

# DIOCESE IN EUROPE

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## Prayer Diary April - June 2022

This diary has been compiled to help us pray together for one another and our common concerns. It is also available on the diocesan website [www.europe.anglican.org](http://www.europe.anglican.org), both for downloading (PDF) and for viewing. The latter should be updated as new appointments and other changes are announced.

A daily prayer update is sent via PrayerMate and Twitter (on the diocesan account @DioceseinEurope)

Each chaplaincy, with the communities it serves, is remembered in prayer once a quarter, following this weekly pattern:

- Eastern Archdeaconry: Monday, Saturday
- Archdeaconry of France: Tuesday, Saturday
- Archdeaconry of Gibraltar: Wednesday, Saturday
- Italy & Malta Archdeaconry: Friday
- Archdeaconry of North West Europe: Thursday
- Swiss Archdeaconry: Friday
- Archdeaconry of Germany and Northern Europe
- Nordic and Baltic Deanery: Monday
- Germany: Saturday

On Sundays, we pray for subjects which affect us all (e.g. reconciliation, on Remembrance Sunday), or which have local applications for most of us (e.g. the local cathedral or cathedrals). This will include Diocesan Staff, Churches in Communion and Ecumenical Partners.

**Sunday Intercessions** should, by tradition, include prayer for Bishop Robert and the local Head of State by name. In addition, prayers may also include Bishop David (the Suffragan Bishop) and, among the heads of other states, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II and the leaders of other countries represented in the congregation.

**Sources and resources also commended:**

<https://www.anglicancommunion.org/resources/cycle-of-prayer/download-the-acp.aspx>

[World Council of Churches http://www.oikoumene.org/en/resources/prayer-cycle](http://www.oikoumene.org/en/resources/prayer-cycle)

[Common Worship Lectionary](#)

<https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-worship/worship/texts.aspx>).

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## **April**

Sunday 3

Pray for Bishop Robert and Bishop David as they lead and pastor the diocese.

Pray for the Bishop's Office in Brussels, Alan Strange (Bishop's Chaplain), Gail Wilmet (Bishop's PA), Barbara Omoro (Appointments Secretary) and Caroline Gaumy (Administrative Assistant).

Monday 4

**Archdeaconry of Germany and Northern Europe:** Archdeacon: Leslie Nathaniel.

**Eastern Archdeaconry:** Archdeacon: Leslie Nathaniel.

**Vienna:** (Also serves Innsbruck, Klagenfurt, Bratislava, Ljubljana) Chaplain: Patrick Curran, Assistants: Mike Waltner, John Barker. Remember Christian Hofreiter who is being licensed later this month in the new chaplaincy of Citykirche Wien.

Tuesday 5

**Aquitaine:** (Includes Bertric Burée, Bordeaux, Condom in the Gers, Doudrac, Limeuil Haut, Monteton, Périgueux-Chancelade, Ste Nathalie, Sorges) Chaplain: Tony Lomas, Assistant: Liz Morris, Readers: Sheila Marshall, Patrick Sturges, Roger Verrall. Pray for Tony in his role as Area Dean.

Wednesday 6

**Archdeaconry of Gibraltar:** Archdeacon: David Waller.

**Gibraltar Cathedral:** (Also serves Gibraltar (Port)) Dean: Ian Tarrant. Port Chaplain: Vacant, Readers: Pam Baker & Sally Barton. Pray for the new locum Port Chaplains, who will alternate, two months at a time, as they learn about the life of the port, and share in our cathedral community.

Thursday 7

**Archdeaconry of North-West Europe:** Archdeacon Sam Van Leer.

**Antwerp:** Chaplain: Andrew Wagstaff, Reader: Egbert van Groesen.

**Antwerp Mission to Seafarers:** Port Chaplain: vacant.

Friday 8

**Archdeaconry of Italy and Malta:** Archdeacon: David Waller.

**Assisi:** We thank God for all the people who have supported us in our Zoom services over the past 2 years, as we return to our church in April. We ask for his blessings on Cathie our church warden who will retire in April, and we thank her for the dedication and love that she has given to St Leonard's over the past years and in particular through the pandemic.

We ask our Loving God to hold St Leonard's as we move forward, happy to be back in Assisi. And we pray for all the Franciscan brothers and sisters wherever they are.

**Bordighera:** We pray for a resolution to the tasks of maintenance and management of the cemetery there,

Saturday 9

**Berlin:** (also serves Dresden) Chaplain: Christopher Jage-Bowler, Assistants: Joachim Reich, Gottlieb George.

**Dresden:** Ricky Yates (PTO).

**Bonn with Cologne:** Chaplain: Richard Gardiner, Reader: Jenny Knudsen. Pray for this Chaplaincy at a time of transition.

Sunday 10 Palm Sunday

Give thanks for our relationship with the Lutheran Churches of the Porvoo Agreement. Pray for the Porvoo Contact Group and the Lutheran Church in Great Britain. Pray for our partnership with USPG as they work so closely with us on the Bishop's Lent and Easter appeal for all affected by the war in Ukraine.

Monday 11

**Prague:** (Includes Brno) Chaplain: Nathaniel Nathaniel, Reader: Jack Noonan. Please pray for God's guidance for our council members as well as for both our congregations- in Prague & Brno that through witness & service we will proclaim His word. We pray for our Asst Chaplain Lea John Williams who will start in May.

