



### *Introduction from the Joint Anglican-Lutheran Commission*

*The Joint Anglican-Lutheran Commission has designed this cycle for use in Canadian Anglican and Lutheran congregations and communities in Sunday liturgies throughout the year.*

*For each Sunday there are intentions for specific dioceses/synods/groups in both The Anglican Church of Canada and the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada. One of the characteristics of the Christian community throughout the ages has been our commitment to pray for the whole world but especially for our Christian sisters and brothers in churches closely linked to our own. Anglicans and Lutherans in Canada are accustomed to praying for the Anglican Communion and the Lutheran World Federation, so it is appropriate for us to pray for our immediate Anglican and Lutheran neighbours.*

*Prayer cycles can be overwhelming and 'crowded' pieces of liturgies. Care needs to be exercised in setting a context – we are intentionally, as churches in 'full communion', holding each other in prayer – some words of explanation may be needed to set this cycle of prayer in context.*

### *The Anglican-Lutheran Cycle of Prayer for use in the Diocese of Rupert's Land*

*The National Anglican-Lutheran Cycle introduced above has been augmented to include prayers for the churches and dioceses of the Anglican Communion, the Council of the North, the congregations, parishes, missions, ministries, and communities of the Diocese of Rupert's Land, and our companion diocese, the Diocese of Central Buganda in Uganda.*

*In addition to the cycle of prayer, congregations may wish to pray regularly by name for local, national and international leadership in both the Anglican Church of Canada and the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, and for the bishop of our companion diocese.*

### *Local, National, and International Leadership*

- The Archbishop of Canterbury, **The Most. Rev. Justin Welby**
- Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, **The Most. Rev. Linda Nicholls**
- National Bishop of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, **Bishop Susan Johnson**
- National Indigenous Archbishop, **The Most. Rev. Chris Harper**
- Bishop of Rupert's Land, **The Rt. Rev. Geoffrey Woodcroft**
- Bishop of the Manitoba/Northwestern Ontario Synod, **Bishop Jason Zinko**
- Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Rupert's Land, **The Most. Rev. Greg Kerr-Wilson**
- Bishop of Central Buganda, **The Rt. Rev. Michael Lubowa**

### *Abbreviations*

- **Leadership** – the local, national, and international leadership listed above
- **Ang. Communion** – the worldwide Anglican Communion
- **ACC** – the Anglican Church of Canada
- **ELCIC** – the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada
- **Central Buganda** - our companion diocese

*The Sundays of the Church Year are listed first using the appropriate week from the Book of Common Prayer followed by the appropriate week from the Book of Alternative Services*

*Please send any errors or omissions in clerical appointments to the Prayer Cycle Coordinator at [prayer@rupertsland.ca](mailto:prayer@rupertsland.ca)*



**WEEK OF APRIL 7**

*The Octave Day of Easter being the Sunday after Easter Day/The Second Sunday of Easter*

Leadership	See page 1
Ang. Communion	The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria
ACC	The Provincial Synod of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario
ELCIC	The congregations of the Central Manitoba area of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod
Council of the North	Diocese of the Arctic
Rupert's Land	Our Congregations and Communities

**WEEK OF APRIL 14**

*The Second Sunday after Easter/The Third Sunday of Easter*

Leadership	See page 1
Ang. Communion	The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand, and Polynesia
ACC	The Most Rev. Anne Germond, Archbishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Algoma
ELCIC	The congregations of the Southern Manitoba area of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod
ACC/ELCIC	Climate justice and healthy relationships with the earth
Council of the North	Diocese of the Arctic
Rupert's Land	Our Congregations and Communities

**WEEK OF APRIL 21**

*The Third Sunday after Easter/The Fourth Sunday of Easter (Vocations Sunday)*

Leadership	See page 1
Ang. Communion	The Anglican Church of Australia
ACC	The Rt. Rev. Todd Townshend, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Huron
ELCIC	The congregations of the Western Manitoba area of Manitoba of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod
Council of the North	Diocese of the Arctic
Rupert's Land	Our Congregations and Communities, especially the clergy and people of: <b>Church of the Good Shepherd</b> – The Rev. Canon Jennifer Sisson, Incumbent; The Rev. Deacon Diane Panting, Honorary Deacon Assistant; <b>St. George, Transcona</b> – The Rev. Wilson Akinwale, Incumbent; The Rev. Deacon Beverley Markwart, The Rev. Deacon Dan Thagard, Honorary Deacon Assistants; <b>St. George, Crescentwood</b> – The Rev. Sherpard Gwende, Incumbent; The Rev. Canon Peter Flynn, The Rev. Robin Mather, Honorary Assistants; <b>St. George, Wakefield</b> – The Ven. Godfrey Maweje, Incumbent; The Rev. Ken Pawluk, Honorary Assistant; <b>St. George, Westbourne</b> – Those providing sacramental ministry
Central Buganda	St. John Buwere Parish; St. Paul's Kibibi; All Martyr's Ndoddo Parish; St. James Bukandula

**WEEK OF APRIL 28**

*The Fourth Sunday after Easter/The Fifth Sunday of Easter*

Leadership	See page 1
Ang. Communion	The Church of Bangladesh
ACC	The Most Rev. Anne Germond, Bishop, the Most Rev. Fred Hiltz, Assisting Bishop, the Rt. Rev. Victoria Matthews, Episcopal Administrator, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Moosonee
ELCIC	The congregations of the Winnipeg area of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod
Council of the North	Diocese of the Arctic
Rupert's Land	Our Congregations and Communities, especially the clergy and people of: <b>St. Mark, Winnipeg</b> – The Rev. Davies Adebisi, Priest; <b>St. Philip, Hodgson</b> – Those providing sacramental ministry; <b>St. Philip, Scantebury</b> – The Rev. Vincent Solomon, Incumbent
Central Buganda	St. Luke Mbaale/Mpigi; St. John Nawango; All Saints, Lugala