Coventry Cathedral Prayer Cycles

Please join us as we pray for our Cathedral, the life of the wider Diocese of Coventry, our partners in the Community of the Cross of Nails and our brothers and sisters across the world in the Anglican Communion.

Sunday 12 April 2020

The Cathedral

Our ministry among young people; the work at Bardsley House; ‘Urban Hope’ and ‘Coffee Tots’

The Diocese of Coventry

April is Stress Awareness Month, when health care professionals and experts seek to increase public awareness about both the causes and cures for the problem of stress. We pray for all those affected by stress at this time and for those who seek to support them.

The Community of the Cross of Nails

Sierra Leone: FREETOWN, St George’s Cathedral; Slovakia: MODRA, Lutheran Church in Modra; South Africa: AMANZIMTOTI, KwaMakhutha URCSA / South Coast Dutch Reformed Church.

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer

Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem and the People of the Land of the Holy One

Monday 13 April 2020

The Cathedral

The Cathedral's ministry of outreach; 'Pilgrim', 'Waiting on God' and other opportunities for evangelism

The Diocese of Coventry

We pray for all those working from home as they find new patterns, routines and ways of connecting with colleagues. We pray for families juggling the demands of working, looking after children and caring for elderly relatives.

The Community of the Cross of Nails

South Africa: BELLVILLE, Dunatos Private School; South Africa: CAPE TOWN, Face to Faith; South Africa: CAPE TOWN, G.O.A.L Trust.

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer

Mishamikweesh (Canada) The Rt Revd Lydia Mamakwa; Western Louisiana (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd Jacob W Owensby; Ife (Nigeria) The Rt Revd Olubunmi A Akinlade; Ife East (Nigeria) The Rt Revd Oluseyi Oyelade
**Tuesday 14 April 2020**

**The Cathedral**

The Sunday 10.30 am congregation; our work with children; all who preach here

**The Diocese of Coventry**

April is Bowel Cancer Awareness month. We pray for all those affected by bowel cancer, the medical professionals who care for them, and for all those who are carrying out research, looking for better treatments. We pray for the keeping of Holy Week in our diocese; that rhythms of prayer and devotion may seep into the daily lives of church members.

**The Community of the Cross of Nails**

South Africa: CAPE TOWN, H.O.P.E. Africa; South Africa: CAPE TOWN, Somerset College; South Africa: CAPE TOWN, St Cyprian's School.

**The Anglican Cycle of Prayer**

Mississippi (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd Brian Seage; Western Massachusetts (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd Douglas Fisher; Ifo (Nigeria) The Rt Revd Nathaniel Oladejo Ogundipe

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**Wednesday 15 April 2020**

**The Cathedral**

Our connections with other churches in the city: including Holy Trinity; Methodist Central Hall, CLM

**The Diocese of Coventry**

Earlsdon. Clergy: Tulo Raistrick. We thank God for the growing number of community initiatives we are able to support including Good Neighbours, Christians Against Poverty and the Coventry Winter Night Shelter. Please pray for our children’s and youth work, that children and young people may continue to grow in faith and love for God and one another.

**The Community of the Cross of Nails**

South Africa: CAPE TOWN, St George's Cathedral; South Africa: CAPE TOWN, St Saviour's, Claremont (with Church of the Good Shepherd, Protea); South Africa: FAURE, St Paul's Primary School.

**The Anglican Cycle of Prayer**

Missouri (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd Wayne Smith; Western Mexico (Mexico) The Revd Ricardo Joel Gómez Osnaya
Thursday 16 April 2020

The Cathedral
The Head of Education and Schools team; the thousands of children who visit week by week

The Diocese of Coventry
We pray for prison chaplains in our diocese; Sarah Gillard-Faulkner, Rosemary Lowdon, David Spademan, Peter Ireson and Kate Hitchcox. We pray that God gives them strength and wisdom in their work.

The Community of the Cross of Nails
South Africa: GEORGE, St Mark’s Cathedral; South Africa: GRAHAMSTOWN, Cathedral of St Michael and St George; South Africa: GRAHAMSTOWN, College of Transfiguration, NPC.

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer
Mityana (Uganda) vacant; Western Michigan (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd Whayne Hougland; Western New York (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd William Franklin

Friday 17 April 2020

The Cathedral
The Business Manager and all who work in administration. The planning and activity associated with Making Space for Hope.

The Diocese of Coventry
Cheylesmore. Clergy: Arthur Woo. Readers: John Scattergood and Tony Price. We are encouraged by good response to our stewardship campaign and our first ‘home grown’ missionary stepping forward in faith. Please pray for our Pais youth interns, the development of a young adult community, and our reordering project.

The Community of the Cross of Nails
South Africa: GRAHAMSTOWN, Grahamstown Amasango Career School; South Africa: JOHANNESBURG, Diocese of Christ the King; South Africa: KHAYELITSHA, St Michael’s Primary School.

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer
Mombasa (Kenya) The Rt Revd Alphonse Mwaro Baya; Western Newfoundland (Canada) The Rt Revd John Organ; Western North Carolina (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd José Antonio McLoughlin
Saturday 18 April 2020

The Cathedral

The Diocese and wider church; the Bishops and their staff; all those recently ordained or preparing for ordination

The Diocese of Coventry

Eastern Green. Clergy: Greg Smith, Phil Richardson. Readers: Sue Masters, Lesley Lee. We thank God for the relocation of St Andy’s in St Oswald’s building and pray for the St Andy’s leadership and congregation in their new home. We give thanks for the Tastelife course that seeks to meet the needs of those suffering with eating disorders and pray for those attending

The Community of the Cross of Nails

South Africa: KLEIN DRAKENSTEIN, Church of the Ascension; South Africa: PIETERMARITZBURG, Cathedral of the Holy Nativity; South Africa: VOLMOED, Volmoed Christian Conference & Retreat Centre.

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer

Monmouth (Wales) The Rt Revd Cherry Vann; Western Tanganyika (Tanzania) The Rt Revd Sadock Makaya; Igbomina (Nigeria) The Rt Revd Emmanuel Adekola