Tuesday 12

**Archdeaconry of France:** Archdeacon: Peter Hooper. Pray for the work to have the Church of England officially recognised at a national level in France

**Beaulieu-sur-Mer:** Chaplain: Anthony Ingham.

**Biarritz:** Chaplain: Vacant. Pray for the continuing reflections as to how the Chaplaincy can be best supported by a priestly presence

Wednesday 13

**Casablanca:** (includes Rabat) Chaplain (Locum): Virgilio Fernandez We give thanks for the caring heart of Father Virgilio Fernandez who has left his own family in the Philippines to be our Locum. We pray for a long-term chaplain from July as the Locum's term comes to an end. We pray for the spiritual and physical needs of our congregation, many of whom come from elsewhere in Africa and who struggle to earn a living

**Tangier:** Chaplain: Dennis Obidiegwu.

Thursday 14

**Brugge, Knokke, Ostend:** Chaplain: Augustine Nwaekwe. Pray for him in his additional role as Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic ministry adviser.

Friday 15 Good Friday

**Florence:** (Also serves Bologna) Pray for our new chaplain Chris Williams and his wife Bernie, as they prepare to arrive in June as St Mark's enters a new chapter. Give thanks for the recent visit of Bishop David to lead the Confirmation Service, and for the sustaining work of churchwardens Bob and Linda, and all those who have maintained our ministry of music and welcome over the last sixteen months.

**Genova:** Chaplain: Tony Dickinson. Pray for the preparations for the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the dedication of our church building, thanksgiving for generous gifts received, major funding for necessary work on the building, members of the congregation in search of regular work and permanent accommodation and stabilisation of the congregation in this latest phase of the pandemic

Saturday 16

**Brittany:** (Includes: Huelgoat, Ploërmel, Rostrenen) Chaplain: vacant, Readers: Laura Hillman, Robin Hillman, Alan Mason, Guy Barnard. Pray for faithfulness in worship, persistence in prayer, desire to learn from God's Word and selflessness in supporting each

other and for the continuing process of appointing a new Chaplain, for wisdom for the Diocesan members making clergy appointments in Europe post Brexit.

**Cannes:** Chaplain: Giles Williams, Readers: David Sinclair, Christopher Walley, Christine Williams. Prayers for our Easter Day services tomorrow.

Sunday 17 Easter Day

Pray for the Lusitanian Church, Bishop Jorge Pina Cabral. Pray for the Church of Denmark and the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Estonia.

**Diocesan Office in London:** Pray for the Operations and Finance departments: Diocesan Secretary (COO): Andrew Caspari; Office Manager: Bron Panter; Finance: Susan Stelfox, Nick Wraight; Board of Finance Chair: Mike Fegan. Pray for the financial needs of the Diocese (and give thanks for God's provision).

Monday 18

**Copenhagen:** (Also serves Aarhus) Chaplain: Smitha Prasadam, Readers: Graeme Lloyd-Roberts, Peter Prasadam, Julian Simpson. Christ's bursts into our lives breathing peace. We rejoice in the life burst of resurrection at a time when many fear change and would rather weep or run away. Please pray for the Ministry Team and Council as we strive for renewal and growth in faith and number and see the green blade rising in our midst.

**Tallinn:** Chaplain: Gustav Piir.

Tuesday 19

**Chantilly:** Chaplain: Sarah Tillett. Pray for our Annual Meeting and elections for new members of the Church Council. Pray for discernment and wisdom for those new members. We pray for the Council training day and our first meeting together. Give thanks for the Council members who have stepped down this year for their tremendous ministry over the past few years.

**Dinard:** Chaplain: Vacant. Pray for the work to rationalise the current complicated legal structures and for healing across the community.

Wednesday 20

**Barcelona:** (Also serves Andorra) Chaplain: John Chapman, Assistant: Deborah Chapman. St George's is celebrating a 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala Year and we pray for the celebratory events over the coming months, a Confirmation, an Exhibition of our Archives, Story telling of the Past, International Meals, Prayer Walk and other events. Pray with us for a year that brings joy, fun, spiritual richness and hearts full of gratitude.

**Nerja and Almuñécar:** Chaplain: Nigel Thomas.

Thursday 21

**Brussels:** Senior Chaplain: Paul Vrolijk; Associate Chaplains: John Wilkinson, Jack McDonald; Asst Chaplain: Jean-Bosco Turahirwa, Asst Curate: Annie Bolger; Readers: Ozichi Baron, David Mitchell, Heather Roy, Grace West, Jacob Quick. Pray for two working groups, addressing Environmental Justice and Racial Justice, as we seek to be transformed together and to draw closer to God's will for the flourishing of all. That we would work toward consensus and the common good.

Friday 22

**Malta and Gozo:** (Includes: Valletta, also serves: Gozo) Chancellor of the Pro-Cathedral: Simon Godfrey, Assistants: Francois Mifsud, Peter Packer, Reader: Michael Collins.

