

DIOCESE OF SWANSEA AND BRECON  
ESGOBAETH ABERTAWE AC ABERHONDDU

# Cycle of Intercessions

Sunday 1 August

to

Sunday 31 October 2021





## EDITOR'S NOTES

### Cycle of Prayer

Each day has been divided into two sections:

1. The Diocesan Cycle
2. The Anglican Cycle

Each Ministry Area has been allocated a particular week. The Ministry Area Leader, clergy, lay ministers and any schools within a Ministry Area are prayed for during that week. Where there is space, Provincial or Diocesan intentions are mentioned.

This Cycle of Prayer can be used alongside the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle "With All God's People" published by the World Council of Churches, as well with the Porvoo Communion "Invitation to Prayer". However, they are not meant to be followed rigidly. In times of need appropriate prayers should be substituted.

### Content

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### Liturgical

Each day is presented with the date, day and the Sunday Title or Saints/Feast Day taken from *The Church in Wales Lectionary* produced by The Church in Wales/Yr Eglwys yng Nghymru. If a minor saint's day falls on a Sunday then it is not observed, unless it is your church's Feast of Title or Dedication, in which case it may take precedence over a Sunday in Ordinary Time. Otherwise it may be celebrated on the next available ferial day.

Group I and II Holy Days (those which should always be celebrated) are shown with **BOLD UPPERCASE LETTERS**. Group III Festivals and Commemorations (those with lectionary provision for the daily Eucharist and Offices) are shown with **lowercase bold letters**. Group IV and V Festivals and Commemorations are shown in lowercase.

The Church in Wales Lectionary can be accessed online:

[https://www.churchinwales.org.uk/en/publications/liturgy/Lectionary\\_Year\\_B\\_2020\\_2021/](https://www.churchinwales.org.uk/en/publications/liturgy/Lectionary_Year_B_2020_2021/)

A hard copy may be purchased from the publisher *Y Lolfa* via:

<https://www.ylolfaf.com/products/9781784619428/lectionary-2020-2021>

The *Anglican Cycle of Prayer* can be accessed online:

<https://aco.org/acp>

Sunday 1	<b>The Ninth Sunday after Trinity</b> Church of the Province of South East Asia  Talgarth and Llyswen Ministry Area
Monday 2	Dogura, The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea  Rowland Edwards, Ministry Area Leader for Talgarth & Llyswen MA
Tuesday 3	Germanus (5 <sup>th</sup> Century), Bishop Doko, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)  Archdeacon Griffiths V.A. School, in Talgarth & LLyswen MA
Wednesday 4	Dominican Republic, The Episcopal Church  Michelle Bailey, Bishop's Officer for Rural Life
Thursday 5	Oswald (642), King and Martyr Dornakal, The (United) Church of South India  Clare Morgan, Children, Youth & Families Officer for Greater Brecon Deanery
Friday 6	<b>THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD</b> Down & Dromore, The Church of Ireland  A growing sense of God's glory within the Church
Saturday 7	Dublin & Glendalough, The Church of Ireland  Rana Khan, Area Dean for the Deanery of Greater Brecon
Sunday 8	<b>The Tenth Sunday after Trinity</b> The Church of South India (United)  Mumbles MA
Monday 9	Augustine Baker (1641), Priest and Monk; or Mary Sumner (1921), Founder of the Mothers' Union; or Edith Stein (1942), Teacher, Religious and Martyr Duk, The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan  The Diocesan Electors as they meet in preparation for the episcopal election.

Tuesday 10	Lawrence (258), Deacon and Martyr Dunedin, The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia  Clergy in the Mumbles MA: Chris Darvill (MA Leader), Archdeacon Jonathan Davies, Keith Evans, Hywel Griffiths, Biddy Wigley
Wednesday 11	Clare of Assisi (1253), Mendicant Dunkwa-on-Offin, The Church of the Province of West Africa  Felicity Padley, Reader in the Mumbles MA
Thursday 12	Ann Griffiths (1805), Poet Durgapur, The (United) Church of North India  Lay Pastoral Visitors in the Mumbles MA
Friday 13	Jeremy Taylor (1667), Bishop Durham, The Church of England  Peter Brooks, Area Dean for the Deanery of Greater Gower
Saturday 14	Maximilian Kolbe (1941), Priest and Martyr Dutse, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)  Llangasty Retreat House and all who work there
Sunday 15	<b>MARY, MOTHER OF OUR LORD</b> The Anglican Church of Southern Africa  The Unity of the Church
Monday 16	Easton, The Episcopal Church  Penderi Ministry Area
Tuesday 17	Eau Claire, The Episcopal Church  Clergy in Penderi MA: Ian Drew-Jones (MA Leader), Jonathon Wright
Wednesday 18	Central Ecuador, The Episcopal Church  Lay Worship Leaders and Lay Pastoral Visitors in the Penderi MA

