

11 October – Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

Branksome St Aldhelm

Clergy: Pip Martin, Stephen Flatt, Bryony Morrison. LLM: Rona Orme. LLM PtO: Carole Goddard.

We give thanks for the open doors of our awesome church building; we pray for open minds in all who enter those doors; and we pray that all of us be more and more open to God and to his generous possibilities for us and for our world.

Poole Bishop Aldhelm's CE VA Primary School

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Pray for the Church of the Province of Uganda, and The Most Revd Stephen Samuel Kaziimba - Archbishop of Uganda & and Bishop of Kampala.

12 October

Branksome St Clement

Clergy: Jonathan Foster, Lynn Bowerman, Mo Willis. LLM: John Fisher.

Thanksgiving for the faithful team and God's provision through these changing times. Please pray for vision and wisdom as we return to our renovated church building in September and for our ministry in this parish. Strength for many struggling financially, health-wise, relationally or at work & for the many key-workers.

13 October

Broadstone

Clergy: Helen Bailey, Lyndon Webb, Patrick Hastings, Paul Renyard. LLM PtO: Margaret Breedon.

Please pray for Revd Lyndon Webb our Assistant Curate, who we hope will have been priested on 26th September after this was delayed due to Covid19. Pray for our building project, especially its financing in these changing circumstances. Pray for us to discern how to serve our community needs at this challenging time.

14 October

Canford Cliffs and Sandbanks

Clergy: Andrew O'Brien, Thomas Pelham.

Episcopal churches in South Sudan and Sudan: Please pray for the Rt Revd Gabriel Angok Arok, in the diocese of Nimule.

15 October

Ensbury Park

Clergy: Simon Evans, (Also lead chaplain to Dorset Police), David Wheeler, Margaret Evans. LLM: Susan Ellsmore.

At the time of writing we are thankful for the provision to be able to supply Boxes of Hope to families in need in the parish.

Pray for our parish review (started Pre-COVID) that we may discern the way God is calling us to future service in this area in a new way.

16 October

Hamworthy

Clergy: Tessa Nisbet.

Prayers please for:

- *Our new AV system installed in August - please pray for us as we think about missional opportunities.*
- *Please pray for our team - we have two new members and this means lots of exciting possibilities.*

17 October

Heatherlands St John

Clergy: David Price, Peter Homden. Children & Families Worker: Bex Simpkins.

We praise God for:

- *the fact that we can trust Him, whatever comes our way;*
- *the congregation being generally content and in good heart despite the limitations of online/telephone ministry;*
- *willingness to go step by step and develop new patterns of ministry after lockdown.*

We pray for:

- *children's, youth and families ministry, seeking new patterns after lockdown;*
- *pastoral ministry as we minister to vulnerable and fragile people;*
- *our member Dan Washbrook, training for ordination at Trinity, Bristol.*

18 October – Luke the Evangelist

Lilliput

Clergy: Louise Ellis, Aidan Smith, Peter Huxham.

We give thanks for ways we have been able to connect as a church community and reach out to the wider community during the past few months. Please pray for us as we explore new patterns of worship that work within the current restrictions as well as continuing with our online worship.

Poole Lilliput CE VC Infant School

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Pray for the Episcopal Church, and The Most Revd Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop of The Episcopal Church.

19 October

Creekmoor

Clergy: Janice Audibert, Jean Audibert, Wendy Poole. LLM: Shirley Williams.

We give thanks to the Lord that we managed to complete our building project and return to an amazing extended church building and community hub. We praise God that we managed one service in church before we closed our doors because of Covid! We give thanks that Jean has completed his curacy and is to be licensed as an associate minister at Christ Church in September We pray for all that the future holds for mission and ministry in Creekmoor and we ask for God's wisdom on how we begin to open up the amazing space, including the community hub and café so that we have to serve Him and the people of Creekmoor.

20 October

Kinson & West Howe

Clergy: Lee Shirvill, Christine Brooks, Darren Dalton.

Pray that we would grow spiritually and numerically. For God's guidance in the development of Team and a disciple-making discipleship across the Benefice. For wisdom as we re-gather for public worship and for a renewed vision for ministry as we seek to reach our local communities.

21 October

Longfleet

Clergy: Andy Perry, Mark Hay.

Please pray for wisdom and creativity as we explore new ways of being church and doing mission, both online and in person, and for our youth and children's ministries to continue connecting with the young people in Poole. Please pray for the guests on the Recovery Course.

