



# **Diocesan Cycle of Prayer**

**2020**

The format of this Prayer Leaflet allows for either day by day prayer through the month or a complete cycle which can be used over a two month period using the Month A and Month B entries.

**Month A**

January

March

May

July

September

November

**Month B**

February

April

June

August

October

December

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## Day 1

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**St Mary's Cathedral:** John Conway and Susie Gibbs; Marion and Steve Chatterley; Andy and Jude Philip; Paul Foster; and for all involved in ministry there

*Local Concerns:* Encouraging the congregation in the development of the use of the Cathedral grounds and buildings to deepen prayer, enable mission and tackle financial deficits. The music staff, choir and all St Mary's Music School. The Cathedral's vocation in the Diocese to support the Bishop, other charges, and to engage with the City of Edinburgh

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**Cathedral Chapter:** John Conway, *Provost*; Frances Burberry, *Dean*; Ruth Innes, *Synod Clerk*; Anne Tomlinson, *Pantonian Professor*; Marion Chatterley, *Vice Provost*; Malcolm Round; Dean Fostekew;

**Honorary Canons:** Bill Brockie; David Rimmer; Alex Black; Michael Maudsley; John Richardson; Jane Millard; Timothy Morris; Michael Fuller; Douglas Kornahrens; Dave Richards; John Lindsay; Carrie Applegath; Paul Foster; Fred Tomlinson; Susan Macdonald; Graham Forbes; John McLuckie;

**Honorary Lay Canons:** David Palmer; Helen Hood; Paul Foster, Alistair Dinnie

**Dean Emeritus:** Jim Mein

## Day 2

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**St Mungo's, Balerno:** Malcolm and Sue Round; Ollie and Laura Clegg; and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* For a strategy for ongoing and effective evangelism, including "Alpha" Courses and invitation services and personal faith sharing. For integration and spiritual formation of new Christians. For the growing children's, young people's and family work. For continued co-operation with Balerno High School, where we meet for most of our services. For the Wellness Centre and its counseling service for the community. For our Schools of Ministry and Theology for our developing work in Wester Hailes.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**St Ninian's, Comely Bank:** Frances Burberry, David de Pomerai, Pat Treherne, and all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Pray for our outreach to the needs and opportunities of our local community, and for sharing our gifts with the many people and groups who use our hall and gardens. Pray for looking back with gratitude and forward in faith as we anticipate the centenary of the consecration of the church in December 2021.

**Fettes College:** Tony Clark

## Day 3

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**Mustard Seed Edinburgh:** Richard Cornfield - Pioneer Priest; Liz Jarvis - Administrator  
Please pray for us as we seek to join in and be part of the community around the Easter Road. Pray for our Soul Food Meal every Thursday evening and Soul Food Families every Saturday tea-time. Pray for the people we connect with who are coping with all the issues of what it means to be homeless. Pray for those who engage on our CAP courses. Pray also for our friendship with St Margaret's and look to develop our ministry together.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**St Margaret's, Easter Road:** Colin and Jennifer Reed and all involved in ministry there.  
*Local Concerns:* For witness in the local community and outreach to local community groups. For St Margaret's Parent and Toddler Groups.

## Day 4

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**St Mary's, Dalmahoy:** Christine Downey, Janet Dyer, The Ministry Leadership Team, Pastoral Visiting Team and those involved in other ministries; Janet and Adrian Dyer; the 'Dalmations' group; our ministry with young people; and for us all in our ministries within the community and family life.

*Local Concerns:* the ministry to wedding couples and visitors; visitors to the city and the Lothians; developing relations with local churches and opportunities for us all with expansion around Ratho, East Calder and Kirknewton.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**St Paul's and St George's, York Place:** David Richards; Libby Talbot; Paul Sawrey; and all who are involved in ministry from here.

*Local concerns:* Saturday Meal – a meal / community for over 100 people who are homeless, run every Saturday evening; Babies and Toddlers groups on Thursdays; Alpha, Marriage Preparation, Marriage, Parenting, Freedom in Christ and Bible Lab courses being run during the year; our strategy of whole life discipleship, social transformation and deepening influence, together with our hopes of future church planting.

## Day 5

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**St Vincent's Chapel, St Vincent Street:** Allan Maclean, Michael Hull, William Mounsey and all others involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Raising awareness of the building and congregation among the people of the New Town and Stockbridge, with blessings on the many community groups who use the premises.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**St Martin of Tours, Tynecastle:** Sarah Kilbey, Stuart Robertson and Ken Webb, the Vestry and for all involved in ministries there.

*Local Concerns:* Pray for St Martin's congregation in its discipleship, its discernment of God's mission in the local community, the strengthening of relationships through the use of its building, and for a deepening of ecumenical links.

## Day 6

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**St Mary's, Grangemouth, and St Catharine's, Bo'ness:** Willie & Sarah Shaw, Isabel Dowlen, and Susan Ward.

*Local concerns:* A growing understanding of what mission means and how God wants us to serve our communities better - also for existing projects we are involved in: Grangemouth Community Care, Hope Street in Bo'ness. Continued opportunities for local churches to work together for Christ. For Messy Church, contacts with schools, and our own young people - that this ministry will be fruitful. For our fellowship as individual charges and as a linked charge.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**Christ Church, Falkirk:** Sarah & Willie Shaw; Ann Smith (retired); and for the lay ministry team.

*Local Concerns:* A growing understanding of discipleship and a recognition of how God is calling us to serve our communities. Please pray for new opportunities and also the existing projects we support. At St Mary's: Grangemouth Community Care, Messy Church, the summer holiday club, CoG (Churches of Grangemouth), & Kersiebank Foodbank; at St Catharine's: Hope Street, our Cookery Classes, the Storehouse Foodbank, and Bo'ness Churches Together. Our chaplaincies at Grangemouth High School, Carrongrange School, and for openness to further ministry in other schools. For our fellowship as individual charges and as linked charges.

## Day 7

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**The Diocesan Office:** Frances Burberry, *Dean of Edinburgh*; Dean Fostekew, *Bishop's Chaplain*; