

**CYCLE of PRAYER for May 2024**

### Kensington Area/Archdeaconry of Middlesex/Hammersmith & Fulham Deanery

# **Wednesday** 1 May **Ss Philip and James, Apostles**

Central Ecuador: Juan Carlos Quiñonez (Bishop)

1. ALMA (Nampula): pray for Bishop Manuel Ernesto, and for diocesan officers including Archdeacon Eugenio Mepo (Diocesan Secretary), Muassite Miguel (Director of Mission), and ALMA Link Officer Admore Sanhewe
2. ***All Saints, Fulham:*** *Penny Seabrook, George Meyrick; Mary Tweedie (Lay Minister), Tina Ellis and Karina Lahyani (Administrators)*
3. *Your prayers are requested for a parish in interregnum and the successful appointment of a new parish priest*
4. *All Saints C of E Primary School*

**Thursday 2 May**

1. Edinburgh: John Armes (Bishop)
2. ***St Andrew, Fulham Fields:*** *Sam Rylands (Vicar); Penny McCarthy (Administrator)*
3. *The Fulham Boys School*

# **Friday** 3 May

1. Edmonton (Canada): Stephen London (Bishop)
2. ***St Alban with St Augustine, Margravine Road:*** *Peter Wynter (Priest-in-Charge), Josh Baines*

# **Saturday** 4 May John Houghton and his Companions

1. St Edmundsbury and Ipswich: Martin Seeley (Bishop), Michael Harrison (Bishop of Dunwich)
2. ***Christ Church, Fulham:*** *James Bailey (Vicar); Sarah Dodd (Administrator)*

**Sunday 5 May 6th Sunday of Easter**

1. **Pray for the Episcopal Anglican Church of Brazil (Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil): Marinez Rosa dos Santos Bassotto (Archbishop, and Bishop of Amazônia)**
2. Björgvin (Norway): Ragnhild Jepsen (Bishop)
3. Confident Disciples: we pray for those working in education
4. *Pray for The Rt Revd Dr Emma Ineson, Bishop of Kensington, and for her personal assistant, Emma Hughes*

**Monday 6 May**

Egba (Nigeria): Emmanuel Adekunle (Bishop)

***St Dionis, Parsons Green:*** *Tim Stilwell (Vicar, and Area Assistant Director of Post-ordination Training), Russell Rook; Judith Sturgess and Johanna Day (Administrators)*

*Lady Margaret School: Helena Whittaker (Chaplain)*

*Charing Cross and Hammersmith Hospitals: Michele Lee and Margaret Legg (Chaplains)*

**Tuesday 7 May George Lansbury**

1. Egba West (Nigeria): Samuel Ogundeji (Bishop)
2. On the first anniversary of their Coronation, pray for health and long life for Their Majesties The King and Queen, and for all other members of the Royal Family

**Wednesday 8 May**

1. Egbu (Nigeria): Geoffrey Okoroafor (Bishop)

# ALMA (Nampula): pray for the Archdeaconry of Nampula: for St John the Evangelist, Napipine: Archdeacon Eugenio Mepo; for St Thomas, Nampula: Agostinho Najane; and for St Bartholomew, Nampula: Daniel Etuila

1. Red Cross Week (to 14 May)
2. ***St Etheldreda with St Clement, Fulham Palace Road:*** *Ross Gunderson (Vicar), Briony Mackie, Eva Webb-Sheen; Bernie Stratford (Lay Minister)*

# **Thursday** 9 May **Ascension of Our Lord**

1. Global Week of Prayer from Ascension to Pentecost ‘Thy Kingdom Come’ commences
2. Egypt: Samy Fawzy (Archbishop of Alexandria and Bishop of Egypt)
3. ***St John, Walham Green:*** *Chris Rankine (Vicar); Margaret Kardacz (Administrator)*
4. *St John’s C of E Primary School*

