

Prayer Calendar

October 5th through December 28th, 2025

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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:

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

One or more of our Diocesan Partners: Alongside Hope, Anglican Foundation, Communion Forest, Compass Rose, Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem, Kairos Ottawa, International Women's Network in Canada (IAWN), Multifaith Housing Initiative (MHI), Saint Paul University

On the first Sunday of the month, we pray for:

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, Bishop Larry Kochendorfer 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 Most 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, including the Diocesan Archivist.

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 5, 2025 - Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Our Diocesan Partners: Alongside Hope and the Anglican Foundation

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, Bishop Larry Kochendorfer and Bishop Carla Blakley

and for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as we prepare to elect a new bishop: for those discerning a call to let their name stand for election; for the candidates; for Members of Synod; and for our diocesan Administrator, Bishop Michael Bird

St. Matthew's, Ottawa

The Reverend Geoff Chapman

October 12, 2025 - Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Our Diocesan Partners: Communion Forest and Compass Rose

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

and for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as we prepare to elect a new bishop: for those discerning a call to let their name stand for election; for the candidates; for Members of Synod; and for our diocesan Administrator, Bishop Michael Bird

St. Barnabas, Ottawa

The Reverend Canon George Kwari

October 19, 2025 - Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, 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

Our Diocesan Partner: Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem and Archbishop Hosam Naoum

and for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as we prepare to elect a new bishop: for those discerning a call to let their name stand for election; for the candidates; for Members of Synod; and for our diocesan Administrator, Bishop Michael Bird

St. Margaret's, Vanier

The Reverend Colin McFarland
The Reverend Canon Aigah Attagutsiak

October 26, 2025 - Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Staff at Ascension House, including the Diocesan Archivist

Our Diocesan Partners: Kairos Ottawa and Saint Paul University

For all retired clergy of the Diocese of Ottawa

and for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as we prepare to elect a new bishop: for those discerning a call to let their name stand for election; for the candidates; for Members of Synod; and for our diocesan Administrator, Bishop Michael Bird

Parish of Mattawa

St. Alban's, Mattawa
St. Margaret's, Rutherglen
The Reverend David Shields

November 2, 2025 - All Saints Day

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Our Diocesan Partner: International Women's Network in Canada (IAWN)

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, Bishop Larry Kochendorfer and Bishop Carla Blakley

and for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as we prepare to elect a new bishop: for those discerning a call to let their name stand for election; for the candidates; for Members of Synod; and for our diocesan Administrator, Bishop Michael Bird

Parish of Maberly-Lanark

St. Alban's, Maberly
St. Paul's, Lanark
St. Stephen's, Bathurst
The Reverend Allan Gault

November 9, 2025 - Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Our Diocesan Partner: Multifaith Housing Initiative (MHI)

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

and for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as we prepare to elect a new bishop: for those discerning a call to let their name stand for election; for the candidates; for Members of Synod; and for our diocesan Administrator, Bishop Michael Bird

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 Felix Longdon

November 16, 2025 - Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Our Diocesan Partners: Alongside Hope and the Anglican Foundation

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

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Church of the Epiphany, Gloucester

The Reverend Simone Hurkmans

November 23, 2025 - Last Sunday After Pentecost: The Reign of Christ

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Staff at Ascension House, including the Diocesan Archivist

Our Diocesan Partners: Communion Forest and Compass Rose

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All Saints', Westboro

The Venerable Kathryn Otley
The Reverend Chung Yan Lam

November 30, 2025 - First Sunday of Advent

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Our Diocesan Partner: Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem and Archbishop Hosam Naoum

Our Community Ministries:

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December 7, 2025 - Second Sunday of Advent

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Our Diocesan Partner: Kairos Ottawa and Saint Paul University

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, Bishop Larry Kochendorfer and Bishop Carla Blakley

and for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as we prepare to elect a new bishop: for those discerning a call to let their name stand for election; for the candidates; for Members of Synod; and for our diocesan Administrator, Bishop Michael Bird

Parish of South Dundas

The Reverend Mark Lewis

December 14, 2025 - Third Sunday of Advent

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Our Diocesan Partner: International Women's Network in Canada (IAWN)

Our Community Ministries:

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- Centre 105 (Cornwall)
- Cornerstone Housing for Women
- Ottawa Pastoral Counselling Centre
- Refugee Ministry

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St. John's, Smiths Falls

The Reverend Dr. Thomas Brauer

December 21, 2025 - Fourth Sunday of Advent

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Our Diocesan Partner: Multifaith Housing Initiative (MHI)

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

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St. James, Otter Lake

And all who minister there

St. Paul's, Hazeldean-Kanata

The Reverend Canon Stephen Silverthorne

<u>December 28, 2025 – First Sunday after Christmas</u>

Archbishop Shane Parker, Primate of Canada; Archbishop Anne Germond, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, as well as

Staff at Ascension House, including the Diocesan Archivist

Our Diocesan Partners: Alongside Hope and the Anglican Foundation

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Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa

The Very Reverend Beth Bretzlaff
The Reverend Canon Douglas Richards
Deacon Jarrett Carty