

DIOCESE OF CAPE TOWN

PRAYERS FOR PARISHES



ARCHDEACONRIES OF RONDEBOSCH AND GROOTE SCHUUR WITH THE DIOCESAN OFFICE

NOVEMBER 2023

SUNDAYS AFTER PENTECOST

For each day there are up to three items for prayer:

- ① For the Anglican Communion – the dioceses are listed alphabetically, as given in the Anglican Communion Cycle of Prayer.
- ② Alternately by months, for the dioceses in the Anglican Church of Southern Africa (listed by the date they were established), and our link, the Diocese of York. This month we pray for the dioceses in the Anglican Church of Southern Africa.
- ③ For the Diocese of Cape Town by Archdeaconry.
- ④ Special days of prayer / Patronal festivals / Celebrations

WEDNESDAY 1st NOVEMBER

ALL SAINTS DAY

COLLECT FOR THE DAY:

*God of holiness,
your glory is proclaimed in every age:
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints,
inspire us to follow their example
with boldness and joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen*

- ① The Diocese of Argentina - The Anglican Church of South America
- ② The Diocese of Cape Town – The Most Revd Dr Thabo Makgoba, Archbishop of Cape Town and Metropolitan of the Anglican Church of Southern Africa; The Rt Revd Joshua Louw, Bishop of Table Bay and Suffragan Bishop of Cape Town.
- ③ **Rondebosch Archdeaconry** – The Venerable Reeva Mulder, Archdeacon of Rondebosch. Pray for the Archdeacon; pray for all parishes falling within the Archdeaconry and for their clergy, parish leadership, people and their families.
- ④ Pray for the Parishes who hold their Feast of Title today: All Saints Roodebloem, Lansdowne and Plumstead.

THURSDAY 2nd NOVEMBER

COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

COLLECT FOR THE DAY:

*Eternal Lord God,
creator and sustainer of all life:
we entrust to you the souls
of your servants who have died
and we rejoice with them in the sure hope
of resurrection to the fulness of eternal life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

- ① The Diocese of Northern Argentina - The Anglican Church of South America
- ② The Diocese of Grahamstown – Revd Bubele Mfenyana, Vicar General.
- ③ **Christ the King, Claremont** – The Revd Dr Isaias Chachine, Priest-in-charge. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.
- ④ Pray for the souls of the faithful departed

FRIDAY 3rd NOVEMBER

Martyrs of Mbokotwana, 1880

COLLECT FOR THE DAY:

*Father of Jesus
your servants the Martyrs of Mbokotwana
gave up their lives
rather than betray their faith in your Son:
give us grace to follow their example
by renouncing self, taking up our cross and
following you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

- ① The Diocese of Argyll and The Isles - The Scottish Episcopal Church
- ② The Diocese of Natal – The Rt Revd Dr Nkosinathi Ndwandwe, Bishop of Natal.
- ③ **St Matthew, Claremont** – The Ven Moeketsi Mototjane, Rector. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

SATURDAY 4th NOVEMBER

Martin de Porres, Religious, 1639 (APB p322 CC6)

- ① The Diocese of Arizona - The Episcopal Church
- ② The Diocese of St Helena – The Rt Revd Dale Bowers, Bishop of St Helena.
- ③ **St Saviour, Claremont** – The Revd Chesnay Frantz, Rector. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

5th NOVEMBER – 23rd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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| <p style="text-align: center;">ACSA COLLECT FOR THE WEEK: <i>Righteous and holy God, your Spirit speaks through your prophets: raise up new voices in our time to speak with justice and power, and to challenge our arrogance that seeks status above service; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">CHURCH OF ENGLAND COLLECT FOR THE WEEK: <i>God of glory, touch our lips with the fire of your Spirit, that we with all creation may rejoice to sing your praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen</i></p> |
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- ① La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico (The Anglican Church of Mexico)
- ② The Diocese of Free State – The Rt Revd Dintoe Letloenyane, Bishop of Free State.
- ③ **Good Shepherd Protea, Kirstenbosch** – The Revd Jo Tyers (Non-stipendiary), Priest-in-Charge; The Revd Abigail Hopley, Assistant Priest. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

MONDAY 6th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Arkansas - The Episcopal Church
- ② The Diocese of Zululand – The Rt Revd Dr Vikinduku Victor Mnculwane, Bishop of Zululand.
- ③ **St Peter, Mowbray** – The Revd Joshua Abrahams, Rector. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

