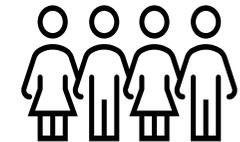


# Prayer Diary

November 2021



St Bartholomew's  
Church

This I call to mind,  
and therefore I have hope:  
the steadfast love  
of the Lord never ceases,  
his mercies never end;  
they are new every morning.

**Lamentations 3.21-23**

Forgive us Lord  
where we have failed  
to be thankful for all of your blessings.  
Forgive us Lord  
where we have put our hope  
in our wealth rather than in you.  
Forgive us Lord  
where we haven't shared  
what you have given us with others.  
Help us to become  
grateful and generous people  
as we put our hope in you.  
In Jesus' name we pray  
**Amen**

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Heavenly Father,  
grant us the wisdom  
to care for the earth and till it.  
Help us to act now for the good of future  
generations and all your creatures.  
Help us to become instruments  
of a new creation,  
Founded on the covenant of your love.  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord  
**Amen**

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"Living our vocation to be protectors of  
God's handiwork is essential to a life of  
virtue; it is not an optional or a secondary  
aspect of our Christian experience."  
Pope Francis

If you have any suggested items for inclusion  
in the December Prayer Diary, please pass these to  
Faith Truran by 20<sup>th</sup> November.  
01993 708645 [faith@truranfamily.co.uk](mailto:faith@truranfamily.co.uk)

Let us pray  
for all who suffer as a result of conflict,  
and ask that God may give us peace:  
for the service men and women  
who have died in the violence of war,  
each one remembered by and known to God;  
**May God give peace**  
for those who love them in death as in life,  
offering the distress of our grief  
and the sadness of our loss;  
**May God give peace**  
for all members of the armed forces who are  
in danger this day,  
remembering family, friends  
and all who pray for their safe return;  
**May God give peace**  
for civilian women, children and men whose  
lives are disfigured by war or terror,  
calling to mind in penitence  
the anger and hatreds of humanity;  
**May God give peace**  
for peace-makers and peace-keepers,  
who seek to keep this world secure and free;  
**May God give peace**  
for all who bear the burden and privilege of  
leadership, political, military and religious;  
asking for gifts of wisdom and resolve in the  
search for reconciliation and peace.  
**May God give peace**  
O God of truth and justice, we hold before  
you those whose memory we cherish,  
and those whose names we will never know.  
Help us to lift our eyes above this broken  
world, and grant us the grace to pray for  
those who wish us harm.  
As we honour the past, may we put our faith  
in your future; for you are the source of life  
and hope, now and for ever.  
**Amen**

Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you. 1 Peter 5:2

### November 2021

Let us pray

Mon 1<sup>st</sup>: for everyone attending the **COP26 summit** in Glasgow this week.

Tues 2<sup>nd</sup>: for the **people of China** to become more aware of their impact on climate change issues.

Wed 3<sup>rd</sup>: for ourselves to try to improve **our own Carbon footprint**.

Thurs 4<sup>th</sup>: for governments to take responsibility for and act to **stop Climate Change**.

Frid 5<sup>th</sup>: for the **emergency services** on this **Bonfire Night**.

Sat 6<sup>th</sup>: for solutions to come from the **COP26** to stop climate Change.

Sun 7<sup>th</sup>: for **Theodore Deicu** and his family as he is baptised today.

Mon 8<sup>th</sup>: for **Carers**, paid and unpaid.

Tues 9<sup>th</sup>: for the **residents of care homes**.

Wed 10<sup>th</sup>: for **dementia sufferers** and their families.

Thurs 11<sup>th</sup>: for the **Fabric Committee** meeting this evening; for their endeavours to preserve our church.

Frid 12<sup>th</sup>: for **God to call us a new rector**.

Sat 13<sup>th</sup>: for our Church Wardens, **Gill and Roger**.

Sun 14<sup>th</sup>: for those killed in conflict as we remember them on this **Remembrance Sunday**.

Mon 15<sup>th</sup>: for **refugees and homeless people** as winter begins to bite.

Tues 16<sup>th</sup>: for those people affected by **conflict or war**; for children in those areas.

Wed 17<sup>th</sup>: for **women young and old in Afghanistan** affected by Taliban rule.

Thurs 18<sup>th</sup>: for the **PCC** meeting tonight.

Frid 19<sup>th</sup>: for everyone living on **Peel Close** in Ducklington.

Sat 20<sup>th</sup>: for the **persecuted church** throughout the world.

Sun 21<sup>st</sup>: for all the **clergy** who visit our church to preach during the Interregnum.

Mon 22<sup>nd</sup>: for **people suffering from PTSD**; for the mental health provision in this country.

Tues 23<sup>rd</sup>: for the **members of the Armed Forces** and their leaders.

Wed 24<sup>th</sup>: for everyone living on **Lovell Close** in Ducklington.

Thurs 25<sup>th</sup>: for the people of the USA as they celebrate **Thanksgiving**.

Frid 26<sup>th</sup>: for those who have **recently been bereaved**.

Sat 27<sup>th</sup>: for **ourselves as Advent begins** tomorrow and we start the journey towards Christmas.

Sun 28<sup>th</sup>: for the **families** who will come to the **Christingle** service tonight.

Mon 29<sup>th</sup>: for everyone living on **Fielden Close** in Ducklington.

Tues 30<sup>th</sup>: for our **church community** during this period of vacancy.

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Peace I leave with you;  
my peace I give to you.  
I do not give to you as the world gives.  
Do not let your hearts be troubled,  
and do not let them be afraid.

**John 14:27**