

## Intercession List for January 2021

Please pray for:

<i>Diocesan Bishop:</i> Bishop David	<i>Bishop of Beverley:</i> Bishop Glyn
<i>Bishop of Bolton:</i> Bishop Mark	<i>Bishop of Maidstone:</i> Bishop Rod
<i>Bishop of Middleton:</i> Bishop Mark	<i>Dean:</i> Rogers Govender
<i>Archdeacons:</i> Jean Burgess, Karen Lund, David Sharples.	

Also:

Our companion Link Dioceses of:  
Namibia, the clergy and people, together with their bishop, the Rt Revd Luke Lungile Pato. (N)  
Lahore, the clergy and people, together with their bishop, the Rt Revd Irfan Jamil. (L)  
Our partnership with the Diocese of Tampere, Finland, (Porvoo Communion) the clergy and people together with their bishop, the Rt Revd Matti Repo. (P)  
Our historic friendship with the Diocese of Melbourne, Australia, the clergy and people, together with their bishop, the Most Revd Philip Freier and the regional bishops.

*Note: entries marked (Porvoo) are taken from 'The Porvoo Churches Invitation to Prayer'.  
Entries marked (ACP) are taken from the Anglican Cycle of Prayer.*

*Parishes are prayed for daily in the Cathedral at Evensong or Evening Prayer, using this list. Clergy and parishioners are welcome to attend on any day, and especially when their parish or benefice is remembered.*

- 1 Fri      ***The Naming and Circumcision of Jesus.***  
St Margaret, Whalley Range. St Margaret's CE Primary School, Whalley Range.  
**Pray for this parish.**  
**ACP** The Diocese of Aba – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Aba Province).
- 2 Sat      Basil the Great and Gregory of Nazianzus, Bishops, Teachers of the Faith, 379 and 389.  
*Seraphim, Monk of Sarov, Spiritual Guide, 1833. Vedanayagam Samuel Azariah, Bishop in South India, Evangelist, 1945.*  
St Crispin, Withington: Revd Patrick Davies.  
**Pray for this parish.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Aba Ngwa North – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Aba Province).
- 3 Sun      ***The Second Sunday of Christmas.***  
**ACP:** The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria.  
**Porvoo:** Church of England: Diocese of London, Bishop Sarah Mullally, Bishop Graham Tomlin, Bishop Pete Broadbent, Bishop Rob Wickham, Bishop Jonathan Baker, Bishop Ric Thorpe, Bishop Joanne Grenfell. Church of Norway: Diocese of Nidaros/ New see and Trondheim, Presiding Bishop Olav Fykse Tveit, Bishop Herborg Oline Finnset.
- 4 Mon      Manchester Cathedral: Very Revd Rogers Govender, Revd Canon Dr David Holgate, Ven. David Sharples, Revd Canon Marcia Wall, Revd Steven Hilton.  
**Pray for the cathedral.**  
**Tampere Link: Pray that this year it will be possible for young people from Manchester to attend a Summer Camp in Tampere diocese; also for a strengthening of the link between young people and youth workers in Tampere and Manchester.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Abakaliki – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Enugu Province).
- 5 Tues      HMP Manchester: Revd Jo Calladine, Revd Sean Page.  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Aberdeen & Orkney – The Scottish Episcopal Church.
- 6 Wed      ***The Epiphany.***  
Parishes in the deanery of North Manchester: Area Dean - Revd Eddie Roberts. Lay Chair: Diane Carr. Missioner: Revd Chris Fallone.  
**Pray also for the retired clergy and Readers living and working in the deanery.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Abuja – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Abuja Province).
- 7 Thurs      Most Holy Trinity, Blackley.  
**Pray for this parish.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Abyei – The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan (Northern Bahr el Ghazal Province).