**Sliema:** Chaplain: Clem Upton.

Saturday 23

**Algarve:** (Includes: Almancil, Praia Da Luz, Tavira, Gorjões) Chaplains: Reid Hamilton, Robert Kean, Readers: Robert Kelly, Maureen Kyle, Fiona Mayes. Pray for our long term locum Fr Bramwel, our three congregations (East, West and Central) and the Archdeacon's visit in June

**Greater Lisbon:** (Includes: Estoril, Lisbon) Chaplain: Elizabeth Bendrey. Assistant Iain Bendrey. Pray for our engagement with the Living in Love and Faith material, for our building issues and our outward face to the community.

Sunday 24

Pray for the Spanish Episcopal Reformed Church, Bishop Carlos López-Lozano. Pray for the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Finland.

**Diocesan Office in London:** Pray for the Safeguarding team: Grace Fagan, Lisa Welch, Bridgett Fenton, Laura O'Brien, Craig Norman; Pray for our care for children and vulnerable adults.

Monday 25

**Helsinki:** (Also serves Tallinn, Tampere, Turku, Kuopio, White Nile) Chaplain: Tuomas Mäkipää, Assistant: Amos Manga. Reader: Keith Battarbee. Please pray for our work with the White Nile congregation, Urdu language ministry and the Turku Cathedral International Congregation, and the Ecumenical Council of Finland. Also for our ministers, volunteers, choir, Sunday School teachers and children. Pray for the deepening and widening of their relationship with other local church groups, including the Orthodox Church in Finland, and for greater engagement with the Porvoo Agreement in Finland. Lastly, please pray for peacebuilding in the Baltic Sea region.

Tuesday 26

**Fontainebleau:** Chaplain: Vacant. We ask for your prayers for guidance, clarity and wisdom as we work on our vacancy pack. We would also ask for prayers for the life of our chaplaincy post covid.

**Grenoble:** Chaplain: Nick Finlay. Pray for wisdom as Covid regulations are eased and attendance in church is rising quite rapidly again. We have to meet considerable needs among our children and young people - pray for the right solutions and the way forward.

Wednesday 27

**Costa Almeria and Costa Calida:** (serves Mojácar, Llanos and Aljambra) Chaplain: Vacancy, Assistant: Alan Bennett, Readers: Marge Gall, Tony Noble, Alywn Carter. Please pray for Costas Almeria and Calida in vacancy. Pray for wise decision making and the finding of a new warden and PCC members. Pray for Fr Alan Bennet (Retired Priest) and Readers : Margie Gall, Alwyn Carter and Tony Noble and Church Warden Pam Carter as well as our Ordinand Gavin Sunshine. Pray for Fr Vincent Oram beginning his retirement.

**Costa Azahar:** Although the chaplaincy has closed we pray for the ongoing Prayer Group

Thursday 28

**Ghent:** (Also serves Ghent (Port)) Chaplain: Stephen Murray, Asst Chaplain: Oluwakayode Adeyemi Sopeju

**Belgium and Luxembourg Deanery:** Area Dean: Stephen Murray.

Friday 29

**Milan:** (Also serves Cadenabbia (Lake Como), Varese) Chaplain: Vickie Sims, Asst Curate: Robert Morley, Locum (Lake Como): Roger Williams, Reader: Angela Mirani (Varese). Prayer and thanksgiving for ministry: Revd Margaret Marquardt, seasonal chaplain for Cadenabbia, Angela Donaldson Mirani, reader at Varese, Revd Canon Vickie Sims, Revd Robert Morley, All Saints' Milan, Massimo Radice, exploring vocation. Pray for new

leadership for children's work and for the rebuilding of our community life, still very much suffering from effects of Covid restrictions

Saturday 30

**Düsseldorf:** (Also serves Essen) Chaplain: Stephen Walton. Pray for wisdom as Covid restrictions are lifted. Give thanks for the many new people who have come recently, and pray that they will be disciplined and grow in Christ.

**Freiburg-im-Breisgau:** Chaplain: Vinod Victor. Pray for our newly licensed Chaplain, We pray for all administrative tasks. May all those doing them be granted patience, wisdom, acknowledgment and gratification.

**May**

Sunday 1

Pray for The Episcopal Church in Europe (TEC), Bishop Mark Edington.  
Pray for our partnership with ICS.

Monday 2

**Corfu:** Chaplain: Jules Wilson, Reader: Jackie Dallos. We give Thanks for our togetherness through these difficult times Pray that we will all be drawn back to church in person and in a deeper closeness with Jesus. There is a real need for refurbishment and Cafe Logos, pray for swift completion. Several Wedding blessings coming up from May at H.T.C and other spots on the island .Pray for Clare administrating from UK and Jules preparation and safe travel .Pray for a good safe season in tourism., our ministry to visitors and for ICS summer mission with Adrian Whitehall starting in May.

Tuesday 3

**La Manche:** (Includes Gratot Homm el, Virey) Chaplain: Vacant, Readers: Donna Derrick, Mary Jackson. Pray for encouragement to cope with the challenges of seeking to maintain Chaplaincy life both in terms of pastoral support to the community and local worship activities

**Le Gard:** Chaplain: Vacant. Pray for wisdom to discern what our next steps should be in the development of our Chaplaincy and the potential for a new Chaplain.

**Lille:** (serves Arras) Chaplain: Debbie Flach, Readers: Paul Ellender, Suzanne Bray. Pray for Debbie in her role as Dean of Women's Ministry.

