



Cycle of Prayer

June 2024



"May grace and peace be yours in abundance in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord. His divine power has given us everything needed for life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness. Thus he has given us, through these things, his precious and very great promises."
2 Peter 1:2-4 NRSV

Saturday 1st June 2024

We pray for the congregation and community of [St Lawrence's](#), Heanor in the South East Derbyshire Deanery. We pray for the children, families, staff and governors of [Corfield CofE Infant School](#).

Sunday 2nd June 2024

The First Sunday after Trinity

Merciful Lord, inspire us with your Word, and be the strength of all who put their trust in you, heal us, and lead us in your ways, nourishing our souls with your eternal Word.

Amen.

Monday 3rd June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities within the benefice including [Hatton](#) in the Dove and Derwent Deanery.

Tuesday 4th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [Holy Trinity](#) and [St John the Evangelist](#), in the Ilkeston Benefice of South East Derbyshire Deanery.

Wednesday 5th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [St Mary the Virgin](#) in the Ilkeston Benefice of South East Derbyshire Deanery.

Thursday 6th June 2024

We pray for the Bishop's Leadership Team meeting today, asking for the blessing the Holy Spirit to guide and bless them in their work. Amen.

Friday 7th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [St Susanna](#), Horsley Woodhouse, in the Denby Group Benefice of South East Derbyshire Deanery.

Saturday 8th June 2024

We thank God for all the staff working at Church House, giving thanks for the ways in which they support our mission and ministry across the diocese.

Sunday 9th June 2024

The Second Sunday after Trinity

Loving Father, your mercy never fails. Cast out our fears, and lead us to do good works, so that we may follow in your ways; caring for your people as brother and sister, showing mercy and care to those in distress. Praying that your healing peace may be upon us. Amen.

Monday 10th June 2024

We pray for our older communities, praying especially for those who are lonely, those who are in hospital, or receiving medical treatment. We give thanks for all carers and NHS staff.

Tuesday 11th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [Christ Church](#) in the Ironville and Riddings Benefice in the Hardwick Deanery.

Wednesday 12th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [Killamarsh](#) and [Renishaw](#) Benefice in the North East Derbyshire Deanery. We pray for the children, families, staff and governors of [St Giles CofE Primary](#), Killamarsh.

Thursday 13th June 2024

We pray for work of the Estates Network Group as they meet together today, that they may find encouragement and support in challenging times.

Friday 14th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [All Saints](#), Kirk Hallam Benefice in South East Derbyshire.

Saturday 15th June 2024

Today we celebrate the King's Birthday and Trooping of the Colour, praying for continued good health and recovery for his Majesty.

We also remember in our prayers those attending the 'Prayer of The Heart' Quiet Day in Darley Dale, and ask that the Lord continue to inspire us all in our time of prayer. Amen.

Sunday 16th June 2024

The Third Sunday after Trinity

Father's Day

Risen Lord, help us to scatter the good seed of faith, to follow in your ways, and to carefully tend the hearts of those needing spiritual nourishment. We pray that we may be abundant and flourish in our lives of faith, bringing in a good harvest, and a good future for our churches. Amen.

Monday 17th June 2024

We pray for our Bishop Libby and Bishop Malcolm, as they embark on a fortnight of Bishop's Hospitality with groups and communities across the Diocese. We pray for all attending these events, as well as those who help make these events possible, asking for the Lord's blessing upon them. Amen.

Tuesday 18th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [Holy Trinity](#), Kirk Ireton in the Wirksworth Benefice in Carsington Deanery. We pray for the children, families, staff and governors of [Kirk Ireton CofE Primary School](#).

Wednesday 19th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [Kirk Langley](#), [Mackworth](#), [Mugginton](#) and Kedleston Benefice in Dove and Derwent Deanery. We pray for the children, families, staff and governors of Kirk Langley CofE Primary and Mugginton CofE Primary.

Thursday 20th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [St Peter's](#) in the Littleover Benefice in Derby City Deanery. We pray for the children, families, staff and governors of [Griffe Field Primary School](#) (Derby Diocesan Academy Trust).

Friday 21st June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [St John's](#) in the Long Eaton Benefice in South East Derbyshire Deanery.

Saturday 22nd June 2024

Today we pray for our Diocesan Synod, which meets today. It is the last Synod before the elections for new members, and so we pray for all current and future members of the Synod, giving thanks for their contribution to the work of our Diocese, and asking the Lord to bless the Synod and all its members as they look to the future.

Sunday 23rd June 2024

The Fourth Sunday after Trinity

Our Lord and Saviour, we come to you when storms arise, guide us through difficult waters, and trusting in your care, lead us to safety. Comfort all who are in distress, as we look to you our Lord and protector, our strong anchor in times of trouble. Amen.

Monday 24th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [St Laurence](#) in the Long Eaton Benefice. We pray for the children, families, staff and governors of [St Laurence CofE Primary School](#).

Tuesday 25th June 2024

We pray for the those within our Diocese and beyond, whose lives are changed by disability. We pray especially for the Disability Inclusion Action Group who are meeting today, that their meeting may be encouraging and helpful to those living with the challenges of disability. Amen.

Wednesday 26th June 2024

As the Petertide Ordinations approach, we pray for our Ordinands, who are beginning their retreat in preparation for their approaching Ordinations. May this be a fruitful time of reflection and prayer. Amen.

Thursday 27th June 2024

Today we remember in prayer our schools, and especially those attending the Schools Bishop's Badge Service at Derby Cathedral today, giving thanks and celebrating the contribution of students and teaching staff. Amen.

Friday 28th June 2024

We pray for the congregations and communities of [St Luke's](#) Loscoe in the Denby Group Benefice in South East Derbyshire Deanery. We pray for the children, families, staff and governors of [Loscoe CofE Primary School](#).

Saturday 29th June 2024

We pray for those about to be ordained to the priesthood in Derby Cathedral today, and to the diaconate tomorrow. We give thanks for their ministry, and pray for their families, friends, churches and communities, that together they may celebrate the Lord's calling to ministry and vocation, and may serve in holiness and truth. Amen.

Sunday 30th June 2024

The Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Eternal Lord, teach us to recognise you in Spirit and in Truth. That we may follow your word faithfully, giving thanks for your countless gifts of grace, which enrich our lives, and gives us hope and comfort when in need. Amen.

Our vision prayer

Gracious God,
in your mercy, and for your glory,
renew us, reshape us, revive us -
with generous faith, courageous hope, and life-giving love -
that, in transformed lives, through growing church and building
community,
we may see your Kingdom come
and be good news for all.
Amen.

The 2027 Community of Prayer

We are the Diocese of Derby network of prayer – praying together, as we prepare to celebrate our centenary in 2027, for transformed lives in growing church and building community the length and breadth of our diocese.

We hope that over the next five years, 2027 people will commit to regular prayer, as individuals, churches, groups or schools.

We encourage you to be part of the 2027 Community of Prayer and register at www.derby.anglican.org/2027.



Transformed Lives | Growing Church | Building Community
THE KINGDOM OF GOD - GOOD NEWS FOR ALL