



St. Michael's, Bramcote

Parish Prayer Diary

July – August 2022

Prayer focus: - Going forward in Hope, Love and Faith



Jeremiah 29:11 'For I know the plans I have for you,'
declares the LORD, 'plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to
give you hope and a future'

Praying for those in need

We bring before God those we know in any kind of need. The sick and suffering, the bereaved, lonely, depressed or anxious.

Psalm 103:1-4

*Praise the LORD, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name.
Praise the LORD, my soul, and forget not all his benefits— who forgives
all your sins and heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from
the pit and crowns you with love and compassion.*

We pray for those with on-going needs:

Julie Astle	Daphne Bellamy	Doreen and Keith Bennet
Rosie Bjelland	Kate Bladen	Barbara Brown
Vickie Brown	Dorothy Bush	David Ducker
Betty Ellery	Gill Fazey	Frankie Hall
Gill Hallam	Keith and Beverley Holloway	
Claire Morrell	Frances Pearson	Mary Plackett
Kathleen and Albert Phillips		Dorothy Roberts
Richard and Rota Portwood		Michael Smith
Vicki White	Joe and Pat Whitely	Liz Wiseman
Gill and David Wilmot		

We remember in prayer the residents and businesses located within the parish in the following roads:

Claremont Avenue	Denewood Avenue
Cotswold Close	Derby Road (incl. Foxwood)
Cow Lane (incl. Holly Ct & Close Qtrs)	Dormey Close & Fern Close
Cranston Road	Dudley Court & Margaret Court
Crummock Close	Eastcote Avenue
David Grove	Ewe Lamb Close
Deddington Lane	Ewe Lamb L

Opening:

Reading Ephesians 4:1-13

Silence

Ephesians 4: 2-4 *Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called.*

Prayers for our church during this time of interregnum.

For the PCC and Churchwardens.

For Clergy and Reader team and all those taking on extra responsibility.

For the process as we move towards putting together a parish profile.

For the selection of two parish reps from the PCC.

For the Archdeacon, Phil Williams and Mike Duff the CPAS rep, as they guide us through the process.

Prayers for Donna and Children's work over the Summer.

Dad's and Kids, Messy church.

For preparations for Holiday club.

For enough volunteers for all this to happen, and time for all volunteers to be DBS checked.

For Tina Newton in her new role as Parish Safeguarding Officer

Praying for our Nation and for the World

1 Timothy 2:1-3

I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people— for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. This is good, and pleases God our Saviour.

Silence

Pray for Russia/Ukraine –pray for the leaders of both those countries, the people caught up in the conflict and for refugees fleeing the situation.

Thank God for people who are sending aid or offering a home.

For conflicts in other parts of the world – on the West Bank, the Yemen, Ethiopia, Afghanistan, Myanmar.
Other world issues close to our hearts.

For our government - for stability and integrity as they choose a new leader. For compassionate and just use of power.
For those suffering because of rising inflation, debt, depression, family breakdown.
For our NHS under pressure and understaffed.
For revival in our country.

Prayer for our Missionary links

Mark 16:19-20 *After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat at the right hand of God. Then the disciples went out and preached everywhere, and the Lord worked with them and confirmed his word by the signs that accompanied it.*

Silence

Kate and Paul and family: Currently in Britain and with us at the 10am service in St Michael's on Sunday 24 July. For safety as they travel around Britain and for their return to the Middle East on 20 August.

Azaria Spencer (CMS): Continues to enjoy working with youth in discipleship and coordinating programmes at the Centro Opp in Guatemala City. She asks for prayer for a fund-raising event, they will be holding on 30th July. She is also becoming more involved in the church she attends.

CMS also asks for prayer for the Latin American forum working to prepare for the Adelante conference , "*Passing the Baton: Leadership and innovation in mission in Latin America*", being held 30 September to 1 October in Oxford at CMS headquarters.

Pray for the Lambeth Conference, 27 July to 7 August, and for all those attending.

For the church and community in Berega in Tanzania. For David and Anne as they settle in Alnmouth