

# Cycle of Prayer

01 - 30 November 2022

01 November 2022

**Gee Cross**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Canon Helen Scarisbrick; Revd Katie Wade

**Lay Workers:** Mrs Wendy Stockton; Mrs Wendy Slinger

**Anglican Communion:** Central New York, The Episcopal Church

02 November 2022

**Hattersley**

Please pray for our...

**Lay Workers:** Mrs Pam Whittaker

**Anglican Communion:** Western New York, The Episcopal Church

03 November 2022

**Hollingworth**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Bruce Perrin

**Lay Workers:** Mrs Joyce Blundell; Mr Stephen Cook

**Anglican Communion:** Newala, The Anglican Church of Tanzania

04 November 2022

**Hyde St George with St Thomas**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Jeremy Bentlif

**Lay Workers:** David & Barbara Hollington, Diane Deakins, Andrew Dawson

St Georges needs wardens and wisdom for reaching a majority Muslim parish. New people in both churches please!

**Anglican Communion:** Newark, The Episcopal Church

05 November 2022

**Millbrook**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Tim Hayes; Revd Chris Viney

**Anglican Communion:** Newcastle (in Australia), The Anglican Church of Australia

06 November 2022

**Transforming Lives Together - Filling the Gap**

Filling the Gap (FtG) is a network of churches delivering food and activities during the school holidays. This initiative is aimed at families in receipt of free school meals but the provision is open to all children and their parents/carers. We have 20 churches delivering Filling the Gap at present.

Pray:

- That more churches will join the initiative so that more families can be supported during the cost-of-living crisis
- That TLT will be successful in building a 'support fund' to help churches delivering FtG to be able to replace equipment, buy food etc.
- That God will guide us to show us how we can best support churches to get involved in this and all our initiatives so that more lives are being transformed.

**Anglican Communion:** The Church of England

07 November 2022

**Mottram-in-Longdendale**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Cait Walker

**Lay Workers:** Mr Allen Standeven

Pray for the opening up of a place of welcome and the appointment of a children and families missionary.

**Anglican Communion:** Newcastle (in the United Kingdom), The Church of England

08 November 2022

**Newton in Mottram with Flowery Field**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Sheila O'Flaherty

**Lay Workers:** Mrs Linda Marshall

Our LEP with our neighbouring Methodist church. Our finances & initiatives to grow our congregation.

**Anglican Communion:** Eastern Newfoundland & Labrador, The Anglican Church of Canada

09 November 2022

**Stalybridge Holy Trinity**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Rev Gary Kennaugh, Rev Simon Stride, Rev Charlie Laver, Rev Trevor Green

**Lay Workers:** Mr Barry Edge; Mr Clive Hustwick; Mr David Monday; Mr Chris Gascoigne

Please pray for our two Alpha courses, Youth Weekend Away, Light Parties, Schools work, Cascade Drop in Centre. Please pray that HTS continues to live the good news of Jesus this year.

**Anglican Communion:** Central Newfoundland, The Anglican Church of Canada

10 November 2022

**Stalybridge St Paul**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Emma Handley

**Lay Workers:** Mrs Jacintha Manchester; Mr John Clements

**Anglican Communion:** Western Newfoundland, The Anglican Church of Canada

11 November 2022

**Tintwistle**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Bruce Perrin

**Lay Workers:** Mrs Joyce Blundell

**Anglican Communion:** Ngbo, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

12 November 2022

**Barnston**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Chris Slater Revd Chris Murphy

**Lay Workers:** Mrs Audrey Leatham; Mrs Jane McCallum; Mr David Reed; Mrs Lynn Alexander; Ms Eileen Hindley; Mrs Chrissie Irlam

**Anglican Communion:** Niagara, The Anglican Church of Canada

13 November 2022

### **Transforming Lives Together - CommuniTea**

Over the winter months (October -February) in the attempt to help combat fuel poverty, encourage positive mental health and build community, some of our churches are planning to offer a free weekly hot meal to people in their local community -CommuniTea. We are asking other churches if they are doing something similar or would like to but don't know where to start. Following the responses to a survey we are sending out in September, we will hold an online meeting to share ideas and discuss next steps.