Wednesday 4

**Costa Blanca:** (Includes Albir, Calpe, El Campello, D nia, J vea, Gandia, La Fustera) Chaplains: Marcus Ronchetti, James Booker, Rodney Middleton; Readers: Ken Cornforth, Stephen Carden.

Thursday 5

**Leuven:** Chaplain: Catriona Laing. Asst Curate: Sarah King. Pray for our worship, discipleship and fellowship, as we seek to discern more of what God is calling us to in Leuven. Pray for our mission and outreach, as we seek to partner with Stad Leuven and others to help refugees.

**Li ge:** Chaplain: Guy Diakiese. Pray for our church to be a place where people can continue to grow in their discipleship, more especially in their commitment to the three marks of our vision for this year: prayer, care and outreach, for old members of our church who are still finding it difficult to come back to church after a long period of pandemic and for our treasurer and finance committee as we are looking for new ways to improve our finances, and those supporting our church financially.

**Mons International Chapel Centre:** Chaplain: Revd Brian Phipps

Friday 6

**Naples:** (Also serves Bari) Chaplain: Jules Bergquist. Pray for Jules in the role of Area Dean.

**Orvieto:** Revd Francisco Alberca (The Episcopal Church)

Saturday 7

**Monte Carlo:** Chaplain: David Roper. Pray for a good AGM and for those who will be elected to the church council and who will oversee the appointment and welcoming of a new chaplain. Pray also for those who will support St Paul's during the gap between the departure of the interim Chaplain and the arrival of the new.

**Strasbourg:** Chaplain: Mark Barwick, Readers: David Cowley, Catherine Emezie. Pray for a new ecumenical relationship that is coming together in the life of our chaplaincy.

Sunday 8

Pray for the Greek Orthodox Church and for Leonard Doolan, the Archbishop of Canterbury's Apokrisiarios to the Archbishop of Athens and All Greece.

**Ministry Team:** Pray for: William Gulliford (DDO); Ulla Monberg (Director of Ministerial Development); our new Ministry Team Assistant, Polly Feeman and those training for ordained ministry.

Monday 9

**Greater Athens:** (Includes Athens (St Paul), Kifissia, Andros, Nafplion, also serves Thessaloniki, Patras) Chaplain: Leonard Doolan, Assistant: Christine Saccali, Reader: Sherry Angelis. Pray for the new online Prayer group based in Athens (but not exclusively for Athens) and the new development in partnership between the Anglican Church and the Swedish Congregation in Athens.

**Crete:** Assistant Chaplain: Bruce Bryant-Scott, Please pray for our programs for the Spring and Summer when the tourists and part-time residents return. May our Small Groups ministry grow, and may we continue to become the caring Body of Christ that God wants us to be.

Tuesday 10

**Lyon:** Chaplain: Ben Harding, Readers: Keith Burrell, Tim Evans, We praise God for the safe arrival of our new ecumenical outreach worker and his wife and ask His blessing on them as they begin their work of strengthening our ties and common work with Christians of other denominations in Lyon. Please pray for our congregation as we continue to get into the rhythm of our post-lockdown life, serving the needs both of those who attend at our new building and also those who follow online. We pray that God will fire up the hearts of people in our congregation to keep volunteering for all the many sacred and more practical tasks needed to keep the church going.

Wednesday 11

**Costa Brava:** (Includes Madremanya, Pau, Sant Ampeli) Chaplain: Rachel Shock, Reader: Sharon Grant. Lord, we give thanks for your presence with us each day and for all who work hard to enable your kingdom on earth. Continue to guide us that our chaplaincy may grow ever stronger, firmly rooted and grounded in your love.

**Costa del Sol West:** (Includes San Pedro, Sotogrande) Chaplain: vacant, Reader: Barry Mason. Thanks for the churchwardens and the council as they work through the interregnum, for the locums taking our services, for the residents of the residential homes we work with, for the charities we support, for a restart of Messy Church, for the continuing vaccination and COVID protection schemes, for the refugees in this part of Spain.

Thursday 12

**Tervuren:** Chaplain: Dominic Newstead, Reader: Patrick Lambert and Bess Brookes.

**Ypres (Ieper):** Chaplain: Andrew McMullon.

Friday 13

**Padova:** Chaplain: Amos Osaromkpe, Readers: Michael Udeagbara, Charles Onwukwe.

**Palermo:** Chaplain: James Hadley. Pray for James as he settles into his new role.

**Taormina:** Chaplain: Pray for the seasonal locums who serve through the summer

**Randazzo:** Chaplain: Giovanni de la Rosa

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Saturday 14

**Madeira:** Chaplain: Michael Jarman.

**Porto:** (Includes Ponte de Lima) **Chaplain:** David Hawthorn (Locum), **Reader:** Judith Murray.

Sunday 15

Pray for Bishop Robert and Bishop David; and their chaplains Alan Strange and Frances Hiller.

**Ministry Team:** Director of Reader Ministry: Celia Paterson.

Pray for all those training to be Readers in the diocese; for Clare Amos (Director of Lay Discipleship). Pray and give thanks for the work of the Friends of the Diocese in Europe (Secretary: Jeanne French)

Monday 16

**Budapest:** Chaplain: Frank Hegedus. We pray in thanksgiving for the many who are helping refugees here in Hungary; we pray for peace.

