

## Prayer Diary for June 2021.

Tues.1st We pray for Schools as Teachers and children return for the Summer Term.

Wed. 2<sup>nd</sup> We pray for countries around the world where strife and conflict persist.

Thurs. 3<sup>rd</sup> We pray for all Hospital Staff who continue to care for patients with severe Covid infection.

Fri.4th We pray for all who are part of our Church community at St. Mary-le-Tower. For our future planning. For our developing use of live streaming services and concerts.

Sat.5th We pray for the homeless in our town and those who provide food and shelter.

Sun.6th We pray for Christians around the World, that we can unite in our mission to tell of God's love for all people

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> We pray for victims of abuse and domestic violence: may they find ways to seek help.

Tues 8<sup>th</sup> We pray for victims of addiction. Strengthen them that their bonds of addiction can be broken. Show us ways in which we can help, and prevent others from becoming addicts

Wed 9<sup>th</sup> We pray for Farmers and farm workers as they harvest fruit and vegetable crops: and those who bring them to shops and markets.

Thurs.10<sup>th</sup> We pray for the unemployed that they can find fulfilment in positive ways.

Fri. 11<sup>th</sup> On the feast of Barnabus the Apostle, we give thanks for those who spread the word as missionaries.

Sat 12<sup>th</sup> We pray for businesses in our Town Centre as they return to trading. That good use can be found for empty properties.

Sun 13<sup>th</sup> We pray for Clergy and congregations in our link diocese of Kagera (Tanzania)

Mon 14<sup>th</sup> We pray for those of other Faiths in Ipswich, that we can maintain good relationships and learn from one another.

Tues. 15<sup>th</sup> We give thanks for those who provide Emergency Services: as they are always there when we need them.

Wed. 16<sup>th</sup> We pray for the scientists around the world who work to prevent damaging climate change.

Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> God our Father, we thank you for your compassion and care for all people. Implant in our hearts your love of justice, truth and mercy.

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> We pray for our Local Government Officers, Councillors and service providers. For all who exercise authority in Suffolk.

Sat 19<sup>th</sup> We pray for the future of Commerce and Industry where progress is difficult.

Sun 20<sup>th</sup> We pray for all who live under threat of persecution for their faith.

Mon 21<sup>st</sup> We pray for peace and justice throughout the world.

Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> We pray for Refugees who seek asylum in a safe land.

Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> We pray for all who are bereaved: that they can be well supported.

Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> We celebrate the birth of John the Baptist, sent to prepare for the coming of Jesus Christ.

Fri 25<sup>th</sup> We pray for all who work in the Leisure Industry during the summer season

Sat 26<sup>th</sup> We pray for all who for whatever reason feel lonely and isolated may they find comfort

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> We pray for the Clergy and Leaders in our Town Centre Churches. And for Hospital Chaplains.

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> We pray for all who mourn the loss of those they have loved but see no longer, that they may be comforted.

Tues 29<sup>th</sup> We celebrate the Apostles St. Peter and St. Paul: grant that your Church be inspired by their teaching and example

Wed 30<sup>th</sup> Yours Lord is the kingdom: yours the kingly rule of grace and truth which changes lives and makes all things new.