

Sun 21st – Sat 27th August

This week pray for all involved in summer outreach events: including summer clubs and sports. Pray for the leaders and for all those who come.

21. In our link with the Diocese of Bayeux-Lisieux in France we are asked to pray for those in Pastoral teams, especially those preparing others to support parishes in various ministries: catechesis, tourism, taking funerals.
22. Hold in prayer the Honiton Deanery, Rural Dean Jeremy Trew, Lay Chair Robin Hodges, and Secretary and Treasurer Tracey Voysey.
23. On Slavery Remembrance Day we pray for all victims of slavery and thank God for all that contributes to the resistance of injustices and discrimination today.
24. On this feast day of Bartholomew we pray: *Almighty and everlasting God, who gave to your apostle Bartholomew grace truly to believe and to preach your word: grant that your Church may love that word which he believed and may faithfully preach and receive the same; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.*
25. For the Start Bay Mission Community, their clergy Pam Kemp, Mike North and for all who live and worship in Stokenham with Sherford and Beesands, South Pool, Slapton, East Portlemouth, Chivelstone and Charleton with Buckland-Tout-Saints.
26. Pray for all who will visit Exeter Cathedral this summer, that they might encounter God, and for all who work and minister there.
27. For the Tamar Mission Community, their clergy Tim Deacon, Andy Atkins, and for all who live and worship in Thrushelton, Stowford, Milton Abbot with Dunterton, Marystowe, Lifton, Lew Trenchard, Lamerton with Sydenham Damerel, Kelly with Bradstone, Coryton and Broadwoodwidge.

Sun 28th – Wed 31st August

This week pray for all those who for whatever reason cannot take a holiday and for all those still at work. Pray that in the midst of work and other worries, they might find refreshment in God.

28. In our link with Thika we are asked to pray for Ven Wilson Kamau and the clergy and people of Giachuki Archdeaconry and for our linked parishes of Giachuki, Kiairegi and Ndunyu Chege.
29. For the Tamerton Foliot and Southway Mission Community, their priest David Gill and for all who live and worship in Tamerton Foliot, Southway.
30. For the Tavy Mission Community, their clergy Chris Hardwick, Sean Brassil, John Higman, David Coleman, Michael Loader, Steven Martin, Readers Wendy Roderick, Sue Tucker, Hazel Butland, Sally Pancheri, Christopher Pancheri and for all who live and worship in Whitchurch, Tavistock, Peter Tavy, Mary Tavy, Gulworthy and Brent Tor.
31. Pray for Bishop Robert, his PA Justine Tear and secretary Claire Sherlock.



Prayers

Mon 1st – Sat 6th August

Using your church visitor's book, pray for all those that have come to your church and thank God for all those who will visit this summer.

1. For the Saint Michael and Saint Barnabas Mission Community, their priest Tim Buckley, Readers John Wright, Lynda Buckley and for all who live and worship in Devonport St Michael and Devonport St Barnabas.
2. For the Saint Pancras Mission Community, their clergy Jon Marlow, Wendy Bray, Phillip Baul, Reader Paul Lumb and for all who live and worship in Saint Pancras Pennycross.
3. For the Sampford Peverell Mission Community, their clergy Sue Blade, Glyn Lewry, Readers Mandy Lewry, Julia Barrett and for all who live and worship in Uplowman, Sampford Peverell, Holcombe Rogus, Hockworthy, Halberton with Ash Thomas and Burlescombe.
4. For the Seaton and Beer Coastal Mission Community, their priest Jeremy Trew and for all who live and worship in Seaton and Beer.
5. Pray for Bishop Nick and for his secretary Helen Filewod and for all their work throughout Plymouth and across the wider diocese. Pray especially for his time in the Cadbury Deanery on the Bishops in Mission initiative today until 7th.
6. For the Shaldon Mission Community, their priest Annie Church and for all who live and worship in Stokeinteignhead, Shaldon, Hacombe and Combeinteignhead.

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Sun 7th – Sat 13th August

This week pray for our school headteachers who are retiring or leaving and thank God for their many years of dedicated service: Steve Cleave- Compton VA School, Robin Jones- St Budeaux Junior Foundation, Gill Kendrick- St Michael's Academy, Exeter, Rachel Hutchinson- St Peter's High, Exeter, Jason Keenan- Brixham Primary and Philip Medway- Kingsbridge Area Church Schools Federation. Also pray for Philip Mantell following his retirement as diocesan Director of Education.

7. Pray for the Benefice of Wolborough and Ogwell, their priest Patrick Parkes, Readers Jeremy Howell, Keith Butler and Simon Lepine-Williams and for all who live and worship in Ogwell and Wolborough.
8. Pray for the Shirwell Mission Community, their priest Rosie Austin, reader Gail Ward and for all who live and worship in Stoke Rivers, Shirwell, Loxhore, Kentisbury, East Down with Arlington, Challacombe and Bratton Fleming.
9. For the Sid Valley Mission Community, their clergy Philip Bourne, Roger Trumper, Susie Williams, Mark Barrett, Readers Carolyn Croft, Carole Hawkins, John Dunster and for all who live and worship in Woolbrook, Sidmouth, Sidbury with Sidford, Salcombe Regis and All Saints Sidmouth.
10. Pray for all those working in the diocesan office at the Old Deanery. Thank God for their commitment and creativity and pray that they will be refreshed on their summer breaks.
11. In our link with Melanesia we are asked to pray for the new Bishop of Ysabel Rt Revd Ellison Quity as the sixth bishop for the Diocese of Ysabel. We also give thanks for the Rural Training Centres across Melanesia providing vocational training to young men and women.
12. On International Youth Day pray for all young people. On this day to celebrate the achievements of the world's youth, thank God for all that they contribute to society.
13. For the Silverton Mission Community, their clergy Alan MacDonald, Catherine Jenkins, Thom Thompson and for all who live and worship in Silverton, Cadeleigh, Butterleigh and Bickleigh.

Sun 14th – Sat 20th August

This week pray for all those involved and attending the two Soul Survivor events taking place in Somerset. They are aimed at young people aged between 12 and 18. Pray that the young people will encounter God more deeply.

14. Pray for chaplain Chantal Mason and the Chaplaincy team at the University of Exeter.
15. On the feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary we pray: *Almighty God, who looked upon the lowliness of the Blessed Virgin Mary and chose her to be the mother of your only Son: grant that we who are redeemed by his blood may share with her in the glory of your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever*
16. In our link with the Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf, pray for the Honorary Assistant Bishop for Urdu-speaking congregations, Azad Marshall and his wife Lesley.
17. For the South Dartmoor Mission Community, their priest Freddy Denman and for all who live and worship in Sparkwell, Ivybridge, Harford and Cornwood.
18. For the South Molton Mission Community, their clergy Michael Grandey, David Baker, Bryant Sanders, Lynn Flatt, Christopher Pouncey, Reader John Cundill and for all who live and worship in Warkleigh with Satterleigh, South Molton with Nymet Saint George, Kingsnympton, Filleigh, East Buckland, Chittlehampton with Umberleigh and Chittlehamholt.
19. Pray for Bishop Sarah and her secretary Barbara and especially for her time in the Tiverton and Cullompton Deaneries as part of the Bishops in Mission initiative today until 21st.
20. Pray for the work of Nigel Mason, chaplain at Hospicecare in Exeter.

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope. Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will hear you. JEREMIAH 29: 11&12