Poole Longfleet CE VC Primary School

Episcopal churches in South Sudan and Sudan: Please pray for the Rt Revd Ogeno Charles Opaka, in the diocese of Magwi.

22 October

Parkstone St Luke

Clergy: Chris Strain. LLMs: John Pattison, Justin Coldstream, Ruth Greig, Roy Stacey. Children's Minister: Anna Stainer.

We pray for the church to be a people of faith, hope and love and reveal God's heart and ways to the community. Pray for peace, creativity and resilience as we try to make sense of all the issues and wisdom as we explore the way forward. May the Spirit of God be at work in our struggles to bring in a better future. Pray for Anna seeking to hold and reach out to families.

23 October

Parkstone St Peter & St Osmund with Branksea St Mary

Clergy: Mike Trotman, (Rector, to be licensed on 30th September), Sally Bedborough, Pat Southgate, Michael Beesley, Robin Harger, Keith Hugo, Diana Newman, Hilary Wright.

We give thanks for the skills and resources that we have discovered through our Interregnum, and through the months of lockdown and the restrictions due to the coronavirus pandemic. As we come to welcome a new Rector, we pray for Mike, Heidi, Sam and Phoebe as they settle in; and we ask for prayers for all our new beginnings.

Poole Baden Powell and St Peter's CE VC Junior School

24 October

Poole St James with St Paul

Clergy: Lucy Holt.

In August 2020 Poole Foodbank moved into our Church centre to become Jimmys place offering more than just food for the vulnerable in our community. Pray for Children and families worker Agnes Medrycka as she works alongside the food bank on new projects.

25 October – Last Sunday after Trinity

Talbot Village

Clergy: Rupert Higgins, Diana Newman.

Please give thanks for our staff Mandy (Secretary), Alex (Children and Youth) and Marion (Warden) who have worked so hard keeping in touch with people. Please also pray for discernment to know how and what we should restart this autumn. Thank you.

Talbot Village St Mark's CE VA Primary School

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Pray for the Church in Wales, and The Most Revd John Davies, Archbishop of Wales & Bishop of Swansea & Brecon.

26 October

Lytchetts and Upton

Clergy: Matt Simpson, Howard Page-Clark, Stephen Partridge. LLM: Dave Parker.

We give thanks and pray for Matt, the new Team Rector, and his family, as they settle into their new surroundings. We pray for a continued, outward, servant-hearted focus and that, trusting in God, we 'will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit' (Romans 15.13).

27 October

Poole Missional Communities

Clergy: Paul Bradbury, Lucy Bolster.

Please pray for our 2 established communities Reconnect & Space for Life as they adjust to the changes enforced by Covid-19.

Give thanks for new opportunities and projects emerging from lockdown such as a community garden, social supermarket, Beach hut outreach.

Pray for Sally Taylor and her family moving to Poole to start a pioneer curacy with St Michael's Hamworthy and PMC.

28 October

Canford Heath

Clergy: Matthew Williams.

Please pray for wisdom as we continue to emerge from 'lockdown'; for the spiritual needs of the children and youth; for strong & growing relationships despite current restrictions on our meeting up; that we will continue to obey the Great Commandment and the Great Commission; for St Paul's to grow in number and spiritual maturity despite the challenges we are facing; for us all to retain our commitment to God, the church and to one another during these difficult times.

Episcopal churches in South Sudan and Sudan: Please pray for the Rt Revd Samuel Lomude Eluzai, in the diocese of Mundu.

29 October

Oakdale St George

Clergy: Penny Draper, Tom Lock, John Graves. LLMs: Pam Clark, Ann Johnson, Michelle Cobley.

Giving thanks for the presence and witness of the 'new church' of St. George's, its clergy and members during its 60 years in Darby's Lane, and praying for the mission and ministry of the next 60 years.

30 October

Poole Hospital NHS Trust and Forest Holme Hospice

Chaplains: Jane Lloyd, Declan McConville (RC).

Please pray for us as we merge with the Royal Bournemouth and Christchurch Hospitals in October and continue to face the challenges posed by Covid-19. Pray for staff in a time of uncertainty and change; for those now deemed too vulnerable to continue working in the hospital environment; for new staff as they take up their posts.

31 October

Poole St Edwards RC-CE VA School

Headteacher: Michael Antram.

Please pray for the school as we explore what the new term brings, and the challenges we face.

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?