**Zalazanto:** Associate Chaplain: Denis Moss.

Tuesday 17

**Maisons Laffitte:** Chaplain: Charlotte Sullivan, Reader: Richard Medcalf.

**Marseille:** (serves: Aix-en-Provence and Oppède in the Luberon) Chaplain: Jamie Johnston, Asst Curate: Roxana Tenea Telean, Assistant clergy: Patrick Cassidy, David Pickering and John Smith, Readers: Jane Quarmby, Christine Portman. Pray for peace, for refugees facing turmoil, separation from loved ones and an uncertain future. Ask God to grant to those who live in safety the gift of compassion.

Wednesday 18

**Costa del Sol East:** (Includes Calahonda, Fuengirola (Los Boliches), Alhaurín El Grande) Chaplain: Vacancy, Reader: Caroline MacFarlane. Please pray for us in our 5th month of Interregnum.

We give thanks for our Locum Canon Michael Lloyd Rees and our existing Ministry Team. As we begin our process of advertising for a new Chaplain, we ask for the right person and the right timing as well as trusting the Lord to bring it together in His Will.

**Fuerteventura:** Chaplain: Bob Horrocks, Assistant: Judie Horrocks. Give thanks for hopeful signs of a new home for our El Cotillo congregation in an excellent location.

Thursday 19

**Luxembourg:** Chaplain: Geoff Read, Assistant: Evelyn Sweerts. Give thanks for the wonderful diversity of our congregation and for steps to allow that to shape how we worship together in the future, especially the focus on the Prayers of the People

Friday 20



**Rome:** (Also serves Macerata) Chaplain: Robert Warren.

**The Anglican Centre in Rome:** Director and Archbishop of Canterbury's Representative to the Holy See: Archbishop Ian Ernest.

Saturday 21

**Hamburg:** Chaplain: Jules Ann Barnes. Pray for Jules and for growth in the chaplaincy and all its activities after the pandemic.

**Heidelberg:** Chaplain: John Newsom, Reader: Rosemary Selle. Pray for the Revd Canon John Newsom as our chaplain from last October.

Sunday 22

Pray for the Old Catholic Churches of the Union of Utrecht, Archbishop Bernd Wallet. Pray for the Evangelical Lutheran Churches of Iceland, Latvia and Lithuania.

**London:** Pray for professional experts who serve the Diocese in London Chancellor: Mark Hill; Registrar: Aiden Hargreaves-Smith; Interim Communications Director: Adrian Butcher

Monday 23

**Reykjavik:** Chaplain: Bjarni Bjarnason

**Riga:** Chaplain: Eliza Zikmane, Assistant Curate: Valdis Teraudkalns.

Tuesday 24

**Midi Pyrénées and Aude:** (Includes Alet les Bains, Brens, Cahors, Caylus, Tarn, Toulouse, Vayrac): Chaplain: vacant, Assistant: Anthony Jewiss, Readers: Peter Gibbs, Malcolm Rigley. Pray for the congregation of the Chaplaincy of Midi-Pyrénées and Aude as they work to create a new structure and direction for the Chaplaincy, and for all those involved in the teams who are involved in the detailed work to develop these.

Wednesday 25

**Ibiza and Formentera:** (Includes Sant Rafael, Santa Eulàlia, Jesús, Es Caná, Formentera) Chaplain: Adrian Green. Pray that our planned celebrations for the Platinum Jubilee of Queen Elizabeth would help us connect with those on these islands that don't regularly attend church. Pray as we prepare to welcome tourists back to Ibiza; that we would find meaningful ways of engaging with those that holiday here and that Christians that are employed in the tourism industry would still manage to find time to connect with God, despite demanding work schedules.

Thursday 26 (Ascension Day)

**Amsterdam:** (Includes Amsterdam City Centre, Amsterdam Zuidoost, Amsterdam South) Chaplain: Vacancy, Interim Minister (City Centre): Kerry Buttram. Pray for the new chaplain on arrival to settle well into ministry in the chaplaincy and to motivate its mission and outreach.

**Amsterdam Community OZ100:** Priest: Rik Florentinus.

**Heiloo:** Chaplain: To be announced

**Schiphol Airport:** Mark Hafkenscheid and the chaplains' ministry team.

Friday 27

**Venice:** (Also serves Aviano, Trieste) Chaplain: Vacant. Pray for the provision of priestly ministry within the chaplaincy after the departure of the Rev'd Canon Malcolm Bradshaw, the Churchwardens, David Newbold and Geraldine Ludbrook caring for the chaplaincy during the inter-regnum, the Rev'd Castro Adieabah, an Anglican priest from Ghana, undertaking a three year course on Anglican/ Roman Catholic relations at the Franciscan Ecumenical Institute in Venice and the economic recovery of Venice severely hit by the lack of tourists during the pandemic.

Saturday 28

**The Touraine:** (Includes Savigny-en-Veron, Tours) Chaplain: John Neal.

**The Vendée:** (Also serves Puy de Serre, La Chapelle Palluau) Chaplain: Hazel Door, Reader: John Matthews. Pray for all those who have attended our Lent groups.

Sunday 29

Pray for the Church of Norway and we give thanks for our local cooperation in ministry as part of the Poovoo Communion. Give thanks and pray for our fellowship with the French Lutheran and Reformed Churches (Reuilly Common Statement). Pray for our partnership with CMS.

