CALENDAR

OF

INTERCESSIONS

THE TERRITORY OF THE PEOPLE

Includes

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer (ACP)

The Anglican Church of Canada (ACC)

Companion Diocese of Montreal (MTL)

The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Canada (ELCIC)

July - September 2021

**MISSION STATEMENT**

“We walk together with all God’s people, journeying into a new creation, and trusting with faith and courage in the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

We love as Jesus loves, living with integrity and openness,

and are committed stewards of God’s world.” [Approved May, 2011]

**FROM THE CONSTITUTIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE ANGLICAN PARISHES OF THE CENTRAL INTERIOR (June 2002)**

These three affirmations have guided us as we became the Anglican Parishes of the Central Interior:

* We affirm that the Anglican Parishes of the Central Interior needs to gather together as a family of God.
* We affirm that this time of transition has been given to us as a gift to explore possible new directions towards which the Spirit might be calling us.
* We affirm that God is calling us to share in Jesus’ ministry of healing and reconciliation.

These affirmations form a kind of mission statement, but are not exhaustive. They help us to honour the ongoing task of discerning our ministry and mission together. We acknowledge our desire to walk faithfully on a path in which we carry the best of who we were into a living and holy present and towards an unknown and hopeful future. As you pray for persons, parishes and ministries, keep at the heart of your prayer an openness to listen to the direction God calls us to travel together.

**PRAYER FOR THE TERRITORY OF THE PEOPLE**

Loving and Faithful God, through the ages, you have nourished your people who have come to you for guidance;

Lead and direct us in our present journey, that we may discern the way ahead as the

Territory of the People;

By your Spirit, help us to preserve the best of what we were, enable us to let go all that hinders love of you, and strengthen us as a community of living saints to minister with eager hearts and wills.

We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, who is our Way, our Truth and our Life. Amen.

Prayers for New Life

Holy One, you catch us unawares and accompany us on the way,

offering healing, reconciliation and a new life.

Open our ears to recognize your voice,

that we may turn and see the living Body of Christ.

Open our hearts to accept your work from the cross -

forgive them, they know not what they do.

Strengthen our wills that we may commit

our past and future life together to you,

and begin again;

to the glory of Jesus Christ, crucified and risen,

in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen

*(from General Synod, 2001)*

Creator God,

from you every family in heaven and on earth takes its name.

You have rooted and grounded us in your covenant love,

and empowered us by your Spirit to speak the truth in love, and to walk in your way towards justice and wholeness.

Mercifully grant that your people,

journeying together in partnership,

may be strengthened and guided to help one another

to grow into the full stature of Christ,

who is our light and our life. Amen

*(A prayer based on the Covenant - Anglican Council of Indigenous People)*

Draw your church together, O Lord, into one great company of disciples, together following our Lord Jesus Christ into every walk of life, together serving him in his mission to the world, and together witnessing to his love on every continent and island. We ask this in his name and for his sake. Amen.

*(for the Mission of the Church)*

Prayers for the World and Our Communities

Compassionate One, we pray for the health and well being of our community, country, and the world as we are in unprecedented times. Times filled with worry and uncertainty.

We entrust to your loving care all those who are affected by the corona virus

through illness, isolation or anxiety.

We commend ourselves, and all for whom we pray, to your mercy and protection.

May we always know we are never alone. Through times of joy and times of struggle, keep opening our hearts to one another with mutual understanding, forbearance and compassion, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A BIRTHDAY PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit

you have bestowed upon N. your servant(s) the forgiveness of sin,

and have raised N. to the new life of grace.

Sustain N...... O Lord, in your Holy Spirit.

Give N. an inquiring and discerning heart,

the courage to will and to persevere,

a spirit to know and to love you,

and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. Amen.

**JULY**

5Trevelyn Whiting

11 Neil Vant

12 John Boyd

16 Viktor Gundel

17 Dan Hines

17 Barbara Webber

23 Susan McCabe

23 Terry Bepple

**AUGUST**

3 Robert Hunter

8 David Andrews

10 Margot Rose

10 Peter Chalmers

23 Alan McLeod

24 Bonnie Bailey

**SEPTEMBER**

**1**3 Jo Ann Hinter

13 Bruce Chalmers

19 Lois Petty

23 Dwight Morrow

**DAILY PRAYERS**

**Day 1**

Our Metropolitan, Archbishop Lynne McNaughton, her husband the Rev Gerald Hobbs and their family. The Most Rev. Linda Nicholls, our Primate; The Most Rev. Mark MacDonald, National Indigenous Bishop, his wife Virginia Sha Lynn; the Church House Staff; the Council for General Synod; the Provincial Executive Council and their families.