Pray:

- That churches will have the resources to provide hot meals either weekly or monthly
- That relationships will flourish between churches and between churches and other organisations to enable them to partner together to join this initiative
- For God's blessing on people across the Diocese who are/will be worrying about how to feed themselves and their families and how to keep their homes warm this winter

**Anglican Communion:** Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui

14 November 2022

### **Bebington**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd David Vestergaard; Revd Dr Al Rodgers

**Lay Workers:** Chris Jarvis, Amy Haigh, Helen Thomas, Ian Halliday, David Jack

Give thanks for funding for a children and families worker, and pray for the recruitment process. Pray for growth following the challenges of the last two years.

**Anglican Communion:** Niassa, The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

15 November 2022

### **Frankby with Greasby**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Danny Sedano

**Anglican Communion:** Nicaragua, Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America

16 November 2022

### **Great Meols**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Canon Gillian Rossiter; Revd Fran Skinner

**Lay Workers:** Mrs Sheena Wilson; Mrs Lesley Young; Mrs Chris Branch; Mrs Julia Johnson

Pray for people who are struggling coming back from Covid

**Anglican Communion:** Niger Delta North, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

17 November 2022

### **Heswall**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Martin Cannam; Revd Josh Carlson

**Lay Workers:** Readers: Mike Barritt, Graham Derrig, Jennie Hewitt,

Youthworker: Dani Smith, Staff: Sarah Hall, Julia MacGregor

Completion of The Lighthouse Church building and new opportunities when it opens; work with children, young people, families and schools; generosity, faith and wisdom in financial decisions.

**Anglican Communion:** the Niger Delta, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

18 November 2022

### **Higher Bebington**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Mike Loach; Revd Eunice Blackmore; Revd George Roach

**Lay Workers:** Miss Helen Byrne; Mrs Pam Hollinshead; Mr Ted Jones

Please pray for work of our community centre, especially in its outreach to the vulnerable as we provide a warm space during the Winter. We are giving thanks for our recent Eco Church Gold Award, and praying that it would encourage us and others to continue in creation care.

**Anglican Communion:** Niger Delta West, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

19 November 2022

### **Hoylake**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Paul Rossiter; Revd Dr John Harrison;

**Lay Workers:** Dr Peter Ham; Mrs Alice Price; Miss Jill Rawcliffe

Please pray for our Warm Space Community Cafe as we enter the winter months. Pray for all who use their diverse talents to grow the kingdom in our parish. And pray for our Ministry Team as we journey on together in faith

**Anglican Communion:** Niger, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

20 November 2022

### **Safeguarding Sunday**

We remember all victims and survivors of church-related abuse and pray that the Church can learn from the shameful things it has done in the past as it seeks to be a loving, gracious, and welcoming place to all people.

May the doors of this church be wide enough to receive all who come seeking God and fellowship.

May the doors of this church be narrow enough to shut out pettiness and pride, envy and enmity.

May the threshold of this church be no stumbling block to young or frail feet.

May the threshold of this church be too high to admit complacency and self-seeking.

May this church be, for all who enter, a safe place and the doorway to a richer life in Christ.

Bishop Julie has contributed a Bible reflection to a safeguarding campaign organised by Christian safeguarding charity Thirtyone:Eight. Her reflection is part of a [suite of resources freely available to churches](#) to mark Safeguarding Sunday.

Please pray for our...

**Anglican Communion:** The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean,

21 November 2022

### **New Ferry**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Andy Greenhough, Revd Des Drury

We need to secure housing for a curate coming in summer 2023, in a market where suitable properties are few and far between.