- 8 Fri Victoria Avenue Mission Partnership comprising St Andrew, Blackley, St Paul, Blackley, St Peter, Blackley, St Mary, Moston: Revd Eddie Roberts, Revd Canon Cathy Nightingale, Revd Helen Tomlinson, Revd Phil Maudsley, Revd Andy Smith. Readers: Katherine Strudwick, Helen Vickers, Susan Winstanley, Steve Gray.  
**Blackley churches: Pray for these parishes.**  
**St Mary, Moston: Thank God for the ever growing Beyond Our Walls weekly outdoor service. Pray for its growth across the mission unit.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Accra – The Church of the Province of West Africa (Ghana Province).
- 9 Sat Cheetham and Lower Crumpsall Benefice comprising Trinity United Church and St Thomas, Lower Crumpsall with St Mark, Cheetham: Revd Sarah Fletcher.  
**Pray for this benefice.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Adelaide – The Anglican Church of Australia (South Australia Province).
- 10 Sun **The Baptism of Christ. *The First Sunday after Epiphany.***  
**ACP:** The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia.  
**Porvoo:** Evangelical Lutheran Church in Finland: Diocese of Oulu, Bishop Jukka Keskitalo. Church of Norway: Diocese of Sør-Hålogaland (Bodø), Bishop Ann-Helen Fjeldstad Jusnes. Church of England: Diocese of Coventry, Bishop Christopher Cocksworth, Bishop John Stroyan.
- 11 Mon Mary Slessor, Missionary in West Africa 1915.  
The Saviour, Collyhurst: Revd Neil Elliott, Revd Martin Rogers, Revd Sean Page. Saviour CE Primary School, Collyhurst. St Augustine's CE Primary School, Monsall.  
**Pray that God would continue to surround, strengthen and equip them in his love and power to share the Gospel and to serve each other and their parish community.**  
**Namibia Link: Pray for all in Namibia.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Afikpo – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Enugu Province).
- 12 Tues Aelred, Abbot, 1167. Benedict Biscop, scholar, 689  
St Matthew with St Mary, Crumpsall: Revd Daniel Valentine. Reader: Ian Choularton. St Mary's CE Primary School, Moston.  
**Pray for long and fruitful partnerships with the local community groups that are using or will return to their church hall next year. Pray for the work of the foodbank, community shop, activities for toddlers and for the elderly.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of North Africa – The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria.
- 13 Wed Hilary, bishop of Poitiers, Teacher of the Faith, 367  
*Kentigern (Mungo), Missionary Bishop in Strathclyde and Cumbria, 603. George Fox, Founder of the Society of Friends (the Quakers), 1691.*  
Christ Church, Harpurhey: Revd Neil Elliott. Readers: Kathie O'Connor, Derek Urhoghide.  
**Pray that God would continue to surround, strengthen and equip them in his love and power to share the Gospel and to serve each other and their parish community.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of the Horn of Africa – The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria.
- 14 Thurs St Luke, Lightbowne.  
**Pray for this parish.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Agra – The (united) Church of North India.
- 15 Fri St Chad, New Moston: Revd Phil Maudsley.  
**Thank God for the ever growing Beyond Our Walls weekly outdoor service. Pray for its growth across the mission unit.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Aguata – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Niger Province).
- 16 Sat St John, Moston.  
**Pray for this parish.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Ahoda – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Niger Delta Province).
- 17 Sun **The Second Sunday of Epiphany.**  
**ACP:** The Anglican Church of Australia.  
**Porvoo:** Evangelical Lutheran Church in Finland: Diocese of Tampere, Bishop Matti Repo. Church of England: Diocese of Manchester, Bishop David Walker, Bishop Mark Ashcroft, Bishop Mark Davies.