**Day 2**

The Territory Office Staff – the Interim Steering Committee; Office Coordinator Margaret Mitchell, her husband Jim; Bookkeeper Andy Prodaniuk, his wife Chris; Payroll Administrator, Bonnie Bailey, and their families.

**Day 3**

The people of St. Paul’s Cathedral, Kamloops. The Rev. Canon Len Fraser; The Rt. Rev. Gordon Light, (Honourary Assistant); The Rev. Viktor Gundel, his wife Sarah; The Rev. Dan Hines, his wife Robyn; The Rev. Barbara Liotscos; The Rev. Bob Purdy, his wife Trish, The Rev. Canon Sandra Sugden, and their families.

**Day 4**

The people of St. Michael and All Angels, Prince George. The Rev Deacon Patrick Sibley, his spouse Barry Lucier, and their families.

**Day 5**

The people of Grace Church Prince George. The Rev Deacon Patrick Sibley, his spouse Barry Lucier; The Ven. Peter Zimmer, his wife Leila, and their families.

**Day 6**

The people of the Church of St. John the Divine, Quesnel. The Rev Deacon Patrick Sibley, his spouse Barry Lucier; The Rev. Trev Whiting, his wife Carol, The Rev. Canon Margot Rose (Deacon) and their families; St. Saviour’s Church, Barkerville.

**Day 7**

The people of St. Peter’s Church, Williams Lake, St. Luke’s, Alexis Creek. The Rev Jo Ann Hinter her husband Al; The Rev. Canon Alan McLeod, The Rev. Canon, The Honourable T. Neil Vant, his wife Jeanie, and their families.

**Day 8**

The people of St. Timothy’s Church, 100 Mile House. The Rev. Jo Ann Hinter, her husband Al; The Rev. Canon Thelma Sharkey (Deacon) and their families.

**Day 9**

The people of St. Andrew’s United & St. Mary’s Anglican Shared Ministry, Lillooet, as they seek a new Incumbent; for supply Minister Elaine Graham and her family.

**Day 10**

The North Thompson Shared Ministry, the people of The Church of St. Paul, Barriere and Trinity Shared Ministry, Clearwater. The Rev. Bruce Chalmers, his wife the Rev Louise Peters, and their family.

**Day 11**

The people of the Robson Valley Shared Ministry, (Anglican-United). The Rev. Dee McEachern, United Church Diaconal Minister Kim McNaughton, her husband Ken and their families.

**Day 12**

The people of St. George’s, Kamloops. The Rev. John Boyd, his wife Jane, The Rev. Canon Beth-Marie Murphy (Honourary Assistant) and their families.

**Day 13**

The people of the Scw’exmx Anglican Parish, All Saints, Shulus; St. Philip’s, Nooaitch; St. Catherine’s, Shackan. The Rev Angus Muir, his wife Debbie and their family.

**Day 14**

The people of St. Peter’s, Monte Creek. For all who minister to God’s people in this place.

**Day 15**

The people of St. Michael’s, Merritt, The Rev. Canon Isabel Healy Morrow, her husband Dwight; the Rev Craig Fairley (Deacon), his wife Carmen and their families.

**Day 16**

The people of St. Alban’s, Ashcroft. The Rev. Martina Duncan, her husband Jim; The Rev. Canon Lois Petty (Deacon) and their families.

**Day 17**

The people of the Lytton Anglican Parishes. The Rev. Angus Muir, his wife Debbie and their family

**Day 18**

The Council of Indigenous People, Healing Circles and all who lead and participate.

**Day 19**

The people of Logan Lake Community Church, the Rt. Rev Barbara Andrews and her family. The people of St. Mark’s Woodpecker, the Rev. Alexis Saunders and her family; for alternate forms of ministry in the Territory of the People.

**Day 20**

Pastoral Elders: Dorothy Phillips, Amy Charlie, Pauline Michelle, Ernie Michelle, Ursula Drynock, and their families.