# **Friday** 10 May **Richard Wilson**

1. Eha-Amufu (Nigeria): Daniel Olinya (Bishop)
2. ***St Mary, Hammersmith Road:*** *Kate Green and Dr Sandra Crewe (Administrators)*
3. *Your prayers are requested for a parish in interregnum and the successful appointment of a new parish priest*
4. **Saturday 11 May**
5. Ekiti (Nigeria): Christopher Omotunde (Bishop)
6. World Fair Trade Day
7. ***St Matthew, Wandsworth Bridge Road:*** *William Rogers (Vicar), Katherine Miller; Sharon Rogers (Administrator)*
8. ***St Peter, St Peter’s Terrace:*** *Rupert Standring (Vicar), Jez Day; Hannah Folan (Administrator)*
9. **Sunday 12 May 7th Sunday of Easter (Sunday after Ascension)**
10. Pray for the Anglican Church of Burundi: Sixbert Macumi (Archbishop, and Bishop of Buye)
11. Västerås (Sweden): Mikael Mogren (Bishop)
12. Christian Aid Week (to 18 May)
13. Confident Disciples: pray for those in low paid or temporary jobs
14. *Hammersmith & Fulham Deanery: Cameron Collington (Area Dean)*
15. *Deanery Synod: Fraser Steel (Lay Chairman), Caroline Grieve (Secretary)*

# **Monday** 13 May **Beilby Porteous**

1. Ekiti Kwara (Nigeria): Andrew Ajayi (Bishop)
2. Mental Health Awareness Week (to 19 May)
3. ***St Paul, Hammersmith:*** *Pete Wynter (Vicar), Josh Baines, Andy Wooldridge (Area Director of Ordinands), Rachael Wooldridge; Maddie Clarke, Belinda Fairley and Cindy Heughan (Administrators)*
4. *St Paul’s C of E Primary School*
5. **Tuesday 14 May St Matthias**
6. Ekiti Oke (Nigeria): Isaac Olubowale (Bishop)
7. ***Holy Innocents, Paddenswick Road:*** *David Matthews (Vicar); Jane Jales (Lay Minister), Hanno Dreyer (Administrator)*
8. ***St Luke, Uxbridge Road:*** *Richard Bastable (Vicar), Stephen Miller; Silvia Diaz-Freedman (Administrator)*

# **Wednesday** 15 May

1. Ekiti West (Nigeria): Rufus Adepoju (Bishop)
2. ALMA (Nampula): pray for Holy Cross, Murrupula:
Domingos Komakoma; for Yonna Kanamuyize and Marratane Refugee Camp: Claudina Cabral; and for St Luke, Mecuburi: Mauricio Namilo
3. ***St Katherine, Westway:*** *Lesley Tate**(Interim Priest-in-Charge); Frank Franklin and Barbara Studd (Lay Ministers)*
4. *St Paul’s Girls’ School: Matthew Knox (Chaplain)*
5. *HM Prison Wormwood Scrubs: Dr Bob Mayo (Chaplain)*
6. ***St Matthew, Sinclair Road:*** *Richard Bastable (Priest-in-Charge)*
7. *Burlington Danes C of E Academy*
8. **Thursday 16 May**
9. Eldoret (Kenya): Christopher Ruto (Bishop)
10. ***St Peter, Black Lion Lane:*** *Dr Charles Clapham (Vicar); Lucy Miller (Administrator)*
11. *St Peter’s C of E Primary School*
12. *Queen Charlotte’s and Chelsea Hospital: Michele Lee and Margaret Legg (Chaplains)*

# **Friday** 17 May

1. Port Elizabeth (Southern Africa): Edward Daniels (Bishop)
2. ***St Saviour with St Mary, Cobbold Road:*** *Chris Lee (Vicar), David Hill; Yew Ming Kong (Administrator)*
3. ***St Simon, Rockley Road:*** *Cameron Collington (Vicar), Madeleine Miller; Samantha Dowden (Administrator)*
4. **Saturday 18 May**
5. El-Obeid (Sudan): Ismail Abudigin (Bishop)
6. ***St Stephen and St Thomas, Uxbridge Road:*** *Denis Adide (Vicar), Dr Cheryl Freeman; Tia Toriola (Administrator)*
7. *St Stephen’s C of E Primary School*
8. ***St Michael and St George, Commonwealth Avenue:*** *Archie Coates (Priest-in-Charge), Andy Rooney*
9. *Christian Healing Mission: Liz Nicoll (Administrator)*
10. Kensington Area/Archdeaconry of Middlesex/Hampton Deanery