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Thursday 19

Edinburgh, The Scottish Episcopal Church

Dewi Roberts, Bishop's Officer for Welsh Language

Friday 20

Bernard (1153), Abbot

Edmonton, The Anglican Church of Canada

Justin Davies, Diocesan Warden of Readers

Saturday 21

Saint Edmundsbury & Ipswich, The Church of England

Tim Ardouin, Bishop's Officer for Inter-Faith

Sunday 22

**The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity**

The Anglican Church of South America

East Radnor Ministry Area

Monday 23

Tydfil (430), Martyr

Egba, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

Clergy in the East Radnor MA: Petra Goodband (MA Leader), Rachael Storer

Tuesday 24

**BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE**

Egba West, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

For Christians who face martyrdom today

Wednesday 25

Egbu, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

Gladestry V.C. School in the East Radnor MA

Thursday 26

Egypt, The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria

Knighton V.C. School in the East Radnor MA

Friday 27

Monica (378), Mother of Augustine of Hippo

Eha - Amufu, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

Mark Beaton, Area Dean of the Deanery of Radnor and Bulth

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Saturday 28	Augustine of Hippo (430), Bishop and Doctor Ekiti, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
	The Diocesan Eco-Church Committee and their work
Sunday 29	<b>The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity</b> Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
	Hay Ministry Area
Monday 30	Ekiti Kwara, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
	Clergy in Hay MA: David Thomas (MA Leader), Richard Williams
Tuesday 31	Aidan (651), Bishop Ekiti Oke, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
	Paul Baker, Lay Worship Leader in the Hay MA
Wednesday 1 September	Ekiti West, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
	The Electoral College meeting in St Mary's to elect our next diocesan bishop.
Thursday 2	Lucian Tapiedi (1942), Missionary and Martyr, and the Martyrs of Papua New Guinea (1901 & 1942) Eldoret, The Anglican Church of Kenya
	The Electoral College meeting in St Mary's to elect our next diocesan bishop.
Friday 3	Gregory the Great (604), Bishop and Doctor Port Elizabeth, The Anglican Church of Southern Africa
	The Electoral College meeting in St Mary's to elect our next diocesan bishop.
Saturday 4	Cuthbert (687), Bishop Ely, The Church of England
	His Honour Judge Christopher Vosper, Diocesan Chancellor
Sunday 5	<b>The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity</b> Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan
	Llwchwr Ministry Area

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Monday 6	<p>Embu, The Anglican Church of Kenya</p> <p>The Governing Body of the Church in Wales, meeting in ICC Wales</p>
Tuesday 7	<p>Enugu, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p> <p>Clergy in the Llŵchwr MA: Alex Pye (MA Leader), John Gillibrand, Adrian Morgan and Sue Rumbelow</p>
Wednesday 8	<p>The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</p> <p>Enugu North, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p> <p>The Governing Body of the Church in Wales, meeting online</p>
Thursday 9	<p>Esan, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p> <p>For Lay Worship Leaders and Lay Pastoral Visitors in the Llŵchwr MA</p>
Friday 10	<p>William Salesbury (1584), Translator, and William Morgan (1604), Bishop and Translator</p> <p>Etche, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p> <p>For Readers in the Llŵchwr MA: Joy Allen, Jean Phillips, Jan Ellor, Elizabeth Williams</p>
Saturday 11	<p>Deiniol (6th century), Bishop</p> <p>Etsako, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p> <p>Mandy Bayton, Bishop's Officer for Evangelism and Outreach</p>
Sunday 12	<p><b>The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity</b> (<i>Racial Justice Sunday</i>)</p> <p>The Anglican Church of Tanzania</p> <p>Tawe Uchaf Ministry Area</p>
Monday 13	<p>Cyprian (258), Bishop, Doctor and Martyr</p> <p>Europe, The Episcopal Church</p> <p>For clergy in the Tawe Uchaf MA: Dewi Roberts (MA Leader), Tim Hewitt, Jon Howard</p>
Tuesday 14	<p><b>HOLY CROSS</b></p> <p>Europe, The Church of England</p> <p>For the charity A Rocha UK, and their work in raising awareness of how churches can respond to the climate crisis</p>