Monday 30

**Norway:** (includes Bergen, Drammen, Kristiansand, Oslo, Stavanger, Tromsø, Trondheim) Chaplain: Joanna Udal, Asst: Sheila Rosenthal, Asst Curate: Kirk Weisz, Readers: Iris Evans-Bjørnø, Susan Boyd. Emeritus Reader: Priscilla Beck. Please give thanks for 125 years of witness and ministry in the beautiful stave church of St Olaf's, Balestrand, and pray for our summer chaplaincy there. Please also pray for our outreach to those unable to attend our services in person.

Tuesday 31

**Menton:** Chaplain: Vacant. Pray for us as we continue in vacancy to welcome locums at this time. Please also pray for the renovations to our Chaplaincy flat and that we find accommodation for the locums. Please pray for the appointment longer term of a permanent chaplain.

**Nice:** (serves Vence) Chaplain: Peter Jackson

**June**

Wednesday 1

**Lanzarote:** (Includes: Playa Blanca, Puerto del Carmen) Chaplain: Stanley Evans. Pray for encouragement for our small number of members and for our witness in Playa Blanca as well as St Laurence as a whole. We continue to give thanks for the new home found for much of our work and for the Chaplain.

Thursday 2

**Arnhem-Nijmegen:** Chaplain: Jos Strengholt, Assistant Curate: Dorienke de Vries.

**Eindhoven:** Chaplain: Harrison Chinnakumar Ephraim, Reader: Jan Waterschoot. We pray for the arrival of our new chaplain. Thank you Lord for our Locum and his wife who were both willing to come and help us.

Friday 3

**Archdeaconry of Switzerland:** Archdeacon: Peter Hooper. Pray for Peter as he begins his new role for Switzerland and for encouragement as he balances his new responsibilities alongside those he already holds in France.

**Basel:** (Also serves Biel/Bienne) Chaplain: To be announced, Assistants: Anne Lowen, Russell Hilliard, Mark Pogson, Reader: Nigel Spencer. We give thanks for the newly appointed chaplain.

**Berne:** (Also serves Thun and Neuchâtel) Chaplain: Helen Marshall, Reader: Archana Jacob. We pray for guidance as we seek to develop our work with families and children; for more volunteers to take teach in Junior Church and for creativity in developing new events and initiatives. We pray for grace, patience and good relationships as we review the music in our

church and find the best way forward. We are thankful that more people are coming back to church and pray that this will continue.

Saturday 4

**Las Palmas (Gran Canaria):** (Also serves Playa del Ingles) We pray for a long term appointment to be chaplain.

Sunday 5 (Pentecost)

Today on her Platinum Jubilee we give thanks and pray for Her Majesty our Queen on her Platinum Jubilee.

Give thanks and pray for our fellowship with the German Protestant Churches (Evangelische Kirche Deutschland) (Meissen Declaration).

Diocesan Office in London: Locum Ministry Administrator: Emma Biaggi

Monday 6

Pray for the Diocesan Synod today gathering in Cologne

**Warsaw:** (also serves Cracow, Gdansk) Chaplain: David Brown. We pray for all the work of the chaplaincy with refugees from Ukraine.

Tuesday 7

**Paris St George:** (Also serves Caen) Chaplain: Mark Osborne, Assistant Chaplain Jeffrey John. Assistant: Nicolas Razafindratsima. Pray for our preparations for the Young Peoples Group as they plan their diary and the groups facilitators Ed and Alvaro, for the Enquirers Course and for those already exploring baptism and confirmation. And also for St Mary's Anglican Chaplaincy Caen as they build their website & register under the laws of 1901/1905 and for courage and healing after a very difficult year.

**Paris St Michael:** Chaplain: Jonathan Clark, Assistant Chaplain: Ben Evans; Readers: Andrew Wallace-Burnett, Debbie Orleach. Pray for Ben Evans as he starts his ministry. Pray for his family (wife Elise, daughter Elya) to settle quickly. Pray for good contacts with young people, and creativity to see how to reach out, and what form a new evening service/gathering should take.

Wednesday 8

**Madrid:** Chaplain: Medhat Sabry, Assistant Curate Solomon Uche Ike, Reader: Celia Paterson. Pray for our children's programme - Godly Play for the younger children and the new programme for the adolescents, pray for the return of families post COVID. Also remember our deacon, Solomon is who will be made a priest on the first weekend of July

Thursday 9

**Haarlem:** Chaplain: Bruce Elliot Rienstra, Reader: Jaap Theunisz.

**The Hague:** Chaplain: Michael Roden, Assistant Chris Nicholls. Readers: Katherine Fortier, Jan Huber. One of the priorities we identified is to face racial disparities with courage and grace, highlighted during our Lent course. We pray this dialogue is bringing about self-awareness and change.

Friday 10

**Geneva:** Chaplain: Daphne Green. Please join with us in praying for our Vision & Strategy initiative as we plan, with God's guidance, the way forward for our chaplaincy over the new few years and for our major '*Building Tomorrow*' church renovation and building project which has begun this spring. We also ask your prayers for our young people and our Youth Leader, Armel Ayegdon as we develop our activities with them in the aftermath of Covid and for our Pastoral Team, especially in its ministry to people who are elderly and housebound.