TUESDAY 7th NOVEMBER

Willibrord, Bishop and Missionary in Holland, 739 (APB p321 CC4)

- ① The Diocese of Armagh - The Church of Ireland
- ② The Diocese of Mthatha – The Rt Revd Jemuel Thembinkosi Ngobane, Bishop of Mthatha.
- ③ **St Andrew, Newlands** – The Ven Mkhusele Lujabe, Rector. We give thanks that our interregnum is ended and that we can look forward to the future with new vision being led by Ven Mkhusele Lujabe. Please pray for growth in our Youth Ministry and our Children’s Church. We pray that the celebration of Advent will be a blessed one for our Parish.

WEDNESDAY 8th NOVEMBER

Martyrs and Confessors of our Time (APB p314)

- ① The Diocese of Armidale - The Anglican Church of Australia
- ② The Diocese of Pretoria – The Rt Revd Allan Kannemeyer, Bishop of Pretoria.
- ③ **St Paul, Rondebosch** – The Ven Reeva Mulder, Rector; The Revd Darron Mispion (Non-Stipendiary), The

Revd Veliswa Baduza (Non-Stipendiary) Assistant Priests. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

THURSDAY 9th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Arochukwu / Ohafia - The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
- ② The Diocese of Kimberley and Kuruman – The Rt Revd Brian Marajh, Bishop of Kimberley and Kuruman.
- ③ **St Thomas, Rondebosch** – The Revd Canon Claire Nye Hunter, Rector, The Revd Johan Ferndale (Non-Stipendiary), Assistant Priest; The Revd Charlotte Brown (Non-Stipendiary), Deacon. Give thanks for our month of Stewardship and Dedication, and a wonderful weekend of Thanksgiving celebrations. Pray for those completing our Alpha Course, and those recently Confirmed - that they may continue to grow in their Christian faith. Pray for the continued growth of our Archdeaconry Youth under the leadership of John-Paul Roberts and others.

FRIDAY 10th NOVEMBER

Leo the Great, Bishop of Rome and Teacher of the Faith, 461 (APB p320 CC3)

- ① The Diocese of Aru - Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo
- ② The Diocese of George – The Rt Revd Edwin Pockpass, Bishop of George.
- ③ **Groote Schuur Archdeaconry** – The Venerable Donovan Meyer, Archdeacon. Pray for the Archdeacon; pray for all parishes falling within the Archdeaconry and for their clergy, parish leadership, people and their families.

SATURDAY 11th NOVEMBER

Martin, Bishop of Tours, 397 (APB p321 CC5)

- ① The Diocese of Asaba - The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
- ② The Diocese of Johannesburg – The Rt Revd Stephen Moreo, Bishop of Johannesburg.
- ③ **St Mark, Cape Town (District Six)** – The Revd Grant Walters, Rector; Revd Zukile Dondolo, Deacon. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.
- ④ Pray for St. Martin's Bergvleit as they celebrate their Patronal Festival.

12th NOVEMBER – 24th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Remembrance Sunday, Those Who Died In War

ACSA COLLECT FOR THE WEEK:

*Immanent God,
you call us to be vigilant:
may we live each day with a clear intention to be
children of the light
so that when you call us forth to greet Christ
we may follow him to eternal light;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen*

COLLECT FOR REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

*God, our refuge and strength,
bring near the day when wars shall cease
and poverty and pain shall end,
that earth may know the peace of heaven
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

- ① Igreja Anglicana de Mocambique e Angola (The Anglican Church of Mozambique and Angola)
- ② The Diocese of Namibia – The Rt Revd Patrick Djuulume, Bishop of Namibia.
- ③ **St Philip the Deacon, Cape Town** – The Revd Austen Jackson, Resident Priest. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families. We give thanks for Revd Austen's ministry as he prepares to retire at the end of this month
- ④ Pray for those who have died at war or a result of war throughout the ages

MONDAY 13th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Asante-Mampong - The Church of the Province of West Africa
- ② The Diocese of Lesotho – The Rt Revd Dr Vicentia Kgabe, Bishop of Lesotho.
- ③ **St Michael and All Angels, Observatory** – The Revd Timothy Lowes, Rector. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