Wednesday 15	Evo, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)  Hugh Lervy, Area Dean for the Deanery of Afon Tawe
Thursday 16	Ninian (c 430), Bishop Exeter, The Church of England  For Lay Worship Leaders in Tawe Uchaf MA: Elaine Gape, Joyce Manser, Heather Roberts, Hilary Williams
Friday 17	Ezo, The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan  Joyce Manser, Lay Pastoral Visitors in the Tawe Uchaf MA
Saturday 18	Faisalabad, The (United) Church of Pakistan  James Davenport, Diocesan Registrar
Sunday 19	<b>The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity</b> The Church of the Province of Uganda  Pen-Y-Glyn Ministry Area
Monday 20	Saints, Martyrs and Missionaries of Australasia & the Pacific The Falkland Islands, Extra Provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury  Tim Williams, Ministry Area Leader, Pen-Y-Glyn MA
Tuesday 21	<b>MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST</b> False Bay, The Anglican Church of Southern Africa  For those called to a ministry of evangelism
Wednesday 22	Ember Day Fianarantsoa, The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean  For those in the process of discerning a vocation
Thursday 23	Florida, The Episcopal Church  The Diocesan Standing Committee, and Funding Committee, meeting today

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Friday 24	Ember Day <i>and</i> Sergei of Radonezh (1392), Abbot Central Florida, The Episcopal Church  For Lay Worship Leaders in the Pen-Y-Glyn MA: Jane Powell and Stephen Waldron
Saturday 25	Ember Day <i>and</i> Cadoc (6 <sup>th</sup> century), Abbot Southeast Florida, The Episcopal Church  Lance Sharpe, Bishop's Officer for Ordinands and Vocations
Sunday 26	<b>The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity</b> The Episcopal Church  Cwmtawe 2gether Ministry Area
Monday 27	Vincent de Paul (1660), Priest Southwest Florida, The Episcopal Church  Lay Pastoral Visitors in the Cwmtawe 2gether MA: Hannah Vaughan and John Williams
Tuesday 28	Fond du Lac, The Episcopal Church  Clergy in the Cwmtawe 2gether MA: Gary Green and Sue Northcott
Wednesday 29	<b>MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS</b> Fredericton, The Anglican Church of Canada  For deepening ecumenical relations
Thursday 30	Jerome (420), Doctor Free State, The Anglican Church of Southern Africa  Adrian Morgan, Bishop's Officer for Ecumenism
Friday 1 October	Freetown, The Church of the Province of West Africa  Tim Hollingdale, Ministry Area Development Officer
Saturday 2	Gahini, Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda  Parsonage Board: Mr Edgar Jones (Chair), Mr Simon Holland, Ms Liz Wheat

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Sunday 3	<b>The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity</b>
The Church in Wales	
Brecon Ministry Area	
Monday 4	Francis of Assisi (1226), Friar
Gambella, The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria	
Lay Pastoral Visitors in the Brecon MA: Avril Bailey, Helen Rees-Harris	
Tuesday 5	Gambia, The Church of the Province of West Africa
Clergy in the Brecon MA: Gillian Todd (MA Leader), the Very Rev'd Paul Shackerley, Stephen Griffiths, Mark Clavier, Anna Bessant	
Wednesday 6	William Tyndale (1536), Translator and Martyr
Garissa, The Anglican Church of Kenya	
Lay Worship Leaders in the Brecon MA: Avril Bailey, Kath Davies	
Thursday 7	Gasabo, Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda
The Rev'd Professor Jeremy Duff, Principle of the St Padarn's Institute	
Friday 8	Gboko, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
Sam Aldred, Diocesan Clerical Secretary	
Saturday 9	Cynog (5th century), Abbot
George, The Anglican Church of Southern Africa	
The Diocesan Conference, scheduled to meet today	
Sunday 10	<b>The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity</b>
The Church of the Province of West Africa	
East Swansea Ministry Area	
Monday 11	Georgia, The Episcopal Church
Readers in East Swansea MA: Bronwen Wathan, Robert Leonard, David North	