# **Sunday** 19 May **Pentecost (Whit Sunday)**

1. Global Week of Prayer from Ascension to Pentecost ‘Thy Kingdom Come’ concludes
2. Pray for the Anglican Church of Canada (L’Eglise anglicane du Canada): Linda Nicholls (Primate)
3. Viborg (Denmark): Henrik Stubkjaer (Bishop)
4. Confident Disciples: pray for those retired from paid employment
5. *Pray for the work of Jonathan Rust, Area Director of Mission*
6. *Pray for the work of the Area Administrator, Olivia Malhotra, and Rebecca Fallon, Area Event Co-ordinator*
7. **Monday 20 May**
8. Ely: Dagmar Winter (Bishop of Huntingdon, and Acting Bishop of Ely)
9. ***St Mary, Hampton:*** *Ben Lovell (Vicar, and Area Director of Ordinands), Cara Lovell (Area Director of Ministry, and Area Director of Post-ordination Training); Jane Holmes (Administrator)*
10. *St Mary’s Hampton C of E Primary School*
11. *HM Chapel Royal, Hampton Court Palace: Canon Anthony Howe (Chaplain)*
12. **Tuesday 21 May**
13. Embu (Kenya): David Ireri (Bishop)
14. ***All Saints, Hampton:*** *Donna Williams (Vicar); Chris Saul and Ann Walker (Lay Ministers), Jennifer Paynter (Administrator)*
15. ***St James, Hampton Hill:*** *Derek Winterburn (Vicar, and Area Care for Creation Lead), Jacky Cammidge; Nick Bagge (Administrator)*
16. **Wednesday 22 May Restitutus**
17. Enugu (Nigeria): Emmanuel Chukwuma (Bishop)
18. ALMA (Nampula): pray for the parish church of Malema: Cesar Carlos; Natete, Malema: Daniel Mucuteia,; the churches of Namaita: Alberto Passiel; and for All Saints, Nacala: Dinis Mbenuka
19. Today we pray for racial justice in the Diocese of London
20. ***St Mary the Virgin, Twickenham:*** *Jeff Hopkin Williams (Vicar); Katie Kean (Administrator)*
21. *St Mary’s C of E Primary School*

# **Thursday** 23 May

1. Enugu North (Nigeria): Sosthenes Eze (Bishop)
2. ***All Hallows, Chertsey Road:*** *Kevin Bell (Vicar); Sue Hoad (Administrator)*
3. ***Holy Trinity, Twickenham:*** *Simon Couper (Vicar); Anna Couper and Anna McPherson (Lay Ministers), Lucy James (Administrator)*
4. *Archdeacon Cambridge’s C of E Primary School*

# **Friday** 24 May

1. Esan (Nigeria): Friday Imaekhai (Bishop)
2. ***All Saints, Twickenham:*** *Alex Lane (Vicar)*
3. ***St Stephen, Richmond Road:*** *Libby Talbot (Vicar), Mat Ineson,; Jo Dixon and Les Taylor (Lay Ministers), Anna Gibbs Santos, Nisha Glencross, Nicola Patel, Caroline Perry and Annie Notman (Administrators)*
4. *St Stephen’s C of E Junior School*
5. **Saturday 25 May**
6. Eswatini (formerly Swaziland - Southern Africa): Dalcy Dlamini (Bishop)
7. ***SS Philip and James, Kneller Road:*** *Sue Hodder-Hesling and Peter Lee (Lay Ministers)*
8. *Your prayers are requested for a parish in interregnum and the successful appointment of a new parish priest*
9. *Royal Military School of Music: David Loftus (Lay Minister)*

