**Prayer Diary 26 May-8 June 2025**

**Focusing on Mission and Ministry**

*Whenever you stand praying, forgive, if you have anything against anyone; so that your Father in heaven may also forgive you your trespasses Mark 11:25*

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

For details of the Anglian Communion please visit [here](http://www.anglicancommunion.org/resources/cycle-of-prayer/download-the-acp.aspx).

For details of the Church of England calendar please visit [here](https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/worship-texts-and-resources/common-worship/prayer-and-worship/worship-texts-and-resources/common-worship/churchs-year/calendar).

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| **Mon 26 May 2025** | Clare Deanery  Stourhead Benefice: The Revd Chris Giles | For Sharron Coburn, Director of Mission and Ministry, and the Mission and Ministry Team | Kagera: The Revd Dedan Israel Kaje, Pastor of Ntobeye Parish |
| **Tues**  **27**  **May 2025** | Clare Deanery  Suffolk Heights: The Revd Clive Fairclough; Lizzie Baker (Reader) | For Licensed Lay Pioneers and Licensed Lay Evangelists across the diocese | Kagera: Pray for Andrea Nziko, the Administrator of Murgwanza Hospital. The Revd Stembridge Lazaro, Pastor Nyakasimbi Parish |
| **Wed 28 May 2025** | Clare Deanery  The Stour Valley: The Revd Dr Karen Smith; The Revd Mark Woodrow | Pray for the Suffolk Show, Bishop Graeme and all involved with the Church Tent | Biharamulo: The Revd Eliud Miharugwa, Parish Priest of Igalula Parish. Lweru: The Revd Egdius Elizeus, Pastor, Kinuzi Parish; The Revd Narisis Sebikwekwe, School Chaplain, Katoke Lweru Secondary School. |
| **Thurs 29 May 2025** | Thingoe Deanery  Barrow Benefice: post of Rector vacant; The Revd Nicola Grieves | For the Church Army and our partnership work with them | On the International Day for UN Peacemakers we pray for all those working to bring an end to conflict, and peace and reconciliation across the world |
| **Fri 30 May 2025** | Thingoe Deanery  Bury St Edmunds: Christ Church, Moreton Hall: The Revd Sarah Quantrill | For all those exploring vocation to various forms of ministry | Kagera: The Revd Geofrey Jotham Japhet, Sub-Parish of Bulengo; Lweru: The Revd Edson Andrea, Pastor, Kemondo Parish |
| **Sat 31 May 2025** | Thingoe Deanery  Bury St Edmunds Southgate LEP: The Revd Mike Simm; Ali Lovejoy (Licensed Youth Minister) | For Children and Family Ministers and Youth Workers across the diocese | Biharamulo: The Revd Lazaro Joram, Pastor at Bwanga Parish; Lweru: The Revd Hosea Baraseka, Co-ordinator of Youth, Sunday School and Bible Knowledge for the diocese |
| **Sun**  **1**  **June**  **2025** | Thingoe Deanery  Bury St Edmunds St Mary with St Peter District Church: The Revd Canon Tiffer Robinson; The Revd Andy Williams; The Revd Dr Sarah Gull | For The Revd Canon Katy Cunliffe being installed and licensed as Cathedral Precentor | **Pray for the ongoing quest for peace in the Middle East. Pray for those who have lost family members, those who have lost their homes and livelihoods. Pray for compassion and understanding on both sides.** |
| **Mon 2 June 2025** | Thingoe Deanery  Great Barton and Thurston: The Revd Ben Edwards | *Thy Kingdom Come*:  Pray for the five people you would like to come to know the love of God. | Biharamulo: The Revd Didas Kilolonga, Pastor in Nyabyando Parish and The Revd Timotheo Petro Pastor in Nyabungombe Parish |
| **Tues**  **3 June 2025** | Thingoe Deanery  Horringer Benefice: The Revd Anita Rooney; Helen Woodroffe (Children and Family Minister) | *Thy Kingdom Come:*  Pray that the five people will know the hope of Christ in their lives | Kagera: The Revd Gabriel Ndabisembeleze, Pastor of Chivu Parish |
| **Wed**  **4 June 2025** | Thingoe Deanery  Lark Valley and North Bury: The Revd Dr Andy Miller; The Revd Ali Miller | *Thy Kingdom Come:*  Pray that the five people you are praying for may find faith in Christ for themselves and share that faith with others | Pray for ‘Peter’ Yuan Shiguo in Chengdu, and the Sichuan seminary where he teaches; for the students preparing to serve in churches among the many minority people groups in Yunnan, Sichuan and Guizhou provinces |
| **Thurs**  **5 June 2025** | Thingoe Deanery  St Edmundsbury Cathedral: The Very Revd Joe Hawes, The Revd Canon Katy Cunliffe; The Revd Canon Matthew Vernon; The Revd Canon Victoria Johnson; The Revd Chris Eyden; The Revd Canon Jutta Brueck; Caitlin Brinkley (Reader) | *Thy Kingdom Come:*  Pray that the five people discover what God wants to provide for them every day whatever their circumstances | Today is Environment Day. Pray for God’s Creation and improvements in the way we look after it. Pray for understanding for our world leaders so that effective action may be taken to reverse the climate crisis. Pray for greater protection for our ecosystems |
| **Fri**  **6 June 2025** | Woodbridge Deanery  Benefice of Carlford: The Revd Mark Cresswell; James Hall and Jane Woods (both Readers); Sandra Cresswell (Children and Family Minister) | *Thy Kingdom Come:*  Pray for your five to discover the forgiveness that Jesus offers to them, the start of a new life | Kagera: The Revd Deogratias Sebastian Rural Dean in Bushangaro Parish. Lweru: The Revd Melkidius Eustace, pastor of Ijuganyondo Parish |
| **Sat**  **7**  **June 2025** | Woodbridge Deanery  Melton and Ufford: The Revd Paul Hambling | *Thy Kingdom Come:*  Please pray that your five people will discover God’s forgiveness in their own lives and be enabled to forgive others | Kagera: The Revd Nathanael Makaka, Rural Dean in Mwivuza Parish |
| **Sun 8 June**  **2025** | Woodbridge Deanery  Woodbridge St Mary with Great Bealings: The Revd Nigel Prior | Pray that this Pentecost, the Holy Spirit would empower us again for the mission of God | **Continue to pray for an end to fighting in Ukraine and for a just and lasting peace. Pray for those who have lost loved ones or are unsure where their loved ones are** |