

## Prayer Diary October 2024

*Here am I, the servant of the Lord; let it be with me according to your word Luke 1:38*

The prayers each day are for:

- the mission and ministry of a benefice
- organisations, schools, events of the diocese and the wider community
- our link Diocese Kagera and World Mission

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| <b>Tues<br/>1 Oct<br/>2024</b> | <p><b>Waveney and Blyth Deanery</b></p> <p>The Saints</p> <p>The Revd Leon Collyer</p>  | The IT Industry                                       | Kagera: The Revd Festo Charles Mtarukundo, Parish of Musumba; The Revd Sevelin Gadson Nyantuntu, Kumugamba Parishz   |
| <b>Wed<br/>2 Oct<br/>2024</b>  | <p><b>Waveney and Blyth Deanery</b></p> <p>Benefice of Wrentham, Covehithe with Benacre, Henstead with Hulver and Frostenden</p> <p>The Revd Mark Bee</p> | Chaplains to Uniformed Organisations for Young People | Pray for those affected by the severe flooding in Niger. Pray for healing and comfort for those affected, and for the swift delivery of essential resources like food, clean water and medical supplies to those in urgent need. |

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| <p><b>Thurs<br/>3 Oct<br/>2024</b></p> | <p><b>Waveney and Blyth Deanery</b><br/>Heveningham with Ubbeston, Huntingfield and Cookley<br/><br/>The Revd Dominic Doble</p>  | <p>Clergy Retirement Officer (The Revd Dr Simon Hill) and Clergy Widow/Widower Officer (The Revd Canon Alan Forsdike and The Revd Catherine Forsdike)</p> | <p>Continue to pray for peace in Ukraine and for those who have lost loved ones in the fighting.</p>  |
| <p><b>Fri 4<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Waveney and Blyth Deanery</b><br/>Hundred River and Wainford<br/><br/>The Revd Mark Bee, The Revd Helen Kerridge</p>   | <p>Unemployed and Jobseekers</p>  | <p>Kagera: Mr Joel Aleku, Ngara Anglican Primary School (NAPS) Head teacher</p>   |
| <p><b>Sat 5<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Woodbridge Deanery</b><br/>Benefice of Carlford<br/><br/>The Revd Mark Cresswell, Sandra Cresswell (Children's and Families' Minister), James Hall (Reader), Jane Woods (Reader)</p> | <p>Today is St Elizabeth day, pray for St Elizabeth Hospice, Ipswich and for all hospice and hospital chaplains</p>                                       | <p>Biharamulo: The Revd Canon Jonas Samweli, Parish Priest at Nyakanazi Parish; The Revd Simon Magabo Zephania, Rwabunuka Parish</p>  |
| <p><b>Sun<br/>6 Oct<br/>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Woodbridge Deanery</b><br/>Melton and Ufford<br/><br/>The Revd Paul Hambling</p>   | <p>County Harvest Service, taking place at Trinity Park today.</p>  | <p>At the start of prisons week pray for all those unjustly imprisoned in the world because of their faith, political beliefs, and sexuality. Pray for justice and fair trials for all.</p> |
| <p><b>Mon<br/>7 Oct<br/>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Woodbridge Deanery</b><br/>Woodbridge St Mary with Great Bealings<br/><br/>The Revd Nigel Prior</p>  | <p>Church Schools in Woodbridge Deanery: Bawdsey Primary, Eyke Primary, Orford Primary, St Mary's Primary, Woodbridge</p>                                 | <p>Kagera: The Revd Shedrack Mulokozi William, Parish Priest, Kumunazi Parish</p>   |

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| <p><b>Tues<br/>8 Oct<br/>2024</b></p>       | <p><b>Woodbridge Deanery</b><br/>Wilford Peninsula<br/><br/>The Revd Mandy Reynolds, The Revd Simon Cake, The Revd Kathy Wilson, The Revd Gregory Gooch</p>   | <p>The Befriending Scheme.</p>   | <p>Lweru Deocese: The Revd Nathanael Isaya, PastorMinziro Parish; The Revd Deogratias Kamanda, Rural Dean, Omubweya.</p>   |
| <p><b>Wed<br/>9 Oct<br/>2024</b></p>        | <p><b>Woodbridge Deanery</b><br/>Woodbridge St John and Bredfield<br/><br/>The Revd Charles Trefusis, The Revd Martin Roberts, Gay Nichols (Reader)</p>   | <p>Chaplains to Seafarers (at Port of Felixstowe) The Revd David Simpson</p> | <p>Biharamulo: The Revd Peter Paschal, Runazi Parish.<br/>Lweru Diocese: The Revd Esau Bililiza, Rural Dean, Kabagunda</p>   |
| <p><b>Thurs<br/>10<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p> | <p><b>Clare Deanery</b><br/>Bansfield<br/><br/>The Revd Eve Bell</p>  | <p>Inspiring Ipswich</p>   | <p>Biharamulo: Rev John Issa, Youth Co-ordinator for the Diocese and pastor of Katahoka Parish</p>   |
| <p><b>Fri<br/>11<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Clare Deanery</b><br/>Haverhill with Withersfield<br/><br/>The Revd Max Drinkwater, The Revd Wendy Norris, Diana Allin (Children's and Families' Minister), Elizabeth Foulkes (Children's and Families' Minister)</p> | <p>Social workers.</p>   | <p>Kagera: Give thanks and pray for the many retired Pastors who continue to minister.</p>   |
| <p><b>Sat<br/>12<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Clare Deanery</b><br/>Stourhead<br/><br/>The Revd Chris Giles</p>   | <p>Church Primary Schools in Clare Deanery: Cavendish and Thurlow</p>        | <p>Kagera: Murgwanza Institute of Health and Allied sciences. Pray for the Principal, Anna Jackson. Pray that staff will not become discouraged when caring in such difficult circumstances.</p> |

