**Prayer Diary June 2024**

*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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| **Sat 1 June 2024** | **Thingoe Deanery**Horringer The Revd Mel Takáč, Helen Woodroffe (Children’s and Families’ Minister)  | The NHS and healthcare workers | Biharamulo: The Revd Didas Kilolonga, Pastor in Nyabyando Parish & The Revd Timotheo Petro Pastor in Nyabungombe Parish |
| **Sun 2 June 2024**  | **Thingoe Deanery**Lark Valley and North Bury The Revd Dr Andy Miller, The Revd Alison Miller, The Revd Val Gagen | Today the diocese celebrates the 30th anniversary of the ordination of women with a service at the Cathedral, we give thanks for the ministry of women in the diocese.  | On this Environment Sunday pray for God’s Creation and improvements in the way we look after it. Pray for understanding for our world leaders so that effective action may be taken to reverse the climate crisis. Pray for greater protection for our ecosystems. |

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| **Mon 3 June 2024** | **Thingoe Deanery**St Edmundsbury Cathedral The Very Revd Joe Hawes, The Revd Canon Matthew Vernon, The Revd Canon Philip Banks, The Revd Canon Michael Robinson, The Revd Anita Rooney, The Revd Jutta Brueck, Caitlin Brinkley (Reader), Fiona Knapp (Children’s and Families’ Minister)  | For volunteers and organisations who rely on volunteers | Pray for peace in the Middle East. Pray for those who have lost family members, those who have lost their homes and livelihoods. Pray for compassion and understanding on both sides. |
| **Tues****4 June 2024** | **Waveney and Blyth Deanery**Benefice of Beccles with Worlingham, North Cove and BarnbyThe Revd Dimitri Theulings, The Revd Philip Cudmore, The Revd Claire Kiddy, The Revd Alix Taylor, The Revd Doreen Page | Retail Industry | Kagera: The Revd Joseph Kalekezi, Pastor of Chivu Parish and Rural Dean of Kumubanga |
| **Wed 5 June 2024** | **Waveney and Blyth Deanery**Blyth Valley Team The Revd Dominic Doble, The Revd Gini Williams, The Revd Linda Berry, The Revd Alison Alder  | PTO Clergy and Readers | 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 6 June 2024** | **Waveney and Blyth Deanery**BungayThe Revd Josh Bailey, The Revd Edward Land  | Chaplains to schools and colleges | Kagera: The Revd Odace Buchendole Rural Dean in Bushangaro Parish. Lweru: The Revd Melkidius Eustace, pastor of Ijuganyondo parish. |
| **Fri 7** **June 2024** | **Waveney and Blyth Deanery**Benefice of Sole Bay The Revd Russell Gant, The Revd Alan Perry, The Revd Judith Miller | Church Primary Schools in Waveney and Blyth Deanery: Bramfield; Brampton; Ringsfield; and Worlingham | Kagera: The Revd Nathanael Makaka, Rural Dean in Mwivuza Parish. The Revd Samwel Kiondo, pastor of Bukoba parish |
| **Sat 8 June****2024** | **Waveney and Blyth Deanery**The Saints The Revd Leon Collyer  | Street Cleaners and Refuse Collectors | Biharamulo: The Revd Simon Karukubila, pastor of Katoke Parish; The Revd Edward Runyota, Muganza Parish |
| **Sun****9 June 2024**  | **Waveney and Blyth Deanery**Benefice of Wrentham, Covehithe with Benacre, Henstead with Hulver and FrostendenVacancy  | Churches on the Tourist Trail | At the start of refugee week pray for greater compassion for those who are forced to leave their homes because of war, oppression, and the climate crisis. Pray that our government will find better solutions to process the number of refugees and asylum seekers coming to this country. |