TUESDAY 14th NOVEMBER

Samuel Seabury, Bishop in America, 1784 (APB p321 CC4)

- ① The Diocese of Saint Asaph - The Church in Wales
- ② The Diocese of Eswatini – The Rt Revd Dr Dalcy Dlamini, Bishop of Eswatini.
- ③ **St Luke, Salt River** – The Revd Clifford Jones (Retired), Interim Priest-in-charge. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

WEDNESDAY 15th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Athabasca - The Anglican Church of Canada
- ② The Diocese of Port Elizabeth – The Rt Revd Dr Edward Ronald Daniels, Bishop of Port Elizabeth.
- ③ **All Saints, Roodebloem** – The Revd Daniel Papier (Non-Stipendiary), Priest-in-charge. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

THURSDAY 16th NOVEMBER

Margeret, Queen of Scotlands, 1093 (APB p323 CC8)

- ① The Diocese of Atlanta - The Episcopal Church
- ② The Diocese of St Mark the Evangelist – The Rt Revd Luke Pretorius, Bishop of St Mark the Evangelist.
- ③ **St Bartholomew, Woodstock** – The Revd Canon Prof John Klaasen (Non-Stipendiary), Priest-in-Charge. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

FRIDAY 17th NOVEMBER

Hilda of Whitby

- ① The Diocese of Attooch - Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
- ② The Diocese of The Highveld – The Rt Revd Charles May, Bishop of the Highveld.
- ③ **St Mary, Woodstock** – The Ven Donovan Meyer, Rector; The Revd Melvin Booysen - Assistant priest. Pray for the clergy, leadership, parishioners and their families.

SATURDAY 18th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Auckland - The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia
- ② The Diocese of Christ the King – The Rt Revd Mkhusele Sobantwana, Bishop of Christ the King.
- ③ **Diocesan Office**. Pray for all department staff and their families: Provincial Lay Canon Charleen Van Rooyen, *Diocesan Administrator*; Colin Hawkes, *Finance Manager*; Edna Joseph, *Accounts Administrator*; Brigitte Moses, *Executive secretary and PA to the Bishop*; Rebecca Malambo, *Communications Manager*; Jesse Pastor, *YPM coordinator*; Ilda Manuel Chachine, *Admin Assistant*; Gavin Dennis, *Property Manager*; Nicolene Manuel, *Receptionist*; Florence Majiki, Monica Manqunyana, Devon Abrahams, *Estate Staff*. Give thanks for the dedicated work they do in running the affairs of the Diocese and on behalf of all the people and parishes within the Diocese. Pray also for the Diocesan Health Care Fund: Netashia Petersen, *Principal officer*; and Lee-Jane Beukes, *Administrative officer*, and their families, as they continue administering our Diocesan Health Care fund on behalf of the Diocese of Cape Town, Saldanha Bay and False Bay.

19th NOVEMBER – 25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Mission Sunday

ACSA COLLECT FOR THE WEEK:

*Generous God,
you endow us with gifts for the good of creation:
make us trustworthy in all things,
that we may share with Christ
the work of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen*

COLLECT FOR MISSION SUNDAY

*Almighty Father,
you have made of one blood all the peoples of the
earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace
to those who were far off and
to those who were near:
grant that people everywhere may seek after you
and find you; and bring the nations into your fold;
pour out your Spirit upon all flesh and hasten the
day of the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus
Christ our Lord. Amen*

- ① The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma)
- ② The Diocese of Matlosane – The Rt Revd Stephen Diseko, Dean of the Province and Bishop of Matlosane.
- ③ **The Bishop of Table Bay** - The Right Reverend Joshua Louw, Bishop of Table Bay. Pray for the Bishop, his wife, Joan and family. Pray too for his staff as they assist him in exercising oversight in the diocese in his capacity as Bishop of Table Bay.

MONDAY 20th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of North West Australia - The Anglican Church of Australia
- ② The Diocese of Mzimvubu – The Rt Revd Tsietsi Seleokane, Bishop of Mzimvubu.
- ③ **Diocesan Chancellor** - Adv. Jeremy Gauntlett, K.C.

TUESDAY 21st NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Aweil - Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
- ② The Diocese of Mpumalanga – The Rt Revd Daniel Kgomoso, Bishop of Mpumalanga.
- ③ **Diocesan Registrar** - Mr Francis Newham. Pray for him, his family and his assistants.

