

DIOCESAN CYCLE of PRAYER for April 2007

STEPNEY AREA/ARCHDEACONRY OF HACKNEY/ISLINGTON DEANERY

Sunday 1 April—Palm Sunday

Jerusalem: Riah Abu El-Assal (Bishop), Suheil Dawani (Coadjutor)

Pray for the Ecumenical Franciscan Brotherhood at Zehdenick near Berlin: Brother Thaddeus (Superior)

Islington Deanery: David Silvester (Area Dean), Rob Powell (Sub-Dean), Fiona Weaver (Chapter Clerk)

Deanery Synod: Justin Gau (Lay Chairman), Julienne Coffey (Secretary), Fola Faleti (Treasurer)

Monday 2 April—Monday in Holy Week

Namirembe (Uganda): Samuel Ssekkadde (Bishop)

St Mary, Islington: Canon Dr Graham Kings (Vicar), Toby Hole; Nicholas Adams and Ian Mylam (Readers), Elizabeth Salmon (Reader, and Area Warden of Readers)

St Mary Primary School

St Augustine, Highbury New Park: Clive Main (Vicar); Philippa Smart and Heather Wood (Readers)

Tuesday 3 April—Tuesday in Holy Week

Nandyal (India): Abraham Gondi (Bishop)

Barnsbury Team Ministry: St Andrew, Thornhill Square; All Saints, Caledonian Road; Holy Trinity Centre: Michael Learmouth (Team Rector), Martyn Saunders (Team Vicar); Mark Fletcher (Minister-in-Charge)

St Andrew Primary School

Christ Church with St John & St Saviour Highbury Grove: Jonathan Brewster (Vicar), Fiona Green; Paddy Marsh (Reader)

St John Primary School

Wednesday 4 April—Wednesday in Holy Week

Nasik (India): Kamble Pradip (Bishop)

ALMA (Lebombo): pray for the District of Limpopo: The Rt Revd Paulino Manhique (Bishop's Delegate)

St George and All Saints, Tufnell Park: Melanie Toogood (Vicar), Malcolm Doney

St James with St Peter, Islington: Evan Jones (Vicar), Karen Reeves; Sheila Stephenson (Pastoral Assistant)

London Metropolitan University: Richenda Leigh (Chaplain)

Thursday 5 April—Maundy Thursday

Pray for religious communities

Pray for those renewing their vows during the Diocesan Eucharist and Blessing of Oils at St Paul's Cathedral

Friday 6 April—Good Friday

Nassau and the Bahamas and The Turks and Caicos Islands (West Indies): Archbishop Drexel Gomez (Bishop)

New Providence (West Indies): Gilbert Thompson (Bishop)

Pray for peace in the Holy Land

Saturday 7 April—Easter Eve

Pray for the Hospice Movement

Pray for those who are being baptised and confirmed this Eastertide

Sunday 8 April—Easter Day

Natal (Southern Africa): Rubin Phillip (Bishop), Funginkosi Mbhele (Suffragan)

Pray for the work of the diocesan commissions, institutions and organisations of the Catholic Diocese of the Old Catholics in Germany
Pray for the Archdeacon of Hackney, The Ven Dr Lyle Dennen

Monday 9 April—Monday in Easter Week

Navajoland Area Mission (USA): Bishop to be chosen

St Jude and St Paul, Mildmay Grove: *David Silvester (Vicar), Jessica Swift, Tony Sheeran*
St Jude and St Paul Primary School

St Luke, West Holloway: *David Tomlinson (Vicar, and the Bishop of London's Adviser on the Environment)*

Tuesday 10 April—Tuesday in Easter Week

Nebbi (Uganda): Alphonse Watho-kudi (Bishop)

Tollington Team Ministry: St Mark, Emmanuel and St Saviour: *Bishop Sandy Millar (Priest-in-Charge), Tim Wambunya (Team Vicar, and Area Adviser for Minority Ethnic Anglican Concerns), Peter Bellenger, Bill Cahusac, Emile Jones; Andrew Harrison (Reader)*
St Mark Primary School

Whittington Hospital: Emile Jones (Chaplain)

Wednesday 11 April—Wednesday in Easter Week

Nebraska (USA): Joe Burnett (Bishop)

ALMA (Lebombo): pray for The Good Samaritan, Massingir: Gabriel Novela, and St Andrew, Hókwe: Rafael Manganhela

Upper Holloway Team Ministry: St Mary, Hornsey Rise, St Andrew, Whitehall Park and St Peter with St John, Upper Holloway: *Prebendary Stephen Cox (Team Rector), Dr Karowei Dorgu (Team Vicar, and Area Assistant Director of Post Ordination Training), Rob Powell (Team Vicar), Dr Peniel Rajkumar, Jamie Murray; Michael Holloway, Jane Cox, Wendy Bourne, Byron Bradshaw, Uzor Monu and Marion Phillips (Readers)*

St Mary's Community Centre: Vicki Laville-Davis (Co-ordinator)