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Tuesday 12	<p>Gippsland, The Anglican Church of Australia</p> <p>Clergy in the East Swansea MA: Geraint Wathan, Steve Bunting, Jim Page</p>
Wednesday 13	<p>Edward the Confessor (1066), King</p> <p>Gitega, The Anglican Church of Burundi</p> <p>Diocesan Discernment Panel</p>
Thursday 14	<p>Esther John (1960), Missionary and Martyr</p> <p>Glasgow &amp; Galloway, The Scottish Episcopal Church</p> <p>Diocesan Trust</p>
Friday 15	<p>Teresa of Avila (1582), Teacher of the Faith</p> <p>Gloucester, The Church of England</p> <p>Audit Committee</p>
Saturday 16	<p>Daniel Rowland (1790), Priest and Preacher</p> <p>Gogrial, The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan</p> <p>Anthony Porter, Bishop's Officer for Lay Ministry</p>
Sunday 17	<p><b>The Twentieth Sunday after Trinity</b></p> <p>The Church in the Province of the West Indies</p> <p>The Cathedral</p>
Monday 18	<p><b>LUKE, EVANGELIST</b></p> <p>Goma, Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo</p>
Tuesday 19	<p>Henry Martyn (1812), Pastor, Translator and Missionary</p> <p>Gombe, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p> <p>Clergy at the Cathedral: Paul Shackerley (Dean), Mark Clavier, Stephen Griffiths</p>
Wednesday 20	<p>Grafton, The Anglican Church of Australia</p> <p>The Cathedral Chapter</p>
Thursday 21	<p>Grahamstown, The Anglican Church of Southern Africa</p> <p>The Cathedral Musicians</p>

Friday 22	<p>Guadalcanal, The Anglican Church of Melanesia</p> <p>The Cathedral Office</p>
Saturday 23	<p>James of Jerusalem, Bishop</p> <p>Guatemala, Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America</p> <p>The Cathedral Vergers in their ministry</p>
Sunday 24	<p><b>LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY or BIBLE SUNDAY</b></p> <p>The Extra-Provincial Churches</p> <p>Beacons &amp; Llyn Safaddarn Ministry Area</p>
Monday 25	<p>Lewis Bayley (1631), Bishop and Writer</p> <p>Guildford, The Church of England</p> <p>Lay Pastoral Visitors in the Beacons &amp; Llyn Safaddarn MA: Simon Baldwin, Susan Large, Julie Pugh</p>
Tuesday 26	<p>Alfred (899), King</p> <p>Guinea, The Church of the Province of West Africa</p> <p>Clergy in the Beacons &amp; Llyn Safaddarn MA: Kelvin Richards (MA Leader), the Venerable Alan Jevons, Trina Lodge, Liz Bamley</p>
Wednesday 27	<p>Gujarat, The (United) Church of North India</p> <p>Jackie Williams, Lay Worship Leader in Beacons &amp; Llyn Safaddarn MA</p>
Thursday 28	<p><b>SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES</b></p> <p>Central Gulf Coast, The Episcopal Church</p> <p>For the persecuted Church</p>
Friday 29	<p>Gusau, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p> <p>Llangors V.C. School, in the Beacons and Llyn Safaddarn MA</p>
Saturday 30	<p>Richard Hooker (1600), Priest and Teacher of the Faith</p> <p>Guyana, The Church in the Province of the West Indies</p> <p>Rana Khan, Bishop's Officer for World Mission</p>

Sunday 31

**THE FIRST SUNDAY OF THE KINGDOM**

The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria

Swansea Central

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# DIOCESAN PRAYER

Father, we hold before you

our family in the Diocese of Swansea and Brecon

and we open our hearts and minds to your Spirit:

Bless us as we gather in your name;

Guide us as we grow into the likeness of your Son;

Lead us by your Spirit to go out and make disciples of others.

God of our journeying, be our way and our truth and our life;

our beginning and our end.

We pray through Jesus our Lord. Amen.