



Lichfield Diocesan Prayer Diary

w/b 10/06/2018

Sunday 10th June *2nd Sunday after Trinity*

Global: La Iglesia Anglicana de La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico, The Most Revd Francisco Moreno, Presiding Bishop of La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico & Bishop of Northern Mexico

Companion Link: **Qu'Appelle, Canada**

Pray for Susan Boxhall and Debbie Hubick and their congregations in Fort Qu'Appelle and Weyburn as they begin their ministry in the Diaconate. For all visitors to churches in Qu'Appelle Diocese that they may be made to feel welcome, at home and grow in faith. For all Juniors going to Summer Camp at Glen Harbor and Teens going to camp at Banff that they may enjoy their vacation and come to know and trust in Jesus more closely as a result of their time away.

Rev Terry Bloor

Local: Black Country Urban Industrial Mission; for effective ministry to people at work and to be a prophetic voice to society; for Revd Bill Mash the leader of this ecumenical team and for all who work with him. www.bcuim.co.uk

Monday 11th June *Barnabas the Apostle*

Global: Diocese on the Coast formerly Ikale-Ilaje, Nigeria- The Rt Revd Joshua Ogunele

Local: The Benefice of Abbots Bromley, Blithfield, Colton, Colwich, and Great Haywood in the deanery of Rugeley
Rector- Revd Simon Davis, Associate ministers- Revd Mark Davys, Revd Lynda Farrington, Revd Anne Noble, Curate- The Revd Stephen Deall, OLM- The Revd Pamela Merriott, LLMs- Mrs Olive Ballard, Captain Christopher Brown, Mr Denis Cheney, Mr William Ives, Mrs Winifred Roe, and for all church wardens.

Pray for the Revd Steve Deall, our benefice Deacon, as he is priested and begins a new chapter in his ministry. Pray for the discernment of the Holy Spirit in how to fulfil our mission to the under 45s. Pray also for our ministry to the schools in the benefice and to young people as they move to Middle/High Schools in the new school year.

Rev Simon Davis

Special focus: National Carers' Week www.carersweek.org/

We pray for all those who give their time to care for others and ask for God's blessing on young people who are carers.

Tuesday 12th June

Global: Diocese in Europe - The Rt Revd Robert Innes
Suffragan Bishop of the Diocese in Europe - The Rt Revd David Hamid

Local: Longton Hall S. Paul in the deanery of Stoke on Trent
Priest in Charge- The Revd John Alessi, LLMs- Mrs Barbara Burton, Mrs Wendy Edwards, Mr Barrie Cooper, CWs- Mr Barrie Cooper, Mr Kenneth Edwards, Mrs Susan Moss, Mr Kevin Weston

Today: Diocesan meeting- Bishop's Staff Meeting (9.30)
A RNG lab- Telford- Sharing Faith in the Home (10.00)

Wednesday 13th June

Global: Eastern Kowloon - Hong Kong- The Rt Revd Timothy Kwok

Local: Bradley S Martin in the deanery of Wolverhampton
Vicar- The Revd Raphael Duckett, LLM- Mr Matthew Aldridge
CWs- Mr Stephen Robinson

Pray for our Vicar, new PCC and Wardens. Pray for our children's and young people's work

Pray for our work with the elderly and vulnerable.

The Revd Raphael Duckett

Thursday 14th June *Richard Baxter, Puritan Divine, 1691* *Day of Thanksgiving for the Institution of the Holy Communion (Corpus Christi)*

Global: Diocese of The Bahamas and The Turks and Caicos Islands - West Indies- The Rt Revd Laish Boyd

Local: Bentilee S. Stephen in the deanery of Stoke on Trent
Team Rector- The Revd Nigel Evans, Team Vicar- The Revd David Street,
Curates- The Revd Michael Bridgewater, The Revd Malcolm Mycock
LLMs- Mrs Frances Bridgewater, Mrs Hilary Burton, Mrs Jacqueline Pettitt
CWs- Mr Paul Heilbronn, Mrs Rachael Robinson Collier

Today- Diocesan meeting – Glebe Committee (10.00)

Friday 15th June *Evelyn Underhill, Spiritual Writer, 1941*

Global: Diocese of the Free State - Southern Africa, The Rt Revd Dintoe Letloenyane

Local: The Parish of Leek and Meerbrook in the deanery of Leek
Team Rector- The Revd Nigel Irons, Team Vicar- The Revds- Matt Malins and David Nichol
LLMs- Mrs Hazel Henshaw, Mrs Sue Irons, Mrs Wendy Kenny, Mrs Christine Nixon, Mrs Susan Taylor and for all church wardens

All Saints Leek- Pray for all the officers of the DCC as we take up the challenges of planning for the future and for All Saints First School as it changes to an academy.

Pray for St. Matthew's Meerbrook and give thanks for the growing congregation and developing links with Blackshaw Moor First School. Please pray for our Sunday school that is also developing

The Revd David Malins

Special Focus: Wolverhampton Poverty Truth Commission holds its showcase event this afternoon. People with direct experience of poverty have been working the decision makers in the City on themes of Mental Health, Housing and Support Networks.

Pray for Bishop Clive and all those involved, that key messages may be heard, with commitments to action.

Rev George Fisher

Saturday 16th June *Richard, Bishop of Chichester, 1253, Joseph Butler, Bishop of Durham, Philosopher, 1752*

Global: Western Kowloon - Hong Kong- The Rt Revd Andrew Chan

Today: A RNG lab- Telford- Sharing Faith in the Home (10.00)
Pray for Revd Jonathan Watkins as he is licenced today as Priest in Charge of Knutton, in the deanery of Newcastle (15.00)

Prayer for the Week: Almighty God, who filled the heart of Columba with the joy of the Holy Spirit and with deep love for those in his care: may your pilgrim people follow him, strong in faith, sustained by hope, and one in the love that binds us to you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, Amen

Rev Philip Swan