**La Côte:** (Includes Divonne-les-Bains (France)) Chaplain: Carolyn Cooke, Assistant Chaplain: Julia Chambeyron, Reader: Betty Talbot. Pray for Carolyn taking a welcome sabbatical this year.

Saturday 11

**Leipzig:** Chaplain: Vacancy. Pray for our unity as we emerge from lockdown.

**Stuttgart:** Chaplain: Kara Werner.

**British Army Garrison Churches** and their Chaplains.

Sunday 12

Pray for the Serbian Orthodox Church, for Robin Fox as Archbishop of Canterbury's Apokrisiaris to the Patriarch of Serbia. Pray for the autocephalous Orthodox churches of Eastern Europe and the Baltic.

Pray for Ben Gordon-Taylor (Liturgy Officer); Ray Andrews (Spirituality Advisor) and our team of Spiritual Directors.

Monday 13

**Bucharest:** Chaplain: Nevsky Everett. Pray for Nevsky as he starts his ministry

**Belgrade:** (Also serves Skopje) Chaplain: Robin Fox.

**Kyiv:** Chaplain: Vacant. Pray for peace *for* Ukraine and wisdom of those earthly leaders who are making responsible decisions. Pray for all in the congregation who have been forced to leave by the war and for those they had to leave behind. We pray for the plans for rebuild mission and ministry in Kyiv after the war.

Tuesday 14

**Pas de Calais:** (Includes Boulogne-sur-Mer, Calais, Hesdin) Chaplain: Vacant, Reader: Mary Wood. Pray for the future of the chaplaincy which is currently studying a House for Duty project.

**Pau:** Chaplain: Vacant, Reader: John Errey.. Pray for wisdom and encouragement for the Chaplaincy Council as they look to make decisions around the potential new Chaplain's post and tackle the reconstruction of the damaged floor of their historic building.

Wednesday 15

**Malaga:** (Includes: Velez-Málaga, Salinas) Chaplain: Louis Darrant, Assistant: Doreen Cage and Gary Small.

**Menorca:** Chaplain: Paul Strudwick. Please pray for wisdom & compassion as we begin to return to more normal worship & activities. Pray for Paul in his additional role as Area Dean.

Thursday 16

**Maastricht:** Chaplain: vacant.

**Rotterdam:** Chaplain: Jenni Pridmore, Reader: We give thanks for the many years of dedicated service offered by Grada Schadee, for whom we pray for peace and strength, as she needs step down for health reasons.'

**Missions to Seafarers Rotterdam and Schiedam:** Chaplain: Dennis Woodward.

Friday 17

**Lausanne:** Chaplain: vacant, Reader: Angela Fall. We give thanks and pray for the churchwardens and council during the interregnum.

**Lugano:** Chaplain: vacant. We give thanks for the locum priests who have served so faithfully during the long interregnum, Pray for the vacancy process as the Chaplaincy begins its search for a new Chaplain. We ask for an openness of heart and mind to be able to discern what God is asking of us

Saturday 18

**Vernet-les-Bains:** Chaplain: vacant. Pray for the Churchwardens as they work hard to maintain a programme of local worship, and for wisdom to discern the path forwards for the Chaplaincy.

**Versailles:** (Also serves Gif sur Yvette (Chevry)) Chaplain: Dale Hanson, Reader: Sophie Manson. Pray for the safe and appropriate resumption of "Operation Stephen" - a ministry in partnership with other churches providing breakfast and friendship for homeless people in the area - that has been paused during the pandemic

Sunday 19

Pray for the Russian Orthodox Church, for Malcolm Rogers as The Archbishop of Canterbury's Apokrisiarios to the Patriarch of Moscow and all Russ.

Pray for the Persecuted Church worldwide and the role of Open Doors in providing information about this.

Monday 20

**Moscow:** Chaplain: Malcolm Rogers. Pray for our church in Moscow as it adapts and adjusts to the new situation in which we find ourselves. Pray for peace. Pray for the healing of wounds and that the Christian church might be able to help bring about reconciliation in a very broken environment. We pray for Glen Ruffle as he makes the next steps in his training

**St Petersburg:** Chaplain: Vacant.

Tuesday 21

**Poitou-Charentes:** (Includes Ambernac, Barbezieux St Hilaire, Chasseneuil-sur-Bonnieure, Chef Boutonne, Civray, Jarnac, Magné, La Rochefoucauld, Parthenay, Salles de Villefagnan, St Jean d'Angély, Verteuil, Villejesus) Chaplain: Vacant, Readers: Catherine Chambers, Geoffrey Cornwall, Richard Beech, Martin Sewell, John Matthews, Elisabeth Barnett, Carolyn Carter, Joan Mason. Pray for our new Chaplaincy web site, that it will serve as an important means of information of our Chaplaincy services and other activities and interest groups, that we as a Chaplaincy will have more opportunities for evangelism amongst our communities. We remember the work of our Safeguarding team.

Wednesday 22

**Mallorca:** (includes Palma-de-Mallorca, Puerto Pollensa, Cala d'Or, Palma Nova) Chaplain: Ishanesu Gusha (Palma) and Bill Boyce (Puerto Pollensa), Readers: Linda Cade, Adrian Peter Welsh, David Pattinson and pray for our Mothers' Union Ministry as they have just opened a new branch.

