

Prayer Diary January 2021

Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace among those whom he favours Luke 2:14

The prayers each day are for:

- the mission and ministry of a benefice
- organisations, schools, events of the diocese and the wider community
- our link Diocese Kagera and World Mission

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Fri 1 Jan 2020	Woodbridge Deanery Woodbridge St John and Bredfield, The Revd Clive Howard, the Revd Martin Roberts, the Revd Bill Herbert	We pray for our Diocesan goals of Growing Younger, in Number, in Depth and in Influence.	Pray that this new year may be a year of peace and reconciliation across the world. Pray that the light of Jesus Christ will enter the hearts and minds of decision makers in all countries that the poorest may be raised up and that justice for all will prevail.
Sat 2 Jan 2020	Clare Deanery Bansfield, the Revd Eve Bell	We pray for those who have not been able to see family or friends over the Christmas holiday.	Pray for all mission agencies, struggling with reduced income because of the pandemic. We think particularly of Tearfund and Christian Aid working to support the most disadvantaged in our world.
Sun 3 Jan 2020	Clare Deanery Haverhill with Withersfield, the Revd Max Drinkwater, the Revd Chris Eyden	We pray for prisons in Suffolk (Hollesley Bay, Warren Hill and Highpoint)	Pray for a change of heart for our government that they will reinstate the UK aid budget that has been cut so that we can continue to support many of the world's poorest.

Mon 4 Jan 2020	Clare Deanery Stourhead, the Revd Chris Giles	Church Schools in Clare Deanery: Cavendish Primary School; Thurlow Primary School	Kagera: the Revd Jonathan Mapinduzi, Centre Manager – KCBRP, Karagwe
Tues 5 Jan 2020	Clare Deanery Suffolk Heights, the Revd Dr Simon Hill	Chaplains to Schools and Colleges	Pray for all who are oppressed and exploited through modern day slavery. We pray for the success of the Clewer Initiative in raising awareness of the problem in the UK and their work in bringing those who exploit others to justice.
Wed 6 Jan 2020	Clare Deanery The Stour Valley, vacant at present	Pray for refugees and migrants that they will find a welcome and a home at the end of their journey	Pray for healing and the restoration of peace where racism has caused the inequality that devalues human life.
Thurs 7 Jan 2020	Colneys Deanery Felixstowe Christ Church, the Revd Marcus Mak	Pray for medical staff, hospitals and clinics	Kagera the Revd Canon Naftali Hosea (Archdeacon), Kayanga Deanery,
Fri 8 Jan 2020	Colneys Deanery Felixstowe St John the Baptist with St Edmund, the Revd Canon Andrew Dotchin, the Revd Penny Brinkley	Chaplains to Seafarers	Kagera: the Revd Tito Nathaneal, Kanyinya Parish.
Sat 9 Jan 2020	Colneys Deanery Felixstowe St Peter and St Paul with St Andrew and St Nicholas, the Revd Chris Hood, the Revd David White	For the Love Rural initiative and God's calling for the church in Suffolk countryside	Pray for the work of Christian Aid as it seeks to help those who are struggling with the effects of the climate crisis around the world. Pray particularly for their work with those who suffered as a result of Hurricane Iota in Central America.
Sun 10 Jan 2020	Colneys Deanery Kesgrave, the Revd Robin Spittle, the Revd Gary Jones	For on-line church services for those shielding at home and for those providing them	Pray for a rapid roll out of the Covid 19 vaccines across the world. Pray that they will be available to all countries as quickly as possible.

Mon 11 Jan 2020	Colneys Deanery Martlesham with Brightwell, the Revd Toby Tate, the Revd Christine Pinder, the Revd Margaret Rittman	Local Government and Councillors	Pray for the people of Brazil who are dying in large numbers from the Coronavirus. Pray for wisdom for their President and government that they will take the actions necessary to reduce the death toll.
Tues 12 Jan 2020	Colneys Deanery The Orwell and Deben Rural Benefice, the Revd Canon Ian Wilson, the Revd Sarah Jenkins	Business and Finance Sector in Suffolk	Kagera: Pray for the Revd Anania Andrew tutor at KCTC
Wed 13 Jan 2020	Colneys Deanery Walton and Trimley, the Revd Paul Clarke, the Revd Wendy Smith	The work of Food Banks across Suffolk	Kagera : Pray for Archdeacon Manasseh and his congregation in Rulenge parish, and his work as Rural Dean in Kibirizi
Thur 14 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery Bramford with Little Blakenham, Baylham and Nettlestead, vacant at present	Chaplains to the Armed Forces	Kagera: Asifiwe Gwihangwe, Diocesan Secretary
Fri 15 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery Henley St Peter, the Revd Cathy Austin	Housing Associations and affordable housing	Kagera: the Revd Geoffrey Charles, Mugisagara Parish. The Revd Samson Bisakumbwa, Rural Dean Mabawe Deanery.
Sat 16 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery Needham Market with Badley, the Revd Canon Diane Williams, the Revd Sarah du Boulay	Messy Church events, volunteers, children and families	Kagera: Josias Buneye, Co-ordinator of Bible Knowledge in Secondary Schools