St John Primary School and Nursery

Thursday 12 April—Thursday in Easter Week

Nelson (New Zealand): Richard Ellena (Bishop)

St Mary Magdalene, Holloway and St David, Lough Road: *Paul Zaphiriou (Vicar), Jonathan Rust, Susie Paddock; Ceri Hollywell (Pastoral Assistant)*

St Mary Magdalene Primary School

St Mary Magdalene's Centre for Asylum Seekers

HM Prison Holloway: Ken Wilkin (Chaplain)

Friday 13 April—Friday in Easter Week

Nevada (USA): Bishop to be chosen

St Stephen, Canonbury: *David Moore (Vicar), Margaret Evans; John Tasker, John Wilson, Stuart Evans and Fola Faleti (Readers), Ben Bell (Youth Minister), Lois Titmas (Assistant Youth Worker)*
Your prayers are requested for The Manna Drop-in Centre for homeless, unemployed and marginalised people, and for the ARC congregation

St Thomas the Apostle, Finsbury Park: *Stephen Coles (Vicar), Brandy Pearson; Sandra Hall (Pastoral Assistant)*

Saturday 14 April—Saturday in Easter Week

New Guinea Islands: Allan Migi (Bishop)

St James, Clerkenwell Green: *Andrew Baughen (Vicar), Jenny Andison (Associate Vicar)*

City University: Andrew Baughen (Chaplain), David Allen (Associate Chaplain)

HM Prison Pentonville

Sunday 15 April—2nd Sunday of Easter (Low Sunday)

New Hampshire (USA): Gene Robinson (Bishop)

Göteborg (Sweden): Carl Axel Aurelius (Bishop)

Pray for all the Old Catholic clergy and lay people in the 165 parishes and mission stations of the Diocese in Germany

Pray for the work of Area staff including Jennifer Harding (Administrator), Theresa Moses (Finance Adviser), Geraldine Sullivan (Resources and Communications Assistant)

Monday 16 April

New Jersey (USA): George Councill (Bishop)

St Silas with All Saints and St James, Pentonville: Shaun Richards (Vicar)

Holy Redeemer, Clerkenwell: Paul Bagott (Vicar), Jason Rendell

St Mark, Clerkenwell: Paul Bagott (Vicar), Jason Rendell

Clerkenwell Parochial Primary School

St Clement, Islington: David Allen (Vicar)

St Luke Primary School and Nursery

Tuesday 17 April

New Westminster (Canada): Michael Ingham (Bishop)

Sutton's Hospital in Charterhouse: Michael Stevens (Chaplain and Preacher), Prebendary Alan Tanner (Preacher Emeritus); Dr James Thomson (Master)

Moorfields Eye Hospital: David Allen (Chaplain)

Pray for the work of CARIS in Islington

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Wednesday 18 April

New York (USA): Mark Sisk (Bishop), Catherine Roskam (Suffragan), Don Taylor (Assistant)

ALMA (Lebombo): pray for St Peter, Chókwe: The Rt Revd Paulino Manhique, and St Bernard Mizeki, Chibuto: Dinis Nhatave

St Matthew with St James the Great, Bethnal Green: Kevin Scully (Rector), Rachma Bush, Sr Helen Loder SSM

St Matthias Primary School and Nursery

St Barnabas, Bethnal Green: Brian Ralph (Priest-in-Charge); Gary Morton (Reader)

St Margaret's House, Old Ford Road: Brian Ralph (Chaplain)

Thursday 19 April

Newark (USA): Mark Beckwith (Bishop), Carol Gallagher (Assistant)

St James the Less, Bethnal Green: Alex Logan (Vicar); John Swindells (Reader), Diane Swindells and Tracy McCormack (Pastoral Assistants)

St John on Bethnal Green Team Ministry: Alan Green (Team Rector), Regan O'Callaghan

St John Primary School

Friday 20 April

Newcastle: Martin Wharton (Bishop), Paul Richardson (Assistant)

St Peter, Bethnal Green: Sr Judith Blackburn SSM (Priest-in-Charge)

All Saints, Poplar Team Ministry: Preb Alan Wynne (Team Rector), Andrew Wilson (Team Vicar),

Dr John Seymour, Tom Slater, Tom Duncan, Jenny Sheldon; Michael Keyte, John Milbank, Helen Palmer and Henderson George (Readers), Margaret Baker (Pastoral Assistant)

St Saviour Primary School and Nursery

Saturday 21 April

Newcastle (Australia): Brian Farran (Bishop), Graeme Rutherford (Assistant)

Christ Church and St John with St Luke, Isle of Dogs: Tom Pyke (Vicar)

St Luke Primary School and Nursery

All Hallows, Bow: Martin Webb

Sunday 22 April—Third Sunday of Easter

Niagara (Canada): Ralph Spence (Bishop)

Björgvin (Norway): Ole Danbolt Hagesæther (Bishop)

Pray for the work of the Anglican/Old Catholic International Co-ordinating Council: Bishops Jonathan Gledhill and Joachim Vobbe (Co-Chairmen)

