



Transformed Lives -Growing Church – Building Community

The Diocese of Derby Cycle of Prayer

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 three years, 2027 people will commit to regular prayer, as individuals, churches, groups or schools.

Every day the cycle gives a prompt to prayer for the mission and ministry of the Diocese of Derby. Please include these prayers along with The Diocesan Vision Prayer and The Lord's Prayer in your daily intercessions.

Diocesan 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.

August 2025 North East Derbyshire Deanery World Peace Week

1 st	For the Area Dean, Daniel Cooke and the Assistant Area Dean, Sarah Colver and Bryony Taylor, as well as the Deanery Leadership Team. <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
2 nd	For all those holding the Bishop's Licence to minister in the North East Deanery; clergy, Readers and lay ministers, and those holding Permission to Officiate. For all those training for ordained and lay ministry, for their supervisors and for the parishes supporting them. <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
3 rd	Trinity 7 For those who we prayed for as part of 'Thy Kingdom Come'. For five people that we know, that they might come to faith. For our communities that others might trust Jesus and become his disciples.
4 th	For the parishes of St James' Barlborough and St John the Baptist, Clowne and for the ministry of Bryony Taylor. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities. <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>

5 th	<p>For the parishes of St Peter's Calow and St Mary's Sutton-cum-Duckmanton in vacancy. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities.</p> <p>For Calow CE school and for the headteacher, pupils, staff and governors.</p> <p><i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i></p>
6 th	<p>For the parishes of St Peter and Paul, Eckington, St John the Evangelist Ridgeway and for St Luke Upper Eckington, for the ministry of Andy Walker. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities.</p> <p>For Eckington Camms Endowed CE Primary school and for the headteacher, pupils, staff and governors.</p> <p><i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i></p>
7 th	<p>For the Benefice of Elmtun with Creswell and Whitwell with Steetley and for the ministry of Keith Cocking, Rector. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities.</p> <p>For the Creswell Infant church school and for the headteacher, pupils, staff and governors.</p> <p><i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i></p>
8 th	<p>For the parishes of St Giles' Killamarsh and St Matthew's Renishaw and for the ministry of Daniel Cooke, to be licensed in October. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities.</p> <p>For St Giles CE Primary school Killamarsh and for the headteacher, pupils, staff and governors.</p> <p><i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i></p>
9 th	<p>For the Staveley Barrow Hill Benefice and for the ministry of Adrian Arnold. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities.</p> <p>For St Joseph's Catholic and CE Primary School, Staveley and for the headteacher, pupils, staff and governors.</p> <p><i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i></p>
10 th	<p style="text-align: center;">Trinity 8</p> <p>For the summer holidays, that it might be a time to rest, to be renewed and to revive our vision, that we might have eyes to see and ears to hear all that God is doing in our lives.</p>
11 th	<p>For the parishes of Holy Trinity and Christ Church Chesterfield, for the ministry of Jilly Hancock and Justin Thacker. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities.</p> <p>For Chesterfield Christ Church CE Primary school and for the headteacher, pupils, staff and governors.</p> <p><i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i></p>
12 th	<p>For the benefice of Old Brampton with Great Barlow and Loundsley Green LEP church, and for the ministry of Sarah Colver and Gill Ball. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities.</p> <p>For Barlow CE Primary church school and for the headteacher, pupils, staff and governors.</p> <p><i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i></p>
13 th	<p>For the parishes of St Thomas' Brampton and St Mark's and for the ministry of Gary Weston and Josie Chamings. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the church in these communities.</p> <p><i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i></p>

14 th	For the parish of Chesterfield, St Mary and All Saints (The Crooked Spire) and St Leonard's Spital and for the ministry of Patrick Coleman. For the Wardens, PCC Chair and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the church in the centre of Chesterfield <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
15 th	For the Dronfield Team Ministry (including St Andrew's LEP) and for Lee Townend, Rector together with Ian Webb and Elliot George. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities. For St Andrew's Dronfield church school and for the headteacher, pupils, staff and governors. <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
16 th	For the parishes of St Paul's Hasland and St James the Apostle Temple Normanton and for the ministry of Geoffrey Borrowdale. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities. <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
17 th	Trinity 9 – World Peace Sunday For the peace of the world, as we remember the eightieth anniversary of the end of the Second World War, for all the services and events marking this week.
18 th	For all those remember someone lost in war and conflict, all those who carry the scars of war in their lives. For the county's British Legion and Burma Star branches, for the support they offer to all veterans. <i>World Peace Week</i>
19 th	For the 80 th anniversary of the end of the Second World War, giving thanks for the gift of peace between former enemies. For those working for an end to violence and conflict in our world today. <i>World Peace Week</i>
20 th	For peace in the Ukraine, for all those who are refugees from this conflict in the county, for our churches supporting Ukrainians living in our communities. <i>World Peace Week</i>
21 st	For understanding between those involved in conflict, for all peacemakers and for the Derby Peace events taking place at the Cathedral during the coming year. <i>World Peace Week</i>
22 nd	For our local community groups working for better understanding and harmony between different groups, for all that builds up our common life <i>World Peace Week</i>
23 rd	For our children and schools, for friendships between different ethnic groups and building up local clubs to promote unity and peace. <i>World Peace Week</i>
24 th	Trinity 10 For the Bank Holiday weekend, for the many festivals and summer events taking place, for the opportunity to be together and celebrate community life in our churches.
25 th	For the parish of All Saints' Wingerworth in vacancy. For the Wardens, PCC Chair and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the church in the community <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
26 th	For the parish of St Augustine, Chesterfield and for the ministry of Sally Anne Beecham and Benjamin Andreo-Boosey. For the Wardens, PCC Chair and all

	those supporting the ministry and mission of the church in this community including the work of Hope House <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
27 th	For the parishes of St Barnabas, New Whittington and St Bartholomew, Old Whittington and for the ministry of Jo Morris. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities. <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
28 th	For the parish of St John's, Newbold with Dunston and for the ministry of Rhoda Blackwell, Malcolm Pyatt and Rebecca Landers. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities. For Newbold church school and for the headteacher, pupils, staff and governors. <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
29 th	For the parish of St John's Walton and St Peter's Holymoorside and for the ministry of Nick Green and Jo Harbidge-Summers. For the Wardens, PCC Chair and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in these communities. <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
30 th	For the parish of St Michael and All Angels, Brimington and for the ministry of Daniel Cooke. For the Wardens, PCC Chairs and all those supporting the ministry and mission of the churches in this community. <i>North East Derbyshire Deanery</i>
31 st	Trinity 11 For schools returning this week after the summer holidays, for all staff, teachers and headteachers. For all children starting at new schools this week, that they might soon settle into their new class and make new friends.
Next Month the Prayer Diary will focus on Hardwick Deanery If you have any special events coming up in next month please let Cameron Butland know via email by the 10 th – thank you cameron.butland@derby.anglican.org We encourage you to be part of the 2027 Community of Prayer and register at www.derby.anglican.org/2027 .	