



Anglican
Diocese *of*
Ottawa

Prayer Calendar

October 1, 2024 - December 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 Acting 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, Bishop Susan Johnson and Bishop Carla Blakley.

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, the Rt. Rev. Christopher Harper, National Indigenous Anglican Archbishop, Sacred Circle Events, and the Ministry of Reconciliation.

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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October 6, 2024 - Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

The Diocese of Jerusalem and Archbishop Hosam Naoum

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, Bishop Susan Johnson and Bishop Carla Blakley

For the **Diocesan Archives**, its volunteers, and for our Archivist Dr. Glenn J Lockwood

St. Matthew's, Ottawa
the Reverend Geoff Chapman

A Time of Prayer - *Holy Spirit we celebrate your life in us. Increase our awareness of this power for your service. Open our eyes and ears to the needs of those you put before us and use us as your hands and feet. Give us courage to open conversations with those we meet, regardless of their appearance, belief, and status; give us your words to say. Grant us discernment to understand the yearnings of hearts and wisdom to know how to help those who seek to understand your Gospel. Help us to be light to your world. Keep us open to the adventure of life where we meet you day by day. Remind us of the need to be open to how you are moving in our midst and in the lives of those both in the mainstream and on the margins. Guide us by your Spirit to those you have already prepared to receive the Good News of your Kingdom. Amen.*

October 13, 2024 – Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, 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

St. Barnabas, Ottawa

The Reverend Canon Stewart Murray

Deacon Steven Zytveld

A Time of Prayer - *Holy Spirit we celebrate your life in us. Increase our awareness of this power for your service. Open our eyes and ears to the needs of those you put before us, and use us as your hands and feet. Give us courage to open conversations with those we meet, regardless of their appearance, belief, and status; give us your words to say. Grant us discernment to understand the yearnings of hearts and wisdom to know how to help those who seek to understand your Gospel. Help us to be light to your world. Keep us open to the adventure of life where we meet you day by day. Remind us of the need to be open to how you are moving in our midst and in the lives of those both in the mainstream and on the margins. Guide us by your Spirit to those you have already prepared to receive the Good News of your Kingdom. Amen.*

October 20, 2024 – Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, the Rt. Rev. Christopher Harper, National Indigenous Anglican Archbishop, Sacred Circle Events, and the Ministry of Reconciliation.

For clergy and lay people who minister in hospitals and long-term care facilities throughout our Diocese

For all clergy under the jurisdiction of the Bishop of Ottawa

St. Margaret's, Vanier

The Reverend Colin McFarland

The Reverend Canon Aigah Attagutsiak

A Time of Prayer - *Holy Spirit we celebrate your life in us. Increase our awareness of this power for your service. Open our eyes and ears to the needs of those you put before us, and use us as your hands and feet. Give us courage to open conversations with those we meet, regardless of their appearance, belief, and status; give us your words to say. Grant us discernment to understand the yearnings of hearts and wisdom to know how to help those who seek to understand your Gospel. Help us to be light to your world. Keep us open to the adventure of life where we meet you day by day. Remind us of the need to be open to how you are moving in our midst and in the lives of those both in the mainstream and on the margins. Guide us by your Spirit to those you have already prepared to receive the Good News of your Kingdom. Amen.*

October 27, 2024 – Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

Staff at Ascension House

For all retired clergy of the Diocese of Ottawa

Parish of Mattawa

St. Alban's Mattawa

St. Margaret's, Rutherglen

The Reverend David Shields

A Time of Prayer - Holy Spirit we celebrate your life in us. Increase our awareness of this power for your service. Open our eyes and ears to the needs of those you put before us, and use us as your hands and feet. Give us courage to open conversations with those we meet, regardless of their appearance, belief, and status; give us your words to say. Grant us discernment to understand the yearnings of hearts and wisdom to know how to help those who seek to understand your Gospel. Help us to be light to your world. Keep us open to the adventure of life where we meet you day by day. Remind us of the need to be open to how you are moving in our midst and in the lives of those both in the mainstream and on the margins. Guide us by your Spirit to those you have already prepared to receive the Good News of your Kingdom. Amen.