**Anglican Communion:** Niger West, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

22 November 2022

**Newton West Kirby**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Cheryl Coverley; Revd Capt Ailsa Whorton

**Lay Workers:** Dr Anthony Hart; Mr Martin Smith

people pray for the large number of older people in the church and parish, who are struggling with their health in the face of NHS back logs. Also for those who are socially isolated- particularly those who are widowed. There are so few younger people left

**Anglican Communion:** Nike, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

23 November 2022

**Thurstaston**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Jane Turner

**Anglican Communion:** Nimule, The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan

24 November 2022

**Upton (Overchurch)**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Nikki Eastwood; Revd Alec Ham

**Lay Workers:** Mr Malcolm Haigh; Mr Graham Morris; Dr Dave Wood; Mrs Rhonda Anson; Mrs Alison Collins; Mrs Gaynor Kydd

Could we ask for prayer for our Christians Against Poverty project, and our Transforming Lives for Good educational mentoring project; for Christmas outreach and connections with our community.

**Anglican Communion:** Nnewi, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

25 November 2022

**West Kirby St Andrew**

Please pray for our...

**Lay Workers:** Mr Ken Jones

Please pray for the churches of St Andrew and St Thomas as they move into a united benefice. May we encourage one another, and may the Holy Spirit help and guide us as we begin to explore new ways of mission and outreach in our communities.

**Anglican Communion:** Norwich, The Church of England

26 November 2022

**West Kirby St Bridget**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Rev'd Alex Williams, Rev'd David Chester, Rev'd Canon Anne Samuels, Rev'd Canon Ray Samuels

**Lay Workers:** John Smith, Brian Dodd, Graham Crowder

Pray for our work with children and families and the appointment of a Children and families worker. For our outreach to the community. For our church school as it explores becoming part of a MAT.

**Anglican Communion:** Nova Scotia & Prince Edward Island, The Anglican Church of Canada



27 November 2022

### **Transforming Lives Together - Energy for Life**

We have partnered with Citizens Advice to support the most vulnerable residents of Cheshire to reduce their energy bills and make the most of their energy supply. We have secured funding from Energy Redress to create awareness of, and support application to, funds and schemes that can help people with their energy costs. Two advisors employed by CA will provide advice to support people to make changes that will help for years to come.

Pray:

- That the recruitment process will enable us to find the right people for the role of Energy Advisor
- That publicity and advertising will be effective in reaching the people who need support the most
- That churches will play a vital role in building relationships and referring vulnerable people to the advisors

**Anglican Communion:** The Nippon Sei Ko Kai.

28 November 2022

### **Poulton Lancelyn**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Roger Wiles; Revd Paul Lewis

**Lay Workers:** Mr Alan Jones

Please pray for our Christmas events – the Christmas Fair on 3rd December, the evening carol service on 11th December, the carol service on the lawn on 17th December, and the morning carol service on 18th December. Pray for us and for all who come, that many would respond to him with faith.

**Anglican Communion:** Nsukka, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

29 November 2022

### **Acton**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Anne Lawson

We thank the Lord for providing our parish with a beautiful church that enables us to host a wide variety of both religious and community activities. Tea in the Tower has become a hugely popular weekly event drawing in people from beyond the parish, including families, ramblers, those living alone, the elderly and visitors to the area. As the name suggests we meet in the church tower on a weekly basis, however the tower is now in need of major renovation and we would like people in the diocese to pray for an impending funding bid for the tower. Thank you.

**Anglican Communion:** Nyahururu, The Anglican Church of Kenya

30 November 2022

### **Audlem**

Please pray for our...

**Clergy:** Revd Alison Fulford

**Lay Workers:** Mrs Anne Draper; Miss Jill Williams

Please pray for the community we serve, for the needs that people are particularly aware of at the moment. And please pray for our church schools, that they would be encouraged in the good work that they do.

**Anglican Communion:** Nyamlel, The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan

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