- 18 Mon *Beginning of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.*  
*Amy Carmichael, Founder of the Dohnavur Fellowship, Spiritual Writer, 1951.*  
 Newton Heath: Revd Andrew Wickens. Reader: Yvonne Brooks. St Wilfrid's CE Primary School, Newton Heath. All Saints CE Primary School, Newton Heath.  
**Our response to imminent new housing for thousands; that our church and church schools can grow in service to those of all faiths and none, all made in God's image.**  
**Lahore Link: Pray for the establishment of parish links and the opportunity to share in fellowship with Christian communities in Pakistan.**  
**Pakistan: Pray for the relationship with Pakistan's neighbouring countries.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Aipo Rongo – The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea.
- 19 Tues *Wulfstan, bishop, 1095.*  
 Manchester University NHS FT: Revd Jane Vost, Revd Jeremy Law.  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Ajayi Crowther – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Ibadan Province).
- 20 Wed *Richard Rolle of Hampole, Spiritual Writer, 1349.*  
 Parishes in the Deanery of Stretford: Area Dean – Revd Canon Chris Ford. Lay Chair – Yvonne Mackereth.  
**Pray also for the retired clergy and Readers living and working in the deanery.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Akobo – The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan (Jonglei Province).
- 21 Thurs *Agnes, child martyr, 304.*  
 Christ Church, Davyhulme and St Clement, Urmston (Benefice): Revd Christine Bailey.  
**Pray for this benefice.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Akoko – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Ondo Province).
- 22 Fri *Vincent of Saragossa, deacon, martyr, 304.*  
 St Mary the Virgin, Davyhulme: Revd Canon Chris Ford, Revd Dr Simon Wright, Revd Jenni Beaumont, Revd Chris Waddleton. St Mary's CE Primary School, Davyhulme.  
**Give thanks for those who have worked so diligently to keep the building open over the past year and are seeking to further enhance its potential for mission and worship in the future.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Akoko Edo – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Bendel Province).
- 23 Sat St John, Flixton: Revd Rodney Green, Revd Mo Surrey, Revd Debra Blair.  
**Pray as they move into a new year with a new minister joining the team and one moving to a new area of ministry. Pray for all of the members of the church and all in the local community. Pray for all the community groups who use the church hall many have not been able to meet physically in the past year. Pray for the safety and well-being of all people.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Akot – The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan (Eastern Bahr el Ghazal Province).
- 24 Sun **The Third Sunday of Epiphany.**  
**ACP:** The Church of Bangladesh.  
**Porvoo:** Church of England: Diocese of Birmingham, Bishop David Urquhart, Bishop Anne Hollinghurst. Church of Ireland: Diocese of Cork, Cloyne and Ross, Bishop Paul Colton. Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark: Diocese of Elsinore, Bishop Lise-Lotte Rebel.
- 25 Mon **The Conversion of Paul.**  
 St Michael, Flixton: Revd Huw Thomas, Revd Alex Clephane, Revd Fiona Jenkinson. Readers: Stuart Derber, Vaughan Reeves. St Michael's CE Primary School, Flixton.  
**Thank you for all the generosity of the people of Flixton with supporting the foodbank and donating presents to those who wouldn't otherwise get them.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Akure – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Ondo Province).
- 26 Tues Timothy and Titus, Companions of St. Paul.  
 Firswood and Gorse Hill (St Hilda): Revd Ross Malkin, Revd Jo Jarrett. St Hilda's CE Primary School, Firswood.  
**Pray for evangelism in the New Year, effective technology for worship in building/online together (started for Christmas), more effective work online with young people, delayed Latin Link placement from Bolivia to arrive and build work with their Spanish speakers and thanksgiving for support of clergy and diocese in this time.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Alabama – The Episcopal Church (IV (4) Province).

- 27 Wed St John the Evangelist, Old Trafford: Revd John Hughes, Revd Christine Aspinall. Reader: John Ward.  
**Pray for this parish.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Alaska – The Episcopal Church (VIII (8) Province).
- 28 Thurs Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Philosopher, Teacher of the Faith, 1274.  
All Saints, Stretford: Revd Luke Maguire, Revd Andrew Bennison. Lostock College.  
**Pray for this parish.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Saint Albans – The Church of England (Canterbury Province).
- 29 Fri St Bride, Old Trafford: Revd Peter Matthews, Revd Viv Eccles.  
**Pray for this parish.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Albany – The Episcopal Church (II (2) Province).
- 30 Sat Charles, King and Martyr, 1649.  
St Matthew, Stretford: Revd Kate Burgess, Revd Simon Schofield. Reader: Joan Needham.  
St Matthew's CE Primary School, Stretford.  
**We pray with thanksgiving for the faithfulness of their church members.**  
**ACP:** The Diocese of Algoma – The Anglican Church of Canada (Ontario Province).
- 31 Sun **The Sunday of Epiphany.**  
**ACP:** Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil.  
**Porvoo:** Church in Wales: Diocese of Bangor, Bishop Andrew John. Church of Ireland: Diocese of Dublin and Glendalough, Archbishop Michael Jackson.