Tower Hamlets Deanery: Alan Green (Area Dean), Ric Thorpe (Sub-Dean), Peter McGeary (Chapter Clerk)

Deanery Synod: Elizabeth Marshall (Lay Chairman), Philippa Downs (Secretary and Treasurer)

Monday 23 April— St George

Pray for Royal Peculiars, Chapels Royal, and Religious Peculiars

St Mary and Holy Trinity, Bow Road: Michael Peet (Rector)

St Paul and St Mark, Old Ford: Prebendary Philippa Boardman (Priest-in-Charge)

The Royal London Hospital and the London Chest Hospital: Peter Cowell (Lead Chaplain), Ben Rhodes (Senior CofE Chaplain), Martin Freeman (Chaplain), Stephen Gutmann (Ecumenical and Children's Services Chaplain)

Tuesday 24 April— St Mellitus

Niassa (Southern Africa): Mark van Koevering (Bishop)

St Anne, Limehouse and St Peter, West India Quay: Gordon Warren (Rector), Marcus Nodder (Associate Vicar); Lyn Kendrick (Reader)

Pray for the work of Dr Fiona Stewart-Darling, Bishop's Chaplain in Docklands

St Andrew's Hospital

Wednesday 25 April— St Mark

Nicaragua: Sturdie Downs (Bishop)

ALMA (Lebombo): pray for Ss Mary and Martha, Macia: Mateus Carnpira

St George-in-the-East

St Paul Primary School and Nursery

Pray for the work of the North Thames Ministerial Training Course, based at St George-in-the-East: Dr David Hilborn (Acting Principal)

St Mary, Cable Street: Peter McGeary (Vicar), Pat Wright (Parish Deacon)

Pray for the work of RADICLE in Tower Hamlets

Thursday 26 April

Niger Delta North (Nigeria): Ignatius Kattey (Bishop)

St Peter, London Docks: Trevor Jones (Rector)

St Peter Primary School and Nursery

St Paul, Shadwell: Ric Thorpe (Priest-in-Charge), Jez Barnes

Society of St Francis, Halcrow Street: Sr Chris CSF, Sr Elizabeth CSF, Br Giles SSF, Br Martin SSF

Friday 27 April

Niger Delta West (Nigeria): Adoluphus Amabebe (Bishop)

St Dunstan and All Saints, Stepney: Chris Burke (Rector), Sharon Connell, Canon Geoffrey White

Arbour Youth Centre: Jitka Markova (Project Manager)

Stepney Greencoat Primary School

Sir John Cass's Foundation and Redcoat Secondary School

Saturday 28 April

The Niger Delta (Nigeria): Gabriel Pepple (Bishop)

St Paul with St Luke, Bow Common: Prebendary Duncan Ross (Priest-in-Charge), Diane Webb

St Paul with St Luke Primary School and Nursery

Raine's Foundation Secondary School

Tower Hamlets Centre for Mental Health: Dr Nigel Copey (Chaplain)

Sunday 29 April—Fourth Sunday of Easter

Nnewi (Nigeria): Godwin Okpala (Bishop)

Västerås (Sweden): Claes-Bertil Ytterberg (Bishop)

Pray for the work and mission of the International Old Catholic Theological Conference: Robert Frede and Maja Weyermann (Secretaries)

Pray for the work of The Royal Foundation of St Katharine: Prebendary David Paton (Master), Canon David Driscoll (Educational Tutor)

Pray for the work of the Contextual Theology Centre, based at The Royal Foundation of St Katharine: Angus Ritchie (Director)

Monday 30 April

Nord Kivu (Congo): Methusela Munzenda (Bishop), Enoch Kayeeye (Assistant)

Christ Church, Spitalfields: *Andy Rider (Rector); Hosten Garraway (Reader); Ava Bose and Alice Cooper (CommunityWorkers)*

Christ Church Primary School and Nursery

St Benet's Ecumenical Chaplaincy, Queen Mary & Westfield College: Jenny Petersen (Chaplain)

Amendments and Additions to the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Amendments

The information in this document was checked and updated as near as possible to the time of printing. If you have any amendments to suggest, or any other comments or queries regarding the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, please contact the Editor, The Revd Peter McGeary, at St Mary's Clergy House, 68 Johnson Street, London E1 0BQ (Tel & Fax: 020 7790 0973; E-mail: mcgeary@pmcg.demon.co.uk).

Additions to future issues

The Cycle of Prayer for May will include the parishes in Deaneries Nos 8 (Hammersmith & Fulham) and 9 (Hampton). If any parish or other institution in those deaneries has a specific request for prayer, or other information it wishes to add, every attempt will be made to include this with the appropriate entry in the Cycle of Prayer. Please forward details to the Editor no later than 31st March. Similarly, details for June (Deanery No 10) should be forwarded by 30th April.

Alternatively, if there is a special event in your deanery, parish or institution on a specific date in a month when it would not normally come up for prayer, this may also be included in the Cycle of Prayer if space permits. In such a case, please forward details to the Editor using the deadlines above.

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