



Anglican
Diocese *of*
Ottawa

Prayer Calendar

January 1 through March 31, 2024

In this Prayer Calendar, we have tried to reflect the life of the Diocese of Ottawa. Every parish is prayed for over the course of the year, with the name(s) of the clergy serving that parish.

Each Sunday throughout the year we pray for:

The Rt. Rev. Shane Parker, Bishop of Ottawa; the Most Rev. Anne Germond, Archbishop of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario; and the Most Rev. Linda Nicholls, Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada

On the first Sunday of the month we pray for:

The Diocese of Jerusalem and Archbishop Hosam Naoum

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada and Bishop Susan Johnson and Bishop Michael Pryse

On the second Sunday of the month we pray for:

Our Community Ministries:

- Belong Ottawa: Centre 454; St Luke's Table; The Well/La Source
- Centre 105 (Cornwall)
- Cornerstone Housing for Women
- Ottawa Pastoral Counselling Centre
- Refugee Ministry

On the third Sunday of the month we pray for:

The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, Sacred Circle, The Ministry of Reconciliation and our National Indigenous Archbishop, The Most Rev. Christopher Harper

On the fourth Sunday of the month we pray for:

Staff at Ascension House

You might wish to use these additional resources:

The *Anglican Cycle of Prayer* <http://www.anglicancommunion.org/acp/>

The *Anglican-Lutheran Prayer Cycle* <http://www.anglican.ca/faith/eir/>

The *World Council of Churches Ecumenical Prayer Cycle*
http://oikoumene.org/en/resources/prayer_cycle

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January 7, 2024 – The Baptism of the Lord

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate as well as

The Diocese of Jerusalem and Archbishop Hosam Naoum

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada and Bishop Susan Johnson and Bishop Michael Pryse

The Parish of Huntley

The Reverend Dr. Mary-Cate Garden

A Time of Prayer - Wonderous God, we praise you for the gifts of the Holy Spirit which you continue to shower upon us. Help us to be faithful disciples of all that Jesus taught us. Inspire us to look out into our world with Jesus' loving eyes as we seek to discern your divine sparks around us. Guide us so that we understand how you want us to be messengers of your good news in our communities and our diocese. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

January, 14, 2024 – Second Sunday After Epiphany

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

Our Community Ministries:

- Belong Ottawa: Centre 454; St. Luke's Table; The Well/La Source
- Centre 105 (Cornwall)
- Cornerstone Housing for Women
- Ottawa Pastoral Counselling Centre
- Refugee Ministry

Holy Trinity, Metcalfe and all who minister there

A Time of Prayer - Wonderous God, we praise you for the gifts of the Holy Spirit which you continue to shower upon us. Help us to be faithful disciples of all that Jesus taught us. Inspire us to look out into our world with Jesus' loving eyes as we seek to discern your divine sparks around us. Guide us so that we understand how you want us to be messengers of your good news in our communities and our diocese. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

January 21, 2024 – Third Sunday after the Epiphany – Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Begins

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, Sacred Circle, The Ministry of Reconciliation and our National Indigenous Archbishop, The Most Rev. Christopher Harper

St. Paul's, Almonte

The Reverend Jonathon Kouri

A Time of Prayer - Wonderous God, we praise you for the gifts of the Holy Spirit which you continue to shower upon us. Help us to be faithful disciples of all that Jesus taught us. Inspire us to look out into our world with Jesus' loving eyes as we seek to discern your divine sparks around us. Guide us so that we understand how you want us to be messengers of your good news in our communities and our diocese. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

January 28, 2023 – Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany – Week of Prayer for Chrisitan Unity Ends

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

Staff at Ascension House

Christ Church, Bells Corners

The Venerable Monique Stone

A Time of Prayer - Wonderous God, we praise you for the gifts of the Holy Spirit which you continue to shower upon us. Help us to be faithful disciples of all that Jesus taught us. Inspire us to look out into our world with Jesus' loving eyes as we seek to discern your divine sparks around us. Guide us so that we understand how you want us to be messengers of your good news in our communities and our diocese. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

February 4th, 2024 – Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

The Diocese of Jerusalem and Archbishop Hosam Naoum

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada and Bishop Susan Johnson and Bishop Michael Pryse

The Parish of Kanata North

The Reverend Dr. Jon Martin

A Time of Prayer - Living God, as we listen for your divine sparks in our midst, strengthen us for your service by your grace. Help us remember that we are like trees planted by your life-giving water and keep our hearts and minds open to hear your desires for our diocesan church, our parish, and our community. Give us your wisdom so that we might bear fruit worthy of your kingdom. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

February 11, 2024 – Last Sunday after the Epiphany – Transfiguration Sunday

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

Our Community Ministries:

- Belong Ottawa: Centre 454; St. Luke's Table; The Well/La Source
- Centre 105 (Cornwall)
- Cornerstone Housing for Women
- Ottawa Pastoral Counselling Centre
- Refugee Ministry