WEDNESDAY 22nd NOVEMBER

Cecilia, Martyr at Rome, c230 (APB p319 CC2)

- ① The Diocese of Aweil - Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
- ② The Diocese of False Bay – The Very Revd Dr Ronald E. Philips, Vicar-General of False Bay.
- ③ **Diocesan Administrator** – Provincial Lay Canon Charleen van Rooyen.

THURSDAY 23rd NOVEMBER

Clement, Bishop of Rome and Martyr, c100 (APB p319 CC1)

- ① The Diocese of Aweril - Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
- ② The Diocese of Saldanha Bay – The Rt Revd Raphael Hess, Bishop of Saldanha Bay.
- ③ **Diocesan Finance Manager** – Colin Hawkes.

FRIDAY 24th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Awgu / Aninri - The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
- ② The Diocese of Kahlamba – The Very Revd Siya Sibeko, Vicar General.
- ③ **Dean of Studies** – The Revd Canon Prof John Klaasen.

SATURDAY 25th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Awka - The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
- ② The Diocese of Mbhashe – The Rt Revd Mluleki Fikizolo, Bishop of Mbhashe.
- ③ **Growing the Church** – The Revd Bruce Woolley, Director. Pray for GtC and their families and all who assist them in the execution of their office.
- ④ Pray for the Diocesan Standing Committee meeting today.

26th NOVEMBER – CHRIST THE KING | 26th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ACSA COLLECT FOR THE WEEK:

*Most High God, majestic and mighty,
our beginning and our end:
rule in our hearts and guide us to be faithful,
worshipping the One
who comes as Saviour and Sovereign;
and who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen*

CHURCH OF ENGLAND COLLECT FOR THE WEEK

*God the Father,
help us to hear the call of Christ the King
and to follow in his service,
whose kingdom has no end;
for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, one glory. Amen*

- ① The Diocese of Awori - The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
- ③ **Bishopscourt staff:** Ms Wendy Kelderman, *Receptionist*; The Revd Mcebisi Pinyana, *Chaplain*; The Revd Abigail Hopley, *PA to the Archbishop*; The Revd Grant Walters, *Interim Provincial Executive Officer*; Matlotlisang Mototjane, *PEO Administrator*; John Allen, *Media Officer*. Pray for them all as they carry responsibility for the smooth running of affairs in this Diocese and Province.
- ④ Pray for Christ the King Claremont who celebrate their Feast of Title, together with Christ Church Constantia and St. Saviour's Claremont.

MONDAY 27th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Ayod - Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
- ③ **Pray for all Sunday Schools and Junior Churches, teachers and pupils and their families:**
Father of the beloved Son, you have committed to your holy Church the care and nurture of children: enlighten with your wisdom those who teach and those who learn that, rejoicing in the knowledge of your truth, they may worship and serve you throughout their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

TUESDAY 28th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Badagry - The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
- ③ Pray for the Bishops, Archdeacons, Chapter and all who are tasked with selecting dedicated, Spirit-filled clergy and lay persons to fill vacancies in the various parishes and offices of our Diocese.

WEDNESDAY 29th NOVEMBER

- ① The Diocese of Bahamas and The Turks and Caicos Islands - The Church in the Province of the West Indies
- ③ **Pray for all parishes currently without a Rector.** Pray for all visiting clergy currently ministering to the spiritual and pastoral needs of the congregation during their interregnum. Pray for the parish leadership and people as they assist the Archdeacon, as Rector, during parish interregnum.

THURSDAY 30th NOVEMBER
ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE

COLLECT FOR THE DAY:

*Lord God
by your grace the Apostle Saint Andrew
obeyed the call of your Son Jesus Christ
and followed him with no delay:
grant that we may offer ourselves to you in joyful
obedience;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

- ① The Diocese of Ballarat - The Anglican Church of Australia
- ③ **Pray for all retired clergy.** Give thanks for their many years of faithful service. Pray for them and their families as they prepare for change in their life and settle into a blessed and peaceful retirement.
- ④ Pray for the Parishes of St. Andrew Newlands and Steenberg as they celebrate their Patronal Festival.

The prayers for December will be for Archdeaconries of Ibongolethu, Constantia, Cathedral
together with the Diocesan Child and Youth Care Centres
Please submit entries to ctprayers@ctdiocese.org.za