**Prayer Diary June 2022**

*They devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. Acts 2:42*

The prayers each day 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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For details of the Church of England calendar please visit [here](https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/worship-texts-and-resources/common-worship/prayer-and-worship/worship-texts-and-resources/common-worship/churchs-year/calendar).

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| **Wed 1 June 2022** | Loes Deanery  Mid Loes: The Revd Gary Best; The Revd Kathleen Martin | Celebrations taking place at the Suffolk Show for the Platinum Jubilee: the Festival Torch and Pageant | Pray for ‘Peter’ Yuan Shiguo in Chengdu, and the Sichuan seminary where he teaches; for the students preparing to serve in churches among the many minority people groups in Yunnan, Sichuan and Guizhou provinces |
| **Thurs 2 June 2022** | Loes Deanery  Orebeck: Priest in Charge vacant; Martin Crane (Reader) | Pray for Her Majesty the Queen on the anniversary of her coronation in 1953 | Pray for the family of the murdered journalist from Palestine Shireen Abu Aqla shot dead while doing her job. Pray that both Israelis and Palestinians will exercise restraint in the days to come. |
| **Fri**  **3 June 2022** | Loes Deanery  Wickham Market with Pettistree: The Revd Leslie Siu; The Revd Jenny Catchpole | Chaplains to Mental Health Care | Kagera: Pray for Joel Aleku the Headteacher at Ngara Anglican Primary School |
| **Sat**  **4 June**  **2022** | Loes Deanery  Upper Alde: The Revd Martin Percival | Pray for all the Jubilee events taking place at Suffolk churches over the weekend | Kagera: The Revd Joseph Kalekezi, Pastor of Chivu Parish and Rural Dean of Kumubanga |
| **Sun**  **5 June 2022** | Mildenhall Deanery  Brandon: The Revd Canon Sharron Coburn; The Revd Kath Palmer; The Revd Dennis Coburn | For street parties and community events across Suffolk | On Environment Sunday, pray for governments to take action to fulfil the promises they made at Cop26 to reduce their countries’ carbon footprint and achieve net zero carbon by 2050. |
| **Mon**  **6 June 2022** | Mildenhall Deanery  Lakenheath, Santon Downham and Elveden: The Revd Paul Tams | Pray for all students taking exams and finishing coursework. | Kagera: The Revd Hosea Kishongo and Evangelist Bosco Daud in Bushangaro Parish. |
| **Tues**  **7 June 2022** | Mildenhall Deanery  The Forest Heath Team Ministry: The Revd Chris Childs; The Revd Sue Leathley; The Revd David Everett; The Revd C Butcher; The Revd D Butcher; Stephen Hurton (Licensed Evangelist) | Church schools in Mildenhall Deanery: Elveden Primary School; Moulton Primary School; St Mary’s School Mildenhall, All Saints Primary School Newmarket; St Christopher's Primary School, Red Lodge. | Kagera: The Revd Stembridge Lazaro, Rural Dean Mwivuza Deanery. |
| **Wed 8**  **June 2022** | Mildenhall Deanery  Newmarket All Saints: Vicar vacant; The Revd Robert Molton; The Revd Susan Allison; The Revd Su Shaw | Pray for all Ukrainian refugees settling into life in Suffolk and for those offering them hospitality | Biharamulo: The Revd Grayson Mutegeki Katunzi, Katoke Parish and Acting Diocesan Secretary |
| **Thurs 9 June**  **2022** | Mildenhall Deanery  Newmarket St Mary with Exning St Agnes: The Revd John Hardy; The Revd Cheryl Belding; The Revd Jeremy Lind | Chaplains to the prisons in the diocese | Pray for the people of India experiencing very high temperatures and drought conditions at the moment. |