Thursday 23

**Twente:** (Weldam, Goor) Chaplain: Jacqueline Williams, Reader: Simone Yallop. We give thanks for the arrival of our new chaplain Jacqueline Williams. And we pray for a good loving working relationship for all who work to serve the Anglican Church Twente, now and in the near future, after the AGM that will bring new people in.

**Missions to Seafarers Vlissingen:** Chaplain: Pascal Handschin (from the Dutch Reformed Church).

**Voorschoten:** Chaplain: Ruan Crew, Asst Curate: Matt Thijs. Our youth worker Mercedes is now in her fourth year with us and continues to provide amazing ministry to our young people. Pray for her and all our young people in these challenging times

Friday 24

**Montreux:** (Also serves Villars-sur-Ollon) Chaplain: Paul Ormrod. We pray for our congregation, particularly those affected by the pandemic. We give thanks for our church music and the flourishing community in Villars.

**Vevey:** (Also serves Château D'Oex,) Chaplain: Vacant. Diocesan Environment Officer: Elizabeth Bussmann Pray for the Wardens and Church Council and locums as we continue in interregnum and pray for the appointment of a new chaplain

**Environment - Our home belongs to you:** Loving God, Lord of heaven and earth, this earth, our home belongs to you. Give us grace to love it as you do. Give us courage to give ourselves, as you do, for the good of all people and all of your creation. Strengthen us to stand, as you do, with the vulnerable poor. Give us wisdom to know when we have enough, and the voice to say "enough" to all that harms creation and hurts the poorest. This earth, our home, belongs to you.

Saturday 25

**Torrevieja:** (Includes Lago Jardín, La Siesta, Los Balcones, La Manga) Chaplain: Richard Seabrook.

Sunday 26

Pray for the Church of Sweden. Pray for the Ecumenical Patriarchate of Constantinople (Turkey), for Patriarch Bartholomew and the autocephalous Orthodox Churches and their leaders.

Monday 27

**Göteborg:** Chaplain: Alida Tollefsen-van der Lans

**Stockholm:** Chaplain: Nicholas Howe, Reader: Pamela Henderson. Pray for Nicholas in his role as Area Dean.

**Ankara:** Locum Chaplain: Mike Elliott. Please pray for the church of St Nicolas Ankara during the current vacancy. We pray for the British Embassy community, the locum chaplains and for God's blessing on moves to appoint a Chaplain.

Tuesday 28

**Saint Pargoire (Hérault):** Chaplain: Roger Smith, Reader: Julie Johnson.

Please pray for all the team at our chaplaincy of All Saints, Hérault, for continued blessings in our fellowship together and for wisdom in making decisions for the future.

**St Raphaël:** Chaplain: Tom Wilson. Prayers for our continuing ministry of welcoming all who enter our doors. As the COVID pandemic eases, we would like prayers for the safe return of all of our "swallows" who come and worship with us at various times during the year, and our faithful regular congregants and their ministry to our church and our Department.

Wednesday 29

**Tenerife South:** (Includes Playa de Las Americas, Los Gigantes, San Blas) Chaplain: John Poole, Readers: David Horton, Paul Ganney, Christine Elliott, Maryrissa Carter.

**Tenerife North:** (includes Puerto de la Cruz, La Palma) Chaplain: Vacancy, Assistant Rachel Ganney. We pray for our Chaplain, Revd Ron Corne who died in March – may the Lord in his kindness grant him eternal rest. We pray that in the care of God's creation actions will speak louder than words, so that we will all make a difference and be the change that is needed locally and across our island.

Thursday 30

**Amersfoort:** Chaplain: Grant Crowe. Please pray for our online Alpha course comes to an end in July, please pray for the participants and facilitators to know the next steps to take.

Also, for our church community to grow further in welcoming visitors – may all who visit

receive both a warm human welcome and experience God's divine welcome. We pray that we may grow in helping new members to become part of the core of the community – able to use and express their gifts, experience, skills, passions - and for each new member to be able to form meaningful close friendships in All Saints.

**Utrecht:** (Also serves Groningen, Zwolle) Chaplain: Vacant, Assistant Chaplain (Groningen): Sam Van Leer. Please pray for the wonderful stream of lovely locum chaplains helping us while we search for a permanent chaplain, Pray that the Lord will send the right person to our church to continue to lead and guide our growing congregation.

## July

Friday 1

**Zurich:** (Also serves Turgi, Zug, St Gallen) Chaplain: Paul Brice. Assistant Chaplain: Jacqueline Sellin. Pray for the reinvigoration of our work with children, youth and families, after the detrimental impact of Covid. Pray for the increasing ministry of our choir and music director, now able to sing more. Pray for our worshipping community in seeking God's guidance during interregnum.

**Swiss seasonal chaplaincies:** Interlaken, Kandersteg, Mürren, St Moritz, Wengen, Zermatt.

Saturday 2

**Istanbul Christ Church:** Chaplain: Ian Sherwood.

**Izmir:** (Also serves Bornova, Didim, Mission to Seafarers Izmir) Chaplain: James Buxton. We give thanks and pray for our congregation in Izmir and for our two churches - in the districts of Alsanjak and Bornova. We pray for our Chaplain James Buxton. We pray for the congregation of St Mary's Church, Didim.