**Day 21**

Postulant to the Diaconate Linda LaGroix, her husband Wayne and their family; Territory Lay Ministers of Word and Sacrament and their families; All Ministries programs.

**Day 22**

Clergy with Permission to Officiate. The Rt. Rev. Barbara Andrews, The Rt. Rev. Gordon Light, The Rev. Canon Len Fraser, the Rev. Dan Hines, The Rev. Canon Dan Krausert, The Rev. Barbara Liotscos, The Rev Tanya Packer Mckoen, The Rev. Canon Alan McLeod, The Rev. Canon Beth-Marie Murphy, The Rev. Bob Purdy, The Rev. Alexis Saunders, The Rev. Canon Sandra Sugden, The Rev. Canon, The Honourable T. Neil Vant, The Rev. Canon Trev Whiting, The Ven. Peter Zimmer and their families.

**Day 23**

The Interim Steering Committee, the Coordinating Council, the Administration Committee, the Fraser Basin Property Society, the Ministry Commission, the Stewardship Committee, the Companion Diocese Committee, and all other Committees. Parish Lay Staff, Wardens and Parish Councils, especially….

**Day 24**

For the Territory Education for Ministry Coordinator Linda LaGroix, and all who are enrolled; The Resource Centre Coordinators Gordon and Mary Dove; Bible study groups, and all other programs.

**Day 25**

Hospitals and Extended Care Homes. The Hospice Movement and all who are dying.

**Day 26**

Children and Youth programs, Sunday Schools, Vacation Bible Schools, The Anglican Youth Movement and all who participate.

**Day 27**

Vancouver School of Theology, Principal Richard Topping and staff. Sorrento Centre staff, Executive Director the Rev. Michael Shapcott, and all who participate.

**Day 28**

Lay Canons: Judy Beale, Terry Bepple, Mary Dove, Betty-May Gore, Robert Hunter,

Margaret Mitchell, Ken Munro, Molly Platz, Dwight Oatway, Jan Ullstrom, Bud Smith, John and Norma Bos, and their families.

**Day 29**

Retired clergy: The Rt. Rev Barbara Andrews, The Rev. Beth Cuthand, The Rev. Margaret Dempster, The Rev. Keith Dobyns, the Rev Kristen Dobyns, The Ven. David Ellis, The Rev. Ethel English, The Rev Canon Len Fraser, The Very Rev Ken Gray, The Rev. Canon Isabel Healy Morrow, The Rev. Dan Krausert, The Rt. Rev. Gordon Light, The Rev. Barbara Liotscos, The Rev. Susan McCabe, The Rev. Canon Al McLeod, The Rev. Gloria Moses, The Rev. Alexis Saunders, The Rev. Glenn Stone, The Rev. Canon Sandra Sugden, The Rev. Peter van der Leelie, The Rev. Canon, The Honourable T Neil Vant, The Rev. Mike Watkins, The Rev. Mike Webber, The Rev. Trev Whiting, The Rev. Canon Frank Wood, The Ven. Peter Zimmer and their families.

Clergy on Leave: The Rev. Dan Hines.

All clergy widows and widowers.

**Day 30**

The people of our Companion Diocese of Montreal. Bishop, The Rt. Rev. Mary Irwin Gibson, the Synod Staff and their families.

**Day 31**

Outreach to the wider Church; The Primate’s World Relief and Development Fund, The Anglican Foundation, Kairos and …

**WEEKLY PRAYERS**

**Week 27 July 4, 2021**

**Territory -** Our Metropolitan, Archbishop Lynne McNaughton, her husband the Rev Gerald Hobbs and their family; The Most Rev. Linda Nicholls, our Primate; The Most Rev. Mark MacDonald, National Indigenous Bishop, his wife Virginia Sha Lynn; the Church House Staff; the Council for General Synod; the Provincial Executive Council and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP -** The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea.

**ACC -** The Rt. Rev. David Greenwood, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the

Diocese of Athabasca.

**MTL -** Christ Church, Sorel - The Rev. Denis Gevry.

**ELCIC -** The congregations of the southern area of the Saskatchewan Synod.

**Week 28 July 11, 2021**

**Territory –** For all Office Staff; Office Coordinator Margaret Mitchell and her husband Jim; The Interim Steering Committee; Bookkeeper Andy Prodaniuk; Payroll Administrator, Bonnie Bailey and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP -** The Episcopal Church in the Philippines

**ACC** - The Rt. Rev. William Cliff, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the

Diocese of Brandon.