| **Fri 10 June 2022** | Mildenhall Deanery  Exning St Martin with Landwade: The Revd John Hardy; Phillip Allison (Reader) | Hospitals and hospices, staff and patients and visitors | Biharamulo: The Revd Richard Karugune Bizundera, Bwanga Parish. |
| **Sat 11 June**  **2022** | Samford Deanery  East Bergholt and Brantham: The Revd Canon Stephne Van Der Toorn; Ruth Bull and Nick Pavitt (Readers) | Aldeburgh Festival at St Edmundsbury Cathedral: Ora Singers at 3.00pm | Praise God: a truce between conflicting parties in Yemen has led to the first ceasefire in six years. It has largely held since April. This will help aid agencies to respond to the increasing need in Yemen, as 80 per cent of the population are in need of assistance. |
| **Sun**  **12 June 2022** | Samford Deanery  Capel St Mary with Little Wenham and Great Wenham: The Revd Sally Letman | Growing in God diocesan aims (younger, in number, in depth and in influence) | Keep praying for peace in the Sahel region of West Africa; especially in Burkina Faso, Mali, Niger and Chad. Violence is rising due to shortages of resources, including food, caused in part by the climate crisis. Attacks from armed groups continue to put communities at risk. |
| **Mon 13 June 2022** | Samford Deanery  Shoreline: The Revd Canon Liesbeth Oosterhof; Andrew Coulson (Reader) | Church Primary Schools in Samford Deanery: Bentley, Capel St Mary, Chelmondiston, East Bergholt, Sproughton, Stutton, Tattingstone | Kagera: The Revd Amani Omary, Parish Pastor Murongo |
| **Tues 14**  **June 2022** | Samford Deanery  The North Samford Benefice: The Revd Annette Shannon | 30th East Anglian Beer and Cider Festival being held at The Cathedral | Pray for Tanzania as it continues to administer its Covid vaccination programme |
| **Wed 15 June 2022** | Samford Deanery  The Two Rivers Benefice: The Revd Jenny Seggar; The Revd Duncan Myatt | Chaplains to Army, Sea and Air Cadets | Kagera: The Revd Emmanuel Jonathan, Mchungaii Mweba (Good Shepherd) Secondary School |
| **Thurs 16 June 2022** | Saxmundham Deanery  Alde Sandlings: The Revd Sarah du Boulay (licensing 30/06/2022); The Revd James Marston; The Revd Jo Mabey; The Revd Sheila Hart; The Revd Nichola Winter | For all those working at the Diocesan Office | Kagera: The Revd Joshua Patroba, Pastor, Mukirehe Parish. |
| **Fri 17 June 2022** | Saxmundham Deanery  Leiston with Sizewell: The Revd Richard Finch; The Revd Morag Finch | Church Schools in Saxmundham Deanery: Kelsale Primary School, St Mary’s Primary School Benhall | Pray for Christians in Northern Nigeria who have been attacked by Muslims with some of them being killed. |
| **Sat 18 June 2022** | Saxmundham Deanery  Saxmundham with Kelsale-cum-Carlton: The Revd David Preece; The Revd Nic Stuchfield; Tom Boswell (Lay Pioneer); Mark Stancombe-Duhm (Licensed Evangelist) | The IT industry in Suffolk | Kagera: Shemasi Deo Phillemon, Parish Pastor for Muruvyagila |
| **Sun 19 June 2022** | Saxmundham Deanery  Alde River Benefice: The Revd Rachel Cornish; The Revd Bill Sokolis | Thank God for fathers as we celebrate Fathers’ Day in the UK | Pray for people around the world suffering from the effects of poverty; pray for provision for their needs, for friendship and community for those who are lonely or cut off from support, and for lasting opportunities to lift themselves out of poverty. |