Church of the Ascension, Ottawa

The Reverend Victoria Scott

A Time of Prayer - Living God, as we listen for your divine sparks in our midst, strengthen us for your service by your grace. Help us remember that we are like trees planted by your life-giving water and keep our hearts and minds open to hear your desires for our diocesan church, our parish, and our community. Give us your wisdom so that we might bear fruit worthy of your kingdom. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

February 18, 2024 – First Sunday in Lent

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, Sacred Circle, The Ministry of Reconciliation and our National Indigenous Archbishop, The Most Rev. Christopher Harper

Trinity Church, Ottawa South

The Venerable Mark Whittall

A Time of Prayer - Living God, as we listen for your divine sparks in our midst, strengthen us for your service by your grace. Help us remember that we are like trees planted by your life-giving water and keep our hearts and minds open to hear your desires for our diocesan church, our parish, and our community. Give us your wisdom so that we might bear fruit worthy of your kingdom. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

February 25, 2024 – Second Sunday in Lent

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

Staff at Ascension House

St. Mark the Evangelist, Ottawa

The Reverend Julian Campbell

A Time of Prayer - Living God, as we listen for your divine sparks in our midst, strengthen us for your service by your grace. Help us remember that we are like trees planted by your life-giving water and keep our hearts and minds open to hear your desires for our diocesan church, our parish, and our community. Give us your wisdom so that we might bear fruit worthy of your kingdom. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

March 3, 2024 - Third Sunday in Lent

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

The Diocese of Jerusalem and Archbishop Hosam Naoum

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada and Bishop Susan Johnson and Bishop Michael Pryse

The Parish of Pakenham and all who minister there
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A Time of Prayer - As we engage in a Time of Prayer across our diocese to listen for your divine sparks in our midst, we remember that you, O God, have been with your church since its beginning. You are with us now, and you will be with us as we prayerfully discern how to support your action in the world you love. Help us keep our hearts and minds open to hear your desires for our diocesan church, our parish, and our communities, and give us your wisdom and grace so that we can faithfully bring them to fruition. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

March 10, 2024 - Fourth Sunday in Lent

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

Our Community Ministries:

- Belong Ottawa: Centre 454; St. Luke's Table; The Well/La Source
- Centre 105 (Cornwall)
- Cornerstone Housing for Women
- Ottawa Pastoral Counselling Centre
- Refugee Ministry

The Area Parish of the St. Lawrence

The Reverend Adam Brown

The Reverend Cynthia MacLachlan

A Time of Prayer - As we engage in a Time of Prayer across our diocese to listen for your divine sparks in our midst, we remember that you, O God, have been with your church since its beginning. You are with us now, and you will be with us as we prayerfully discern how to support your action in the world you love. Help us keep our hearts and minds open to hear your desires for our diocesan church, our parish, and our communities, and give us your wisdom and grace so that we can faithfully bring them to fruition. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

March 17, 2024 - Fifth Sunday in Lent

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, Sacred Circle, The Ministry of Reconciliation and our National Indigenous Archbishop, The Most Rev. Christopher Harper

The Area Parish of South Carleton

St. John the Baptist, Richmond

The Reverend Allan Budzin

Deacon Tamara Connors.

A Time of Prayer - As we engage in a Time of Prayer across our diocese to listen for your divine sparks in our midst, we remember that you, O God, have been with your church since its beginning. You are with us now, and you will be with us as we prayerfully discern how to support your action in the world you love. Help us keep our hearts and minds open to hear your desires for our diocesan church, our parish, and our communities, and give us your wisdom and grace so that we can faithfully bring them to fruition. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

March 24, 2023 – The Sunday of the Passion

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

Staff at Ascension House

St. John the Evangelist, Ottawa

The Reverend Canon Gary van der Meer

A Time of Prayer - As we engage in a Time of Prayer across our diocese to listen for your divine sparks in our midst, we remember that you, O God, have been with your church since its beginning. You are with us now, and you will be with us as we prayerfully discern how to support your action in the world you love. Help us keep our hearts and minds open to hear your desires for our diocesan church, our parish, and our communities, and give us your wisdom and grace so that we can faithfully bring them to fruition. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

March 31, 2024 – Easter Sunday

We pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as

Area Parish of the Valley

The Reverend Matthew Brown

The Reverend Gillian Hoyer

The Reverend Nicholas Forte

The Reverend Canon John Wilker-Blakely

The Reverend Rick Durrett.

The Reverend Claire Brama

A Time of Prayer - As we engage in a Time of Prayer across our diocese to listen for your divine sparks in our midst, we remember that you, O God, have been with your church since its beginning. You are with us now, and you will be with us as we prayerfully discern how to support your action in the world you love. Help us keep our hearts and minds open to hear your desires for our diocesan church, our parish, and our communities, and give us your wisdom and grace so that we can faithfully bring them to fruition. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.