# **Sunday** 26 May **Trinity Sunday**

1. Pray for the Church of the Province of Central Africa: Albert Chama (Archbishop, and Bishop of Lusaka)
2. Anglican Communion Sunday: pray for the Archbishop of Canterbury, all primates and bishops, the Anglican Consultative Council, the Secretary General and Anglican Communion Office staff in London and the UN offices in Geneva and New York
3. Pray for the work of the Anglican Centre in Rome: Archbishop Ian Ernest (Director)
4. Nord-Hålogaland (Norway): Olav Øygard (Bishop)
5. Confident Disciples: help us fruitfully to share the journey of our faith with others through courses and small groups
6. *Hampton Deanery: Ben Lovell (Area Dean)*
7. *Deanery Synod: Anne-Marie Philp (Secretary)*

# **Monday** 27 May

1. Etche (Nigeria): Precious Nwala (Bishop)
2. ***St Augustine of Canterbury, Whitton:*** *Canon John Kafwanka Kaoma (Vicar, and Area Assistant Director of Post-ordination Training)*
3. *Bishop Perrin C of E Primary School*
4. *Homelink Day Respite Care Centre*
5. **Tuesday 28 May**
6. Etsako (Nigeria): Jacob Bada (Bishop)
7. ***St Mary with St Alban, Teddington:*** *David Cloake (Vicar), Mary Hawes; Suzanne Parker (Administrator)*
8. *SS Mary and Peter Primary School*
9. **Wednesday 29 May Percy Dearmer**
10. Diocese in Europe: Robert Innes (Bishop), David Hamid (Assistant)
11. ALMA (Nampula): pray for the Archdeaconry of Cabo Delgado: for St Mary Magdalene, Pemba: Archdeacon Francisco Bulaque; and for the church in Chiure: Albertina Mucona
12. ***St Mark, Teddington:*** *Jerry Field (Vicar), Tom Simpson (Minister-in-Charge)*
13. *Teddington Memorial Hospital: Emma Hughes (Lay Chaplain)*
14. **Thursday 30 May**
15. Convocation of American Churches in Europe: Mark Edington (Bishop)
16. ***St John the Baptist, Hampton Wick:*** *Jerry Field (Vicar), Tom Simpson, Vanessa Hamnett, Margaret Buckley, Anna Evans; Ben Evans (Lay Minister), Rachel Pim and Penny Miller (Administrators)*
17. *St John the Baptist C of E Junior School*
18. **Friday 31 May The Visitation of the BVM to Elizabeth**
19. Evo (Nigeria): Innocent Ordu (Bishop)
20. ***St Richard of Chichester, Hanworth:*** *Debs Wignall (Vicar, and Area Dean of Women's Ministry), Yvette Dixon; Emma Hughes and Brenda Small (Lay Ministers)*
21. *St Richard’s C of E Primary School*
22. ***St Michael & St George Fulwell:*** *Ed Kendall (Vicar), Simon Pedley, James Bunyan; Babette Bullock and Matthew Eades (Administrators)*
23. **Notes on the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer**
24. Every day begins with the appropriate entry from the Anglican Cycle of Prayer
25. Entries from the Porvoo Prayer Diary are incorporated on Sundays
26. Petitions for the Diocese of London’s 2030 Vision are incorporated on Sundays, and in 2024 continue to focus on Confident Disciples and their spheres of work around London
27. Churches and organisations in our linked dioceses of Angola and Mozambique (ALMA) are listed on Wednesdays
28. Racial justice in the Diocese is prayed for on the 22nd of each month
29. As well as the **Sundays and major Feast Days of the Church Calendar**, the Cycle of Prayer includes the men and women commemorated in the **London Kalendar**, which is available, with explanatory notes on the entries, on the Diocesan website

**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, comments or queries regarding the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, please contact the Editor, The Revd Peter McGeary (020 7790 0973; mcgeary@pmcg26.uk).

###### Additions to future issues

The June Cycle of Prayer will include the parishes in Deanery No 10 (Hounslow). If any parish or other institution in that deanery 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 30th April. Similarly, details for July (Deaneries Nos 11-13) should be forwarded by 31st May.

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 copy dates as above.