**Prayer Diary September 2021**

*We will turn this responsibility over to them and will give our attention to prayer and ministry of the word. Acts 6:4*

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

For details of the Anglian Communion please visit [here](http://www.anglicancommunion.org/resources/cycle-of-prayer/download-the-acp.aspx).

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 Sept 2021** | Hadleigh DeaneryElmsett with Aldham, Hintlesham, Chattisham and Kersey: The Revd Jackson Crompton-Battersby, The Revd Adrian Waller | New term at schools and colleges, for students and staff | Pray for Afghanistan: ‘For those who are fleeing: sanctuary. For those who are staying: safety. For those who are fighting: peace. For those whose hearts are breaking: comfort. For those who see no future: hope.’ |
| **Thurs** **2 Sept 2021**  | Hadleigh DeaneryHadleigh, Layham and Shelley: The Very Revd Jo Delfgou | For Ordinands and Licensed Lay Ministers beginning training this year | Biharamulo: The Revd Simon Karukubila, Nyantimba Parish |
| **Fri** **3 Sept 2021** | Hadleigh DeaneryHigham, Holton St Mary, Raydon and Stratford St Mary: The Revd Manette Crossman, The Revd Nicola Tindall, The Revd Martyn Carr | Alcoholics Anonymous Groups across the county | Kagera: The Revd Jothamu Rulayi: Rural Dean of Murukulazo Deanery |
| **Sat** **4 Sept****2021** | Hadleigh DeaneryThe Benefice of Stoke by Nayland with Leavenheath and Polstead and Nayland with Wissington: vacant  | Church Primary Schools in Hadleigh Deanery: Elmsett; St Mary’s, Hadleigh; Hintlesham and Chattisham; Kersey; and Whatfield | Pray for those who have lost loved ones and their homes as a result of the earthquake in Haiti. Pray for the NGOs working there. |
| **Sun** **5 Sept 2021** | Hartismere and Hoxne DeaneryAthelington, Denham, Horham, Hoxne, Redlingfield, Syleham and Wingfield: The Revd John McCracken, The Revd Eleanor Goodison | St Elizabeth Hospice in Ipswich | Kagera: The Revd Canon Amon Nzikobankunda, Sub-Dean Cathedral Murgwanza |
| **Mon** **6 Sept 2021** | Hartismere and Hoxne DeaneryEye: The Revd Dr Guy Sumpter | Lay Ministers in the Diocesan Office and Lightwave: Kathy Wilson, Matt Levett, Ruth Dennigan, Debbie Nicholls | Pray for those who have lost everything in the fires that have devastated areas of USA, Greece, Turkey and Italy in the last month. Pray for the rescue services risking their lives fighting the fires |
| **Tues** **7 Sept 2021** | Hartismere and Hoxne DeaneryFour Rivers: The Revd David Burrell, The Revd David Mulrenan, The Revd Rebecca Artiss, The Revd Chrissie Smart | Youth Mental Health Day with the aim of helping young people stride forward with their mental health after Covid | Pray for an end to fighting in northern Nigeria. Pray for those forced to flee from Bok Haram and live in camps where cholera and other diseases spread quickly. Pray for all those who have lost children in the latest outbreak. |
| **Wed** **8 Sept 2021** | Hartismere and Hoxne DeaneryNorth Hartismere: The Revd Adrian Watkins | Chaplains to Colleges and Universities | Kagera: The Revd Pregmon L Luboha, Kibirizi Parish |
| **Thurs 9 Sept****2021** | Hartismere and Hoxne DeaneryRedgrave cum Botesdale with Rickinghall: The Revd Chris Norburn | Business and Finance Sector in Suffolk | Pray again for the situation in Afghanistan. Pray for those living in fear of the Taliban. Pray for the women and girls who have lost basic human rights. Pray that world powers will respond appropriately to bring about peace and the restoration of democracy in that country. |
| **Fri** **10 Sept 2021**  | Hartismere and Hoxne DeanerySancroft: The Revd Canon Susan Loxton, The Revd Gini Williams, The Revd Peter Schwier, The Revd Diane Ekins-Powell | Environment and care of God’s creation | Kagera: The Revd Daniel Buchendole, Mukarehe Parish |
| **Sat** **11 Sept****2021** | Hartismere and Hoxne DeanerySouth Hartismere: The Revd Canon Julia Lall, The Revd Lauren Moore | Lightwave Community’s Weekend Away and time for refreshment | Kagera: Pray for the continued roll out of the Covid vaccination program across Kagera and neighbouring states. Pray that everyone in the region will be able to access vaccinations. |
| **Sun** **12 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich All Hallows: The Revd Carol Mansell, The Revd Kiran Lotay | For all church groups aimed at children and young people as they begin a new term | Biharamulo: The Revd Amon Lukas Mahumbi, parish priest of Makurugusi and Method Albert, parish priest of Rusuno Parish |
| **Mon** **13 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryBridge Church: The Revd Andy Buttress | Lay Ministers in Gipping Valley Deanery (1): Frankie Wicks, Wendy Hooper, Helen Matter, Elaine Miller, Liz Stone, Kate Holmes, Henry Stanford, Judy Hailes, Mary Carter | Kagera: The Revd Robert Boaz, Parish Pastor Nakatunga |
|  **Tues****14 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St Augustine: The Revd Al Metcalfe | Chaplains to the Prisons in the diocese | Kagera: The Revd Anania Elias, Parish Pastor Nampigwe |