November 3, 2024 – All Saints Day

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

The Diocese of Jerusalem and Archbishop Hosam Naoum

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada and Bishop Susan Johnson and Bishop Carla Blakley

For our upcoming **Diocesan Synod**

Parish of Maberly-Lanark

St. Alban's Maberly

St. John's Balderson

St. Paul's Lanark

St. Stephen's Bathurst

and all who minister there

A Time of Prayer - *Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone. Grant that, by the operation of the Holy Spirit, we your followers may be joined together in unity and peace, and that we may be a holy temple acceptable to you. We pray that as we, and others, plant seeds and bring water, you will bless our efforts and bring forth a bountiful harvest. May your hand be upon every seed that is sown and every drop of water that is poured. We trust in your faithfulness to bring growth and abundance in all areas of our lives and the lives of our parishes. Thank you for providing the inspiration and means for fulfilling your promises. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

November 10, 2024 – Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, 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 Parish of Lower Ottawa Valley:

Holy Trinity, Hawkesbury

St. John's, Vankleek Hill

St. Michael and All Angels, Maxville

With the Parish of Grenville/Calumet

The Reverend Bob Albert

A Time of Prayer - *Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone. Grant that, by the operation of the Holy Spirit, we your followers may be joined together in unity and peace, and that we may be a holy temple acceptable to you. We pray that as we, and others, plant seeds and bring water, you will bless our efforts and bring forth a bountiful harvest. May your hand be upon every seed that is sown and every drop of water that is poured. We trust in your faithfulness to bring growth and abundance in all areas of our lives and the lives of our parishes. Thank you for providing the inspiration and means for fulfilling your promises. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

November 17, 2024 – Twenty-sixth Sunday after Pentecost

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, the Rt. Rev. Christopher Harper, National Indigenous Anglican Archbishop, Sacred Circle Events, and the Ministry of Reconciliation.

Church of the Epiphany, Gloucester

The Reverend Simone Hurkmans

A Time of Prayer - *Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone. Grant that, by the operation of the Holy Spirit, we your followers may be joined together in unity and peace, and that we may be a holy temple acceptable to you. We pray that as we, and others, plant seeds and bring water, you will bless our efforts and bring forth a bountiful harvest. May your hand be upon every seed that is sown and every drop of water that is poured. We trust in your faithfulness to bring growth and abundance in all areas of our lives and the lives of our parishes. Thank you for providing the inspiration and means for fulfilling your promises. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

November 24, 2024 – Last Sunday After Pentecost: The Reign of Christ

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

Staff at Ascension House

For the residents, staff, and Chaplains of the **Ottawa-Carleton Detention Centre**

All Saints', Westboro

The Venerable Kathryn Otley

The Reverend Chung Yan Lam

A Time of Prayer - *Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone. Grant that, by the operation of the Holy Spirit, we your followers may be joined together in unity and peace, and that we may be a holy temple acceptable to you. We pray that as we, and others, plant seeds and bring water, you will bless our efforts and bring forth a bountiful harvest. May your hand be upon every seed that is sown and every drop of water that is poured. We trust in your faithfulness to bring growth and abundance in all areas of our lives and the lives of our parishes. Thank you for providing the inspiration and means for fulfilling your promises. In Jesus' name, Amen.*

[Note to intercessor: The year-long Synod initiative "A Time of Prayer" has been successfully completed as of November 24. Thank you for your participation.]

December 1, 2024 – First Sunday of Advent

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

The Diocese of Jerusalem and Archbishop Hosam Naoum

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, Bishop Susan Johnson and Bishop Carla Blakley

Parish of South Dundas

The Reverend Mark Lewis.

[Note to intercessor: The year-long Synod initiative “A Time of Prayer” has been successfully completed as of November 24. Thank you for your participation.]

December 8, 2024 - Second Sunday of Advent

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, 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

St. John’s Smiths Falls

The Reverend Dr. Thomas Brauer

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December 15, 2024 – Third Sunday of Advent

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, the Rt. Rev. Christopher Harper, National Indigenous Anglican Archbishop, Sacred Circle Events, and the Ministry of Reconciliation.

St. Paul's, Hazeldean-Kanata

The Reverend Canon Stephen Silverthorne

[Note to intercessor: The year-long Synod initiative "A Time of Prayer" has been successfully completed as of November 24. Thank you for your participation.]

December 22, 2024 - Fourth Sunday of Advent

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

Staff at Ascension House

Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa

The Very Reverend Beth Bretzlaff

The Reverend Canon Douglas Richards.

Deacon Jarrett Carty

[Note to intercessor: The year-long Synod initiative "A Time of Prayer" has been successfully completed as of November 24. Thank you for your participation.]

December 29, 2024 – First Sunday after Christmas

We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, and the Acting Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, as well as

St. James, Otter Lake

And all who minister there

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