| **Mon 10 June****2024** | **Waveney and Blyth Deanery**Heveningham with Ubbeston, Huntingfield and CookleyThe Revd Dominic Doble  | Homeless in Suffolk and for organisations trying to help them | Kagera: The Revd Sylvester Shedrack Rusizila, Mukarehe Parish; & The Revd Peter Benezet Kabwebwe, Ruhembe Parish |
| **Tues 11 June 2024** | **Waveney and Blyth Deanery**Hundred River and WainfordThe Revd Mark Bee, The Revd Helen Kerridge | Mental Health Services and charities | Biharamulo: The Revd Simon Sekanabo, pastor at Bwengabo parish and The Revd Richard Karugune, Mwendakulima Parish |
| **Wed 12 June 2024** | **Woodbridge Deanery** Benefice of Carlford The Revd Mark Cresswell, The Revd Gail Minter, Sandra Cresswell (Children’s and Families’ Minister), James Hall (Reader), Jane Woods (Reader)  | Military Bases in Suffolk - British and US | Kagera: Pray for Joel Aleku the Headteacher at Ngara Anglican Primary School; Lweru: The Revd Joseline Joseph, pastor of Kiholele parish |
| **Thurs 13****June 2024** | **Woodbridge Deanery** Melton and UffordThe Revd Paul Hambling | Chaplains to the Police Force  | Kagera: The Revd Emmanuel Jeconiah (Archdeacon), Rural Dean Murongo Deanery & The Revd Christian S. Joachim, Rural Dean, Rusumo |
| **Fri 14 June 2024** | **Woodbridge Deanery** Woodbridge St Mary with Great Bealings The Revd Nigel Prior | Church Schools in Woodbridge Deanery: Bawdsey Primary, Eyke Primary, Orford Primary, St Mary’s Primary, Woodbridge | Biharamulo: The Revd Lazore Joram, Bwanga Parish and The Revd Gerazoi Mathias, Mutundu Parish |
| **Sat 15 June 2024** | **Woodbridge Deanery** Wilford Peninsula The Revd Mandy Reynolds, The Revd Simon Cake, The Revd Kathy Wilson  | King Charles’ Official Birthday | Kagera: Mrs Malicelina Mboya, Head Teacher, Mchungaii Mweba (Good Shepherd) Secondary School; Lweru: The Revd Gilbert Kazoni, pastor of Songambele parish. |
| **Sun 16 June 2024** | **Woodbridge Deanery** Woodbridge St John and Bredfield The Revd Charles Trefusis, The Revd Martin Roberts, Gay Nichols (Reader) | St Edmundsbury and Ipswich Anglican Cursillo - for laity and clergy of that movement and its contribution to the Diocesan Growing in God Initiative | Pray for peace in the Democratic Republic of Congo so that people will be able to live their lives without fear of violence, and will be able to return to their homes in safety. Pray for comfort for families who have had to flee their homes, and particularly for those who have lost loved ones. |
| **Mon 17 June 2024** | **Clare Deanery** Bansfield The Revd Eve Bell | Diocesan Growing New Learning Community in Suffolk | Continue to pray for an end to fighting in Ukraine. Pray for those who have lost loved ones or are unsure where their loved ones are. |
| **Tues 18 June 2024** | **Clare Deanery**Haverhill with Withersfield The Revd Max Drinkwater, The Revd Wendy Norris, Diana Allin (Children’s and Families’ Minister), Elizabeth Foulkes (Children’s and Families’ Minister)  | Debt Relief Agencies and Cost of Living | Lweru: The Revd Bryson Bijanda, pastor of Ikuza parish; The Revd Dickson E. Methuselah, pastor of Goziba partish |
| **Wed 19 June 2024** | **Clare Deanery** Stourhead The Revd Christ Giles, Sharon Brandon (Reader)  | Church Primary Schools in Clare Deanery: Cavendish and Thurlow | Kagera: The Revd Tuisenge Edson Manase, studying at Bunda; The Revd Repson Katto Kagya, studying in Kenya. |