**MTL -** The Clergy and People of the Bedford and Brome-Shefford Deanery.

**ELCIC -** Bishop Larry Kochendorfer, the people and rostered ministers of the

Synod of Alberta and the Territories

**ACC/ELCIC -** The National Anglican & Lutheran Worship Conference.

**Week 29 July 18, 2021**

**Territory -** The people of St. Paul’s Cathedral, Kamloops as they seek a new Incumbent; for Interim Dean, the Rev Canon Len Fraser; The Rt. Rev. Gordon Light, (Honourary Assistant); The Rev. Viktor Gundel, his wife Sarah; The Rev. Dan Hines, his wife Robyn; The Rev. Barbara Liotscos; the Rev Bob Purdy, his wife Trish, and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP** - Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda.

**ACC -** The Most Rev. Greg Kerr-Wilson, Archbishop and the clergy and people

of the Diocese of Calgary.

**MTL** - St. Luke, Hemmingford; Trinity Havelock - Lay Reader; & The Rev. Terry Hidichuk.

**ELCIC** – Rev. Prema Samuel, Assistant to the bishop and the staff of the Synod of

Alberta and the Territories.

**Week 30 July 25, 2021**

**Territory -** The people of St. Michael and All Angels, Prince George, in their search for a new Ministry Team Leader. The Rev Deacon Patrick Sibley, his spouse Barry Lucier and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP** - The Scottish Episcopal Church

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**ACC** - The Rt. Rev. Jane Alexander, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the

Diocese of Edmonton.

**MTL** - All Saints, Abercorn, Grace Church, Sutton, St. Luke, Waterloo;

St. James, Foster - The Ven. Tim Smart.

**ELCIC** - The dean, council, and congregations of the East Central Area of the Synod of Alberta and the Territories.

**Week 31 August 1, 2021**

**Territory -** the people of Grace Church Prince George, in their search for a new Ministry Team Leader. The Rev Deacon Patrick Sibley, his spouse Barry Lucier; The Ven. Peter Zimmer, his wife Leila and their family.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP** - Church of the Province of South East Asia.

**ACC** - The Rt. Rev’s Lydia Mamakwa, Larry Beardy, and Morris Fidler; Bishops,

and the clergy and people of the Spiritual Ministry of Mishamikoweesh.

**MTL -** St. Paul, Knowlton - The Rev. Tim Wiebe; St. Paul, Greenfield Park - The Rev. Linda-Faith Chalk.

**ELCIC -**. The dean, council, and congregations of the Southern Area of the Synod of Alberta and the Territories.

**Week 32 August 8, 2021**

**Territory -** The people of the Church of St. John the Divine, Quesnel in their search for a new Ministry Team Leader. The Rev Deacon Patrick Sibley, his spouse Barry Lucier; The Rev. Canon Trev Whiting, his wife Carol; The Rev. Canon Margot Rose (Deacon) and their families. St. Saviour’s Church, Barkerville.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP -** The Church of South India (United).

**ACC** - The Rt. Rev. Robert Hardwick, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the

Diocese of Qu’Appelle.

**MTL -** St. Simon and St. Bartholomew, Laval. The Ven. - Victor-David Mbui; All Saints by the Lake, Dorval - The Rev. Grace Burson.

**ELCIC** - The dean, council, and congregations of the Northern Area of the Synod of Alberta and the Territories.

**Week 33 August 15, 2021**

**Territory -** The people of St. Peter’s Church, Williams Lake, St. Luke’s, Alexis Creek. The Rev. Jo Ann Hinter, her husband Al; The Rev. Canon Alan McLeod, The Rev. Canon, The Honourable T. Neil Vant, his wife Jeanie, and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP -** The Anglican Church of Southern Africa.

**ACC -** The Rt. Rev. Geoff Woodcroft, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the

Diocese of Rupert’s Land.