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| <p><b>Sun<br/>13<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Clare Deanery</b><br/>Suffolk Heights<br/>The Revd Clive Fairclough, Barbara Hill (Reader), Lizzie Baker (Reader)</p>   | <p>Elders Reaffirmation Service at the Cathedral today. Pray for the ministry of Lay Elders across the diocese.</p> | <p>Today is homelessness Sunday. Pray for those around the world who have no home. Pray for those who sleep on the streets of major cities across the globe that they may find shelter. Pray for those who are refugees and have no home because of war.</p> |
| <p><b>Mon<br/>14<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Clare Deanery</b><br/>The Stour Valley<br/>The Revd Mark Woodrow, The Revd Dr Karen Smith</p>   | <p>In Prisons week, pray for prisoners, prison chaplains and all who work in the prison and probation service.</p>  | <p>Kagera: Mchumgaji Mwema (Good Shepherd) Secondary School run by the diocese. Pray for all the staff and pupils.</p>   |
| <p><b>Tues<br/>15<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>  | <p><b>Colneys Deanery</b><br/>Felixstowe Christ Church<br/>The Revd Liz Livey, The Revd Peter Livey</p>   | <p>Venture Scouts and Rangers, Scouts &amp; Guides, Cub-scouts &amp; Brownies, Beavers and Rainbows</p>             | <p>Pray for the Israeli and Palestinian families caught up in the conflict in Gaza. Pray for the release of hostages and for adequate aid to reach families suffering in Gaza. Above all pray for peace in the region</p>                                    |
| <p><b>Wed<br/>16<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Colneys Deanery</b><br/>Felixstowe St John the Baptist with St Edmund<br/>The Revd Penny Brinkley</p>   | <p>Please pray for Gregor Purdie and Anthony Rich, being ordained as Deacons today.</p>                             | <p>Pray for wisdom for our world leaders that they will respond sensibly to the climate crisis and seek to end the use of fossil fuels worldwide.</p>  |
| <p><b>Thurs<br/>17<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p> | <p><b>Colneys Deanery</b><br/>Felixstowe St Peter &amp; St Paul with St Andrew &amp; St Nicholas<br/>The Revd Chris Hood, The Revd David White, The Revd Georgina South</p> | <p>Chaplains to Mental Health Care</p>  | <p>Kagera: The Revd Obedia Eustace, Principal at KCTC and parish of Bumba. Pray for the staff and patients of Murgwanza Hospital, Kagera.</p>  |

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| <p><b>Fri<br/>18<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p> | <p><b>Colneys Deanery</b><br/>Kesgrave with Little Bealings and Playford<br/><br/>The Revd Canon Andrew Dotchin, The Revd Gary Jones, Martyn Shakespeare (Reader)</p>                             | <p>Pray for Rhiannon King as she is consecrated bishop today at Canterbury Cathedral</p> | <p>Lweru Diocese: The Revd Renuus Katale, Pastor, Malahala Parish; The Revd Nelson Mbatina, Pastor</p>   |
| <p><b>Sat<br/>19<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p> | <p><b>Colneys Deanery</b><br/>Martlesham with Brightwell<br/><br/>The Revd Toby Tate, The Revd Christine Pinder, The Revd Rob Allinson, Carolyn Smith (Reader), Marga Gibbs-Van Dijk (Reader)</p> | <p>Parish Nursing Ministries UK</p>  | <p>Biharamulo: Marietha Kutunzi, CCMP Co-ordinator and Ombeni Shirima, Diocesan Development Officer</p>  |
| <p><b>Sun<br/>20<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p> | <p><b>Colneys Deanery</b><br/>The Orwell and Deben Rural Benefice<br/><br/>The Revd Nick Williams</p>   | <p>Refugees in Suffolk</p>   | <p>Chad is dealing with severe issues from the Sudanese crisis and climate change, causing widespread food insecurity, malnutrition and increased conflicts over resources. Pray for the churches in Chad to come together to tackle public concerns effectively, that the country achieves and maintains political stability. Pray for the aid agencies involved.</p> |
| <p><b>Mon<br/>21<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p> | <p><b>Colneys Deanery</b><br/>Walton and Trimley<br/><br/>The Revd Wendy Smith, The Revd Linda Pepper<br/><br/>The Revd Enid Pow, to be instituted and inducted at the end of the month.</p>      | <p>Church School in Colneys Deanery: Nacton Primary School</p>                           | <p>Biharamulo: The Revd Obed George Musumeno, parish priest at Buzilayombo parish and The Revd Joas Jeremia, Kitwechembogo Parish</p>  |