Sun 17 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery North Bosmere, the Revd Philip Payne, the Revd Helen Norris	For the Emergency Services	The Revd Canon Nehemia Kazuzi (Archdeacon), Rural Dean Ngara Mjini Deanery.
Mon 18 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery South Bosmere, the Revd Daniel Harrison	Gipping Valley Deanery Church Schools: Bramford Primary School; Creting St Mary Primary School; Stonham Aspal Primary School; Trinity Primary School Combs.Great Finborough Primary School.Crawford's Primary School, Haughley,Old Newton Primary School.	Kagera: the Revd Fr Phocas Nshimiyimana, Principal at Kagera Christian Training College.
Tues 19 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery Bacton with Wyverstone, Cotton and Old Newton, and Wickham Skeith, the Revd Carl Melville	During the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, we pray for good relationships with other denominations	Kagera: Pray for the children in Kagera, especially for those in the church run schools, Ngara Anglican Primary School and the Good Shepherd secondary school.
Wed 20 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery Combs and Finborough, the Revd Chris Childs, the Revd Canon Pauline Higham	Alcoholics Anonymous Groups throughout Suffolk	Pray that the transfer of the presidency in the USA will happen peacefully and that there will be reconciliation across the country under the new president. Pray that he will govern with wisdom and integrity.
Thurs 21 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery Haughley with Wetherden and Stowupland, the Revd Brin Singleton	Our care for the environment and God's creation	The Revd Jonathan Mapinduzi, Nyakahanga Parish.

Fri 22 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery Mendlesham St Mary, the Revd Philip Gray	Victims of Modern Day Slavery, the sex trade, crime, labour exploitation and domestic servitude	Kagera: the Revd Livingston Nchira, Kagali Parish.
Sat 23 Jan 2020	Gipping Valley Deanery Stowmarket St Peter and St Mary, the Revd Michael Eden, the Revd Richard Stretch	Chaplains to Army, Sea and Air Cadets	Kagera: Mary, the new MU co-ordinator
Sun 24 Jan 2020	Hadleigh Deanery Bildeston with Wattisham and Lindsey, Whatfield with Semer, Nedging and Naughton, the Revd Elke Cattermole	For uniformed organisations: Rainbows, Beavers, Brownies, Cubs, Guides, Scouts, Venture Scouts and Rangers	Biharamulo: the Revd Canon Mathayo Makenzi and the Revd Canon Jonas Samwel, both studying for a Diploma in Theology at St Philip's Theological College.
Mon 25 Jan 2020	Hadleigh Deanery Elmsett with Aldham, Hintlesham, Chattisham and Kersey, the Revd Jackson Crompton-Battersby	Retail industry	Kagera: the Revd Gabriel Ndabisebeleze, Chaplain to Murgwanza Hospital
Tues 26 Jan 2020	Hadleigh Deanery Hadleigh, Layham and Shelley, the Very Revd Jo Delfgou	Hadleigh Deanery Church Schools: Elmsett Primary School; St Mary's Primary School Hadleigh; Hintlesham & Chattisham Primary School; Kersey Primary School; Whatfield Primary School	Biharamulo: the Revd Samson Zacharia, Rural Dean Chato Deanery

Wed 27 Jan 2020	Hadleigh Deanery Higham, Holton St Mary, Raydon and Stratford St Mary, the Revd Manette Crossman, the Revd Martyn Carr, the Revd Nicola Tindall	Mothers Union in the diocese	Kagera: the Revd Canon Alfred Sebahene from Kagera diocese Lecturing at St John's University, Dodoma.
Thurs 28 Jan 2020	Hadleigh Deanery Benefice of Stoke by Nayland with Leavenheath and Polstead and Nayland with Wissington, the Revd Mark Woodrow	Mental Health Service and charities promoting mental health	Kagera: the Revd Canon Sebastian Rubete, Ruganzo Parish.
Fri 29 Jan 2020	Hartismere Deanery Eye, the Revd Dr Guy Sumpter	Church Army	Pray for Dr Remmy, Director of Murgwanza Hospital, as he faces continuing financial pressures.
Sat 30 Jan 2020	Hartismere Deanery North Hartismere, the Revd Adrian Watkins	Businesses suffering as a result of the Covid Lockdowns	Kagera: Andrea Nziko, Hospital Administrative secretary says, Pray for doctors to be willing to go to Murgwanza hospital and for good staff retention so that quality services can be delivered.
Sun 31 Jan 2020	Hartismere Deanery Redgrave cum Botesdale with Rickinghall, the Revd Chris Norburn	Theological Colleges and Courses	Pray for all refugees fleeing oppression that they may find safety and be able to start a new life.