| **Mon 20 June 2022** | Saxmundham Deanery  Yoxmere: The Revd Tim Rogers; The Revd Brian Jolley | For Alcoholics Anonymous Groups meeting throughout Suffolk | On World Refugee Day, pray for all those who have had to flee their country because of war or abuses of their civil rights. Pray particularly for the millions of Ukrainian refugees along with those from Syria and Afghanistan. |
| **Tues 21 June 2022** | Sudbury Deanery  Acton with Gt Waldingfield: The Revd Faith Marsden | On the official first day of summer, pray for all involved in the tourist industry in Suffolk | Kagera: The Revd Repson Katto Kagya, Rural Dean of Bukiriro and Parish pastor Murugunga |
| **Wed 22 June 2022** | Sudbury Deanery  Boxford, Edwardstone, Groton, Little Waldingfield and Newton: The Revd Rob Parker-McGee; The Ven James Ridge | Chaplains to the British Legion | Kagera: The Revd Canon Edson Niduha, Kanazi Parish |
| **Thurs 23 June 2022** | Sudbury Deanery  Bures with Assington and Little Cornard: Rector to be licensed in August; The Revd Mary Cantacuzene; The Revd Simon White; Andrew Clift (Reader) | The Maritime Industry in Suffolk | Kagera: The Revd Odace Buchendole, Rural Dean of Murugalama |
| **Fri 24 June 2022** | Sudbury Deanery  Chadbrook: The Revd Matthew Lawson: The Revd Judith Offord; Pam Tonks (Childrens and Families Minister) | Church Primary Schools in Sudbury Deanery: Acton; Boxford; Bures; Crawford’s, Haughley; Great Finborough; Great Waldingfield; Hartest; Long Melford; Old Newton; St Gregory, Sudbury; Trinity, Combs; and Tudor, Sudbury | Kagera: The Revd John Ruzabila, Nyamiaga Parish. |
| **Sat 25 June 2022** | Sudbury Deanery  Glem Valley United Benefice: Rector vacant; The Revd Julia Perkins | Diocesan Synod taking place at the Cathedral | Kagera: The Revd Amon Jackson, Principal at KCTC. Pray that he will be able to continue to make the changes which ensure the future of the College and a better education for his students. |
| **Sun**  **26 June 2022** | Sudbury Deanery  Great Cornard: The Revd Chris Ramsey; The Revd Jennie Ridley; The Revd Roland Bareham | For the Diocesan Safeguarding Team | The United Nations has warned that the global price of food is at a record high. This is partly due to the conflict in Ukraine. The increase is worsening the hunger crises in the Horn of Africa and the Middle East. Pray for relief efforts of aid agencies to alleviate hunger. Pray for a global solution to tackle this crisis. |
| **Mon 27**  **June 2022** | Sudbury Deanery  Sudbury St Gregory with St Peter and Chilton: The Revd Andrew Doarks; The Revd Chris Ramsey | Rural Coffee Caravan/Meet up Mondays to combat loneliness and promote communities | Biharamulo: The Revd Joas Jeremiah, Igarula Parish |
| **Tues 28 June 2022** | Sudbury Deanery  Sudbury with Ballingdon and Brundon: The Revd Andrew Doarks; The Revd Chris Ramsey; Lynne Fish (Licensed Evangelist); Robert Fish (Reader) | Military Bases in Suffolk – British and US | Kagera: The Revd Celestin Yusuph Sunzu (Archdeacon), Rural Dean of Kabanga |
| **Wed 29 June 2022** | Thingoe Deanery  Barrow: The Revd Lynda Sebbage | Church Schools in Thingoe Deanery: Barrow Primary; Great Barton Primary; King Edward VI School; Risby Primary; St Edmundsbury School; Thurston School | Biharamulo: The Revd John Paul, Rusuno Parish |
| **Thurs 30 June 2022** | Thingoe Deanery  Bury St Edmunds: Christ Church, Moreton Hall; The Revd Canon Jonathan Alderton-Ford; Alex Theobald and Vatha Theobald (Licensed Youth Ministers); Liz Kearsley (Reader) | For all being ordained on Saturday as they begin their retreat | Kagera: Pray for all diocesan staff, including secretaries, accountants, administrators, cooks, cleaners, night guards, drivers, who support the priests. |