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| <p><b>Tues</b><br/><b>22</b><br/><b>Oct</b><br/><b>2024</b></p>  | <p><b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br/>Bramford with Little Blakenham, Baylham and Nettlestead<br/>The Revd Eric Falla</p> | <p>Growing in God diocesan aims (younger, in number, in depth and in influence)</p> | <p>Pray for calm and peace during the presidential elections in the USA. Pray that both sides will be moderate in their speech so that democracy may flourish.</p> |
| <p><b>Wed</b><br/><b>23</b><br/><b>Oct</b><br/><b>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br/>Needham Market with Badley<br/>The Revd Tracey James, Kate Holmes (Reader)</p>      | <p>Rural and Agricultural Chaplains.</p>  | <p>Kagera: The Revd Philipo Benedicto Kasago, Kimuli Parish</p>  |
| <p><b>Thurs</b><br/><b>24</b><br/><b>Oct</b><br/><b>2024</b></p> | <p><b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br/>North Bosmere<br/>The Revd Helen Norris, Henry Stanford (Reader)</p>                | <p>Libraries, Museums and Parks of Suffolk.</p>                                     | <p>Kagera: Pray for the Diocesan Rehabilitation Centre in Kayanga and its work helping children with disabilities.</p>   |
| <p><b>Fri</b><br/><b>25</b><br/><b>Oct</b><br/><b>2024</b></p>   | <p><b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br/>South Bosmere<br/>The Revd Daniel Harrison</p>                                      | <p>Bishop Martin, Honorary Bishops, Bishop's Chaplain and Bishops' Office</p>       | <p>Kagera: The Revd Samwel Jeremiah Nduhiye, Parish Pastor Kumwuzuza: The Revd Theophili Hosea Pastor, Ibuga Parish.</p>   |

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| <p><b>Sat<br/>26<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>  | <p><b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br/>Bacton with Wyverstone, Cotton and Old Newton, and Wickham Skeith<br/><br/>The Revd Carole Jones, Chris Lawson (Children's and Families' Minister)</p> | <p>Diocesan Synod</p>  | <p>Biharamulo: The Revd Didas Kilolonga Lumoka, parish priest at Katahoka parish</p>  |
| <p><b>Sun<br/>27<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>  | <p><b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br/>Claydon Benefice<br/><br/>The Revd Tracey Caswell, The Revd Cathy Austin, Wendy Hooper (Licensed Evangelist), Liz Stone (Reader)</p>                   | <p>Suffolk Family Carers.</p>  | <p>Afghanistan and Yemen continue to be two of the poorest and most food insecure countries in the world. Pray for peace where there is conflict, and hope where there is hopelessness. Pray for women who are suffering oppression in Afghanistan.</p> |
| <p><b>Mon<br/>28<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>  | <p><b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br/>Combs and Finborough<br/><br/>The Revd Sarah Jenkins, The Revd Canon Pauline Higham</p>  | <p>Church Primary Schools in Gipping Valley Deanery: Bramford; Creeting St Mary; Stonham Aspal; Trinity, Combs; Great Finborough; Crawford's, Haughley; and Old Newton</p> | <p>Kagera: Pray for The Revd Philimon Ernest Gwimana, Kibrizi Parish: The Revd Felix Elson Rukimilana, Pastor, Kasharazi Parish.</p>  |
| <p><b>Tues<br/>29<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p> | <p><b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br/>Haughley with Wetherden and Stowupland<br/><br/>The Revd Paul Clarke, The Revd Alison Roberts, Rachel Clarke (Reader)</p>                              | <p>Ordinands and Lay Ministers in training.</p>  | <p>Lweru Diocese: The Revd Hurban Geraze, Pastor, Katoke Parish; The Revd Thadeo Ngonga, Pastor, Kyantare Parish</p>  |
| <p><b>Wed<br/>30<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b></p>  | <p><b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br/>Mendlesham: St Mary<br/><br/>The Revd Philip Gray</p>  | <p>Chaplains to the Armed Services</p>   | <p>Lweru: The Revd Sadoth Audax, Pastor Kyanshenge Parish; The Revd Samson Edward Pastor; The Revd Papianus Mushobozi, Pastor, Kashalu Parish</p>   |

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| <b>Thurs<br/>31<br/>Oct<br/>2024</b> | <b>Gipping Valley Deanery</b><br>Stowmarket: St Peter & St Mary<br>The Revd Michael Eden, The Revd Richard Stretch, Tony Ingham (Reader) | Archdeacons David, Rich, and Sally | Pray for those who have been badly affected by the floods in Central Europe as they start to rebuild their lives. Pray for the families of those who have lost their lives. Pray that governments will respond to mitigate the effects of floods in the future. |
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