

## **JANUARY PRAYER DIARY**

*This prayer diary is offered as an aid in your intercessory prayer. Each day includes the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, a Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, as well as the special intention of our own parish.*

*Remember to pray daily for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Michael our Presiding Bishop, David our Bishop, and for the well-being of our whole diocese, Church, and Communion. Pray for all those whose lives have been affected by COVID-19.*

**Fr 1<sup>st</sup>** THE HOLY NAME OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST  
Diocese of Aba (The Church of Nigeria); St. Clare's Avery;  
God's blessing on the new year

**Sat 2<sup>nd</sup>** Gregory of Nazianzus, Bishop and Theologian, 389  
Diocese of Aba Ngwa North (The Church of Nigeria); St. Paul's Bakersfield; the light of truth to shine in the darkness of falsehood

**Su 3<sup>rd</sup>** SECOND SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS  
The Episcopal/Anglican Province of Alexandria; our Parochial Annual Meeting

**Mo 4<sup>th</sup>** Elizabeth Ann Seton, Monastic and Educator, 1821  
Diocese of Abakaliki (The Church of Nigeria); St. James' Cathedral, Fresno; all religious whose ministry is social service

**Tu 5<sup>th</sup>** Twelfth Day of Christmas  
Diocese of Aberdeen and Orkney (The Scottish Episcopal Church); Church of the Saviour, Hanford; the children of the parish

**We 6<sup>th</sup>** THE EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST  
Diocese of Abuja (The Church of Nigeria); St. Sherrian's, Kernville; all who seek Christ

**Th 7<sup>th</sup>** Thursday in the Octave of the Epiphany  
Diocese of Abye (The Church of Nigeria); St John the Baptist, Lodi; peace among peoples and nations

- Fr 8<sup>th</sup>** Harriet Bedell, Deaconess and Missionary, 1969  
Diocese of Accra (The Church of the Province of West Africa);  
Holy Trinity, Madera; growth in charity
- Sa 9<sup>th</sup>** Julia Chester Emery, Lay Reader and Missionary, 1922  
Diocese of Adelaide (The Anglican Church of Australia);  
Church of the Resurrection, Merced; the work of the United  
Thank Offering
- Su 10<sup>th</sup>** FIRST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPAHNY: BAPTISM OF  
OUR LORD  
The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand, and Polynesia;  
St. Clare's, Avery; the life and work of this parish
- Mo 11<sup>th</sup>** Monday in the First Week after the Epiphany  
Diocese of Afikpo (The Church of Nigeria); St. Paul's,  
Modesto; those who are sick
- Tu 12<sup>th</sup>** Aelred of Rievaulx, Abbot and Theologian, 1167  
Diocese of North Africa (The Episcopal/Anglican Province of  
Alexandria); St. Raphael's, Oakhurst; our friends
- We 13<sup>th</sup>** Hilary of Poitiers, Bishop and Theologian, 367  
Diocese of the Horn of Africa (The Episcopal/Anglican  
Province of Alexandria); St. Michael's, Ridgecrest; all who  
teach the faith
- Th 14<sup>th</sup>** Richard Meux Benson, Priest, and Charles Gore,  
Bishop, 1915 and 1932  
Diocese of Agra (The Church of the North India); St.  
Matthew's, San Andreas; St. Stephen's House, Oxford
- Fr 15<sup>th</sup>** Friday in the First Week after the Epiphany  
Diocese of Aguata (The Church of Nigeria); St. James', Sonora;  
those who clean our church
- Sa 16<sup>th</sup>** Saturday of Epiphany 1  
Diocese of Ahoada (The Church of Nigeria); St. Anne's,  
Stockton; those considering baptism or confirmation

**Su 17<sup>th</sup> SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**

The Anglican Church of Australia; St. Paul's, Bakersfield; the life and work of this parish

**Mo 18<sup>th</sup> THE CONFESSION OF SAINT PETER THE APOSTLE**

*The start of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity*

Diocese of Aipo Rongo (The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea); St. John's, Stockton; for reconciliation among Christians

**Tu 19<sup>th</sup> Wulfstan of Worcester, Bishop, 1095**

*Richard Rolle, Walter Hilton, and Margery Kempe, Mystics, 1349, 1396, and c. 1440*

Diocese of Ajayi Crowther (The Church of Nigeria); St. Andrew's, Taft; enlightenment according to the mind of Christ; the life and work of this parish

**We 20<sup>th</sup> Wednesday in the Second Week after the Epiphany**

Diocese of Akobo (The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan); St. John's, Tulare; a renewed sense of hope; the newly inaugurated President of the United States

**Th 21<sup>st</sup> Agnes of Rome, Martyr, 304**

*Our Lady of Exile*

Liverpool (England); St Asaph (Wales); Grafton (Australia); St. Francis, Turlock; deepening trust in the God

**Fr 22<sup>nd</sup> Vincent of Saragossa, Deacon and Martyr, 304**

Diocese of Akoto (The Church of Nigeria); St. Paul's, Visalia; those to be ordained deacon

**Sa 23<sup>rd</sup> Saturday in the Second Week after the Epiphany**

Diocese of Akoko Edo (The Church of Nigeria); Diocesan and Standing Committee; the ordained ministry of Cathy Kline and Terry March

**Su 24<sup>th</sup> THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**

The Church of Bangladesh; St. James Cathedral, Fresno; daily conversion to God's will

**Mo 25<sup>th</sup> THE CONVERSION OF SAINT PAUL**

Diocese of Akure (The Church of Nigeria); the Cathedral Chapter, the Vestries and Bishop's Committees of the diocese; cultivation of a generous heart and spirit

**Tu 26<sup>th</sup> Titus and Timothy, Companions of Saint Paul**

Diocese of Alabama (The Episcopal Church); the clergy of the diocese; Church of the Saviour, Hanford; the life and work of this parish

**We 27<sup>th</sup> John Chrysostom, Bishop and Theologian, 407**

Diocese of Alaska (The Episcopal Church); Diocesan Commission on Ministry and all Diocesan Postulants and Candidates to Holy Orders; Bartholomew, The Ecumenical Patriarch of Constantinople

**Th 28<sup>th</sup> Thomas Aquinas, Friar and Theologian, 1274**

Diocese of Saint Albans (The Church of England); SJRAISE (San Joaquin Refugee and Immigrant Support and Empowerment); all theologians

**Fr 29<sup>th</sup> Andre Rublev, Monk and Iconographer, 1430**

Diocese of Albany (The Episcopal Church); Episcopal Conference Center at Oakhurst (ECCO); grace to behold God in the works of our hands

**Sa 30<sup>th</sup> Charles, King and Martyr, 1649**

Diocese of Algoma (The Anglican Church of Canada); Diocesan deputies and alternates to General Convention; the Queen of England

**Su 31<sup>st</sup> FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**

Anglican/Episcopal Church of Brazil; Church of the Saviour, Hanford; all biblical scholars