



# Prayers

## Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> – Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July

We pray for churches preparing to re-open their buildings for worship. May church leadership teams feel your guidance and support in the planning and organisation. We pray that churches may find a way to ensure that a genuine and powerful sense of welcome is felt by all, despite the many restrictions in place.

1. Pray for all who live and worship in Saint David. Pray for their clergy Nigel Guthrie, Alison Whiting, Belinda Speed-Andrews, and readers Howard Friend, Bill Pattinson and Charlotte Townsend.
2. Pray for all who live and worship in the Saint James Mission Community and for their clergy Henry Pryse, Martin Poolton and Stephen Turner.
3. Pray for the Saint Jude's Mission Community, their clergy Tim Smith, Kim Lovell, readers Peter Hadden, Jackie Yates, and for all who live and worship in Saint Jude Plymouth.
4. Pray for the Saint Leonard Mission Community in Torquay, their clergy Simon Austen, Chris Keane, and for all who live and worship in Saint Leonard with Holy Trinity.
5. We pray for all who work in the NHS as we celebrate the 72nd anniversary of its creation in 1948. Please be with all our healthcare chaplains in Devon at this time. We also pray for the Saint Matthias Mission Community, their clergy John Beckett, Paul Barton, readers Stephen Vans-Colina, Ruth Beckett, and for all who live and worship in Saint Matthias, Saint Mark and Holy Trinity.
6. On Children's Art day, we pray for those children who would normally not have access to art, that they are able to enjoy this day and feel inspired by what they see and do.
7. Pray for the Saint Pancras Mission Community, their priest Lawrence Braschi, reader Paul Lumb, Church Army Captain Phillip Baul and for all who live and worship in Saint Pancras Pennycross. At the start of National Transplant Week we pray that more people will feel inspired to register to be organ donors and to discuss this decision with their families.
8. Pray for the Saint Peter and the Holy Apostles Mission Community, their clergy David Way and David Watson, their Missioner Ben Otley, and for all who live and worship in Plymouth St Peter and the Holy Apostles.
9. Pray for the Sampford Peverell Mission Community, their priest Glyn Lewry, reader Mandy Lewry, and for all who live and worship in Uplowman, Sampford Peverell, Holcombe Rogus, Hockworthy, Halberton and Burlescombe.
10. Pray for the Seaton and Beer Coastal Mission Community, their clergy Jeremy Trew and Simon Hitchcock, and for all who live and worship in Seaton, Beer.
11. Pray for our linked Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf; that their online worship services and children's ministries are relevant, and that church members come closer to God and grow in the knowledge of God.

# Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July

We pray for businesses in Devon as they navigate re-opening. May they make wise decisions as to how to balance business with the current restrictions and may their staff feel confident, safe and positive as they return to work.

12. In our link with Melanesia we pray for the Diocese of Central Solomons, Bishop Ben Seka and the staff at the Diocesan Headquarters in Tulagi and the church's shipyard at Taroaniara. We pray for the church's mission work around the islands on the Southern Cross boat.
13. In our link with Thika we pray for Bishop Julius, for all who work in the Diocesan Offices, and for the clergy and people of the Diocese. Pray for Bill Lemmey as he is licensed today to be vicar of the Whitecross Mission Community.
14. Pray for the work of all our school, college and university chaplains and all those whom offer pastoral support to schools. We also pray for those working at Exeter Cathedral School.
15. Pray for the Shaldon Mission Community, their priest Annie Church, reader Hugh McCormick, and for all who live and worship in Stokeinteignhead, Shaldon, Haccombe and Combeinteignhead. Pray for Penny Lawson as she is licensed today as Associate Minister of Edgemoor Mission Community. Also for Pete James who will be licensed as the leader for our new proposed Rural Plant just outside Exeter.
16. Pray for the Sherford Church of England Community Church Mission Community, their priest Tom Brassil and reader Andrew Williams. Pray for Elizabeth Burke as she is licensed today to be Rector of Holsworthy, Hollacombe, Pyworthy, Pancrasweek and Bridgerule. Also for John Roles as he is licensed to be Team Rector of Ilfracombe, Lee, Woolacombe, Bittadon and Morteheo. And for Cathy Scoffield as she is licensed as SSM Associate Minister of Newport & Bishops Tawton.
17. Pray for the Shirwell Mission Community, their clergy Rosie Austin and Martin Tyrrell, and for all who live and worship in Shirwell, Loxhore, Kentisbury, East Down with Arlington, Challacombe and Bratton Fleming with Stoke Rivers.
18. Pray for the Sid Valley Mission Community, their clergy David Caporn, Nigel Candelent, readers Elizabeth Harris, John Dunster, Carolyn Croft, Peter Scott, Carole Hawkins and for all who live and worship in Woolbrook, Sidmouth, Sidbury with Sidford, Salcombe Regis, All Saints Sidmouth.

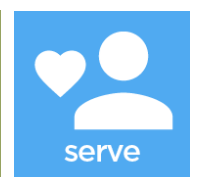
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# Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> – Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> July

We pray for all the businesses in Devon that have suffered terribly through the pandemic and particularly for those who are not yet allowed to reopen. We pray that their owners and staff will get the emotional and financial support they need. Help us to see how we can play our part in supporting them.

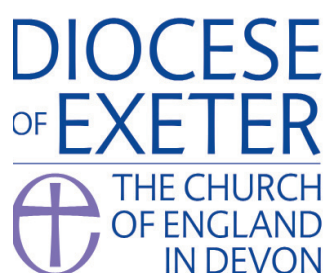
19. Pray for the Silverton Mission Community, their clergy Paul Kingdom, Thom Thompson, and for all who live and worship in Silverton, Cadeleigh, Butterleigh and Bickleigh.
20. Pray for all our hospital chaplains as they continue to minister to people at this very challenging time and in particular for Lead Chaplain Simon Leigh working at the Mount Gould Hospital in Plymouth.
21. In our link with the Diocese of Bayeux-Lisieux in France, we pray for the Centre of Theological Studies in Caen and its development of theological learning among clergy and lay people. Pray for parishes, their clergy and people in the area of Caen.
22. Pray for the South Dartmoor Mission Community, their clergy Denis Robinson and Paul Hinckley, reader Tricia Stringer, and for all who live and worship in Sparkwell, Ivybridge, Harford, Cornwood.
23. Pray for the South Molton Mission Community, their clergy Michael Grandey, David Coleman, Lynn Flatt, Christopher Pouncey, readers John Cundill, Deborah Bayliss, and for all who live and worship in Warkleigh with Satterleigh, South Molton with Nymet Saint George, Kingsnympton, Filleigh, Chittlehampton with UMBERLEIGH and Chittlehamholt.
24. Pray for the Start Bay Mission Community, readers Andy McMullin, Ken Ball, and for all who live and worship in South Pool, Slapton, East Portlemouth, Chivelstone and Charleton with Buckland-Tout-Saints.
25. Pray for the Stokenham Mission Community, their priest Michael Berrett, and for all who live and worship in Stokenham with Sherford and Beesands.



# Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> July

We pray for teachers, children and families during the summer holidays. We pray that during the weeks ahead they are able to get the help and support they need and find time to relax together. We pray for freedom from anxiety about the return to school in September and strong leadership from those in authority to ensure that all children will be able to get the education they need.

26. Pray for the Tamar Mission Community, their clergy Andy Atkins and Philip Conway, reader Rosie Woodcock, and for all who live and worship in Thrushelton, Stowford, Milton Abbot with Dunterton, Marystowe, Lifton, Lew Trenchard, Lamerton with Sydenham Damerel, Kelly with Bradstone, Coryton and Broadwoodwidge.
27. Pray for the Tamerton Foliot and Southway Mission Community, their clergy David Gill and Iain Robertson, and for all who live and worship in Tamerton Foliot and Southway.
28. Pray for the Tavy Mission Community, their clergy Chris Hardwick, Sean Brassil, Miranda Donne, Judith Blowey, Michael Loader, readers Hazel Butland, Anne de Looy, Sue Allerton, Anne Palfrey, Christopher Pancheri, Sally Pancheri, and for all who live and worship in Whitchurch, Tavistock, Peter Tavy, Mary Tavy, Gulworthy and Brent Tor.
29. Pray for the Teign Valley and Haldon Hill Mission Community, their priest Ruth Frampton, and for all who live and worship in Dunsford, Dunchideock, Doddiscombsleigh, Christow, Bridford and Ashton.
30. Pray for the Three Rivers Mission Community, their priest David Sayle, and for all who live and worship in Ugborough, Saint Peter Harbertonford, Moreleigh, Harberton, Halwell, Ermington and Diptford with North Huish.
31. Pray for the Three Wells Mission Community, their priest Michael Wilkie, readers John Dunn, Ruth Bettesworth, Ian Firth, and for all who live and worship in Kingskerswell, Coffinswell and Abbotskerswell.



*Whoever dwells in the shelter  
of the Most High will rest in the  
shadow of the Almighty. I will say of  
the Lord, "He is my refuge and my  
fortress, my God, in whom I trust."*

*Psalm 91: 1-2*