| **Thurs 20 June 2024** | **Clare Deanery** Suffolk HeightsThe Revd Clive Fairclough, Barbara Hill (Reader), Lizzie Baker (Reader) | Chaplains to Army Cadets, Sea Cadets and Air Cadets | Kagera: The Revd Bariki Verediana Mihigo, Nkwenda Parish & The Revd Stephano Anthony Bihushwa, Mshikamano Parish |
| **Fri 21 June 2024** | **Clare Deanery**The Stour Valley The Revd Mark Woodrow, The Revd Dr Karen Smith  | Suffolk Day celebrations happening in the Diocese  | Kagera: The Revd Josias Buneye, Coordinator of Bible Knowledge in Schools and Youth Leader |
| **Sat 22 June 2024** | **Colneys Deanery** Felixstowe Christ ChurchThe Revd Liz Livey, The Revd Peter Livey  | Pray for visitors to the Diocese from Kagera, for Bishop Darlington and his wife Penina, and Thomas Shavu | Kagera: Shemasi Deo Phillemon, Parish Pastor for Muruvyagila; Lweru: The Revd Ezdert Gozibert, pastor of Bumbile parish |
| **Sun 23 June 2024** | **Colneys Deanery** Felixstowe St John the Baptist with St EdmundThe Revd Canon Andrew Dotchin, The Revd Penny Brinkley | Modern Day Slavery, victims of sex trade, crime, labour exploitation and domestic servitude | Pray for those who have affected by the terrible floods in Kenya. Pray for people who have lost loved ones, for families who have been displaced from their homes, and for all those who have suffered the loss of their livelihoods. |
| **Mon 24 June 2024** | Colneys DeaneryFelixstowe St Peter & St Paul with St Andrew & St NicholasThe Revd Chris Hood, The Revd David White | IT Industry | Kagera: The Revd Fr. Phocas Nshimiyimana, Tutor at KCTC, Murgwanza: Lweru: The Revd Eradius Thadeo, pastor of Izigo parish |
| **Tues 25 June 2024**  | Colneys DeaneryKesgrave with Little Bealings and PlayfordThe Revd Gary Jones, Martyn Shakespeare (Reader) | Clergy Retirement Officer (The Revd Dr Simon Hill) and Clergy Widow/Widower Officer (The Revd Canon Alan Forsdike and The Revd Catherine Forsdike) | Kagera: The Revd John Ruzabila, Rural Dean of Murugalama; Lweru: The Revd Tyson Rugumisa, pastor of Kagogo parish. |
| **Wed 26** **June 2024** | Colneys DeaneryMartlesham with BrightwellThe Revd Toby Tate, The Revd Christine Pinder, Cathy Bourner (Lay Evangelist), Carolyn Smith (Reader), Marga Gibbs-Van Dijk (Reader) | Unemployed and Jobseekers | Kagera: Pray for all diocesan staff, including secretaries, accountants, administrators, cooks, cleaners, night guards, drivers, who support the priests. |
| **Thurs 27 June 2024** | Colneys DeaneryThe Orwell and Deben Rural BeneficeThe Revd Nick Williams | Chaplains to Uniformed Organisations for Young People  | Biharamulo: The Revd Erasto Rushongo, pastor of Buseresere Parish; Lweru: The Revd Mtechura Kambona, pastor of Mubunda parish. |
| **Fri 28 June 2024** | Colneys DeaneryWalton and TrimleyThe Revd Wendy Smith, The Revd Linda Pepper | Church School in Colneys Deanery: Nacton Primary School | Kagera : The Revd Celestin Yusuph Sunzu (Archdeacon) Rural Dean of Kabanga; Lweru: The Revd Osawrd Bututu, pastor of Kilamba parish |
| **Sat 29 June 2024** | Gipping Valley DeaneryBramford with Little Blakenham, Baylham and NettlesteadThe Revd Eric Falla | Ordinations: Deacons at 11am and Priests at 2.30 in the Cathedral | Biharamulo: The Revd Cosmas Bonifas, Pastor of Maweni Parish; Lweru: The Revd Dawson Petro, pastor of Nkomero parish. |
| **Sun 30 June 2024** | Gipping Valley DeaneryNeedham Market with BadleyThe Revd Tracey James, Kate Holmes (Reader) | The Befriending Scheme. | Victims of Torture Day was on the 26th June. Pray for those who are victims of torture. Pray for an end to torture across the world and for the work of organisations such as ‘Freedom from Torture’. |