Prayer Diary 14-20 April 2025

Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" John 20:19

The prayers each week are for:

- the mission and ministry of a benefice
- organisations, schools, events of the diocese and the wider community
- our link Diocese Kagera and World Mission

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Mon 14 April 2025	Ipswich Deanery Ipswich St Matthew with Triangle and All Saints: The Revd Canon Nick Atkins; The Revd Ruth Best; The Revd Lorna Penaluna; The Revd Lawrence Carey; The Revd Kiran Lotay; The Revd Danny Morrison; Hannah Ponting (Licensed Evangelist); Jane Cornish (Reader)	The work of the Top Up shops and food banks	Kagera: Mchumgaji Mwema (Good Shepherd) Secondary School run by the diocese. Pray for all the staff and pupils
Tues 15 April 2025	Ipswich Deanery Bridge Church: The Revd Andy Buttress; Rob Collett (Licensed Evangelist)	Debt Relief Agencies and Cost of Living	Continue to pray for the Israeli and Palestinian families caught up in the conflict in Gaza. Pray for the release of hostages and for adequate aid to reach families suffering in Gaza. Above all pray for peace in the region
Wed 16 April 2025	Ipswich Deanery Ipswich St Augustine: The Revd Al Metcalfe; The Revd Sarah Hall; The Revd Ros Williams	Clergy Retirement Officer (The Revd Dr Simon Hill) and Clergy Widow/Widower Officers (The Revd Canon A and The Revd C Forsdike)	Kagera: The Revd Obedia Eustace, Principal at KCTC and Parish of Bumba. Pray for the staff and patients of Murgwanza Hospital, Kagera
Thurs 17	Ipswich Deanery	Chaplains to the hospitals in our diocese: The Revd Canon Sharon Connell, The	Lweru Diocese: The Revd Renatus Katale, Pastor, Malahala Parish; The Revd Nelson Mbatina, Pastor

April 2025	Lindbergh Road Community Church: The Revd Ian Daniels; Julie Daniels (Children and Families Minister)	Revd Nichola Winter, The Revd Linda Peall, The Revd Rufin Emmanuel, The Revd Stephen Griffiths	
Fri 18 April 2025	Ipswich Deanery River Church: The Revd Amy Key; The Revd Matt Key	Pray for the anxious, depressed and despondent	On this Good Friday as we remember the death of our Lord Jesus, pray for all our brothers and sisters across the world who suffer persecution because they follow Jesus. You can find specific prayer points here: https://www.opendoorsuk.org/resources/prayer/
Sat 19 April 2025	Ipswich Deanery Rushmere: The Revd Alan Comfort; David Gill (Reader)	The Unemployed and Jobseekers	Biharamulo: Marietha Kutunzi, CCMP Co-ordinator and Ombeni Shirima, Diocesan Development Officer
Sun 20 April 2025	Ipswich Deanery Whitton with Thurleston and Akenham: The Revd Mary Sokanovic	For all attending church services today to celebrate Easter	The Lord is Risen: He is Risen indeed. Rejoice in the amazing news that death has been defeated and give thanks for millions of our brothers and sisters celebrating this across the world today. To God be the Glory