| **Wed 15 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St John the Baptist with St Andrew: The Revd Mark Prentice, The Revd Jag Bachu | Growing in God diocesan aims | Kagera: The Revd Deogratias Sebastian, Mubuhenge Parish |
| **Thurs 16 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St Margaret: The Revd Canon David Cutts | The IT industry in Suffolk | Kagera: The Revd Canon Ellis Ikambuza, Rural Dean Kyerwa Deanery  |
| **Fri****17 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St Mary-at-the-Elms: The Revd John Thackray | Church Primary Schools in Gipping Valley Deanery: Bramford; Creeting St Mary; Stonham Aspal; Trinity, Combs; Great Finborough; Crawford's, Haughley; and Old Newton  | Pray for those in South Sudan who have been hit by flooding during this rainy season. Flooding has damaged homes and agricultural fields, and forced families and their livestock to higher ground. Pray for provision and for protection against waterborne diseases. Pray for aid teams working there. |
| **Sat** **18 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St Mary le Tower: The Revd Tom Mumford to be licensed 04/10/2021 | Judicial System and Police  | Pray for the Young Christian Climate Network’s Rise to the Moment - a journey of prayer and action in the run up to COP26. Young people are walking from Cornwall to Glasgow, praying and campaigning along the way. Pray for the young people leading this movement campaigning for change that they will be courageous in speaking out and that their voices are heard |
| **Sun** **19 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St Mary Stoke: The Revd John Thackray (Interim Priest in Charge) | Service personnel serving overseas and their families | Kagera: The Revd Andrew Festo Kitungwa, Parish Pastor Karongo |
| **Mon** **20 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St Matthew with Triangle and All Saints: The Revd Canon Nick Atkins, The Revd Danny Morrison, The Revd Ruth Best, The Revd Lawrence Carey, The Revd Linda Pepper, The Revd Dimitri Theulings | Rural and Agricultural Chaplains | Pray for those in developing countries, like Ethiopia, who are struggling to feed their families because of the climate crisis |
| **Tues 21 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St Thomas: The Revd Rachel Revely, The Revd John Irwin, The Revd Cat Connolly | Lay Ministers in Gipping Valley Deanery (2): Heather Bunting, Tony Ingham, Alan Lancaster, Sheila Wright, Chris Farley, Rod Higham, Ray Taylor | Kagera: The Revd Nathanael Makaka, Parish Pastor Murutabo |
| **Wed 22 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St Bartholomew: The Revd Paul Carter | Parent and Toddler Groups | Pray for the more than 41 million people in 43 countries who are teetering on the brink of famine. The Covid-19 pandemic, violent conflict and the climate crisis have all increased global hunger. Pray for the aid agencies who are trying to help |
| **Thurs 23 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryLindbergh Road Community Church: The Revd Ian Daniels  | Manufacturing Industry | Kagera: The Revd Deusdedith Kabiriti, Parish Pastor Omurutoma |
| **Fri** **24 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryRiver Church: The Revd Amy Key, The Revd Matt Key | Chaplains to the British Legion | Pray for those who are modern day slaves in this country and across the world. Pray for those who work in sweat shops, in brothels, as domestic servants, as farm labourers and who have no choice but to work long hours in terrible conditions. |
| **Sat** **25 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryRushmere: The Revd Sue Foster, The Revd Marion Walker | Social Workers  | Biharamulo: Bishop Vithalis Yusuph |
|  **Sun**  **26 Sept 2021**  | Ipswich DeaneryIpswich St Francis: vacant | Church Primary Schools in Hoxne Deanery: Bedfield; Fressingfield; All Saints, Laxfield; Stradbroke; Wilby; and Worlingworth  | Kagera: Shemasi Samson Brighton Bagege, Rwabunuka Parish |
|  **Mon** **27 Sept 2021** | Ipswich DeaneryWhitton with Thurleston and Akenham: The Revd Mary Sokanovic, The Revd Maureen Bonsall | Rural Coffee Caravan and Meet up Mondays to combat loneliness and promote community | Kagera: Pray for the new pastors ordained this month that they will have the courage, the determination, the resources and the grace to serve their communities well. |
| **Tues** **28 Sept 2021** | Ixworth DeaneryBadwell and Walsham: The Revd Philip Merry | Sports Clubs and Gyms | Biharamulo: The Revd Erasto Jamhuri Rushongo, Bwengabo Parish  |
| **Wed** **29 Sept 2021** | Ixworth DeaneryBlackbourne Team: The Revd Dr Karen Burton, The Revd Lesley Norburn, The Revd Tony Redman | Suffolk Family Carers | Kagera: The Revd Eliakimu Gwassa Dawson, Parish Pastor Murongo Border |
| **Thurs 30 Sept 2021** | Ixworth DeaneryPakenham with Norton, Tostock, with Great Ashfield, Hunston and Stowlangtoft: The Revd Katherine Valentine, The Revd Jay Price | Tourism and Entertainment Industry | Kagera: The Revd Christian S Joachim, Parish Pastor Nyakatuntu |