**MTL -** St. Paul, Mansonville. Holy Trinity, South Bolton - The Rev. Deacon Judy Ball**.**

**ELCIC -** The dean, council, and congregations of the West Central Area of the Synod of Alberta and the Territories.

**ACC/ELCIC -** The Canadian Lutheran Anglican Youth Gathering (CLAY).

**Week 34 August 22, 2021**

**Territory** - The people of St. Timothy’s Church, 100 Mile House. The Rev Jo Ann Hinter, her husband Al; The Rev. Canon Thelma Sharkey (Deacon), and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP -** The Anglican Church of South America.

**ACC -** The Rt. Rev. Michael Hawkins, Bishop; The Rt. Rev Adam Halkett,

Suffragan Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Saskatchewan.

**MTL -** All Saints, Dunham - The Rev. Sinpoh Han; St. George, Clarenceville;

St. Thomas, Noyan - The Rev. Thora Chadwick.

**ELCIC -** The dean, council, and congregations of the South West Area of the

Synod of Alberta and the Territories.

**Week 35 August 29, 2021**

**Territory -** The people of St. Andrew’s United & St. Mary’s Anglican Shared Ministry, Lillooet, in their search for a new Incumbent. For United Church Supply Minister Elaine Graham and her family.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP** - Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan

**ACC** The Rt. Rev. Chris Harper, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the

Diocese of Saskatoon

**MTL** – The Parish of St. James the Apostle, Stanbridge East, the Rev Tyson Rosberg.

The Rev. Marc-Philippe Vincent.

**ELCIC** - Bishop Greg Mohr, people, and rostered ministers of the British Columbia Synod.

**Week 36 September 5, 2021**

**Territory -** The North Thompson Shared Ministry. The people of The Church of St. Paul, Barriere and Trinity Shared Ministry, Clearwater. The Rev. Bruce Chalmers, his wife, The Rev. Louise Peters, and their family.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP -** Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan

**ACC -** The theological colleges and training programs within the Ecclesiastical Province of Rupert’s Land: Arthur Turner Training School, the Centre for Christian Studies, the College of Emmanuel and St. Chad, Henry Budd College for Ministry, Saint John’s College, Dr. William Winter School for Ministry, James Settee College for Ministry

**MTL -** Bishop Mary Irwin Gibson, Archdeacon Robert Camara and the Synod Office Staff and those preparing for ordination.

**ELCIC -** The Right to Water and a renewed commitment to the stewardship of creation.

**Week 37 September 12, 2021**

**Territory** – The people of the Robson Valley Shared Ministry, (Anglican-United). The Rev. Dee McEachern, United Church Diaconal Minister Kim McNaughton, her husband Ken and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP -** The Anglican Church of Tanzania.

**ACC -** The Metropolitan Archbishop and the clergy and people of the

Ecclesiastical Province of British Columbia and Yukon.

**MTL -** The Parishes of the Lower Laurentians, The Rev. Josée Lemoine, The Rev. Tanya Lesack and assisting retired clergy and lay readers.

**ELCIC -** Rev. Kathy Martin, Assistant to the Bishop, and the staff of the British

Columbia Synod

**Week 38 September 19, 2021**

**Territory -** The people of St. George’s, Kamloops. The Rev. John Boyd, his wife Jane,

The Rev. Canon Beth-Marie Murphy (Honourary Assistant) and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP -** The Church of the Province of Uganda

**ACC -** The Provincial Synod of the Ecclesiastical Province of British Columbia and Yukon.

**MTL –** La Nativite with St. James, Rosemere - the Ven. Victor David Mubi;

All Saints; Deux-Montagnes - the Rev. David Hart.

**ELCIC -** The dean, council, and congregations of the Southern Interior Conference of the British Columbia Synod.

**Week 39 September 26, 2021**

**Territory -** The Scw’exmx Anglican Parish, All Saints, Shulus; St. Philip’s, Nooaitch;

St. Catherine’s, Shackan. The Rev Angus Muir, his wife Debbie and their family.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church, and especially for the office of Bishop for the Territory of the People.

**ACP -** The Episcopal Church

**ACC -** The people and clergy of the Territory of the People.

**MTL -** St. James, Hudson, St. Mary, Como – the Rev. Sophie Rolland and newly ordained curate, the Rev. Ben Stuchberry; St. Stephen Church, Lachine - the Rev Shirley Smith

**ELCIC** –The dean, council, and congregations of the North Region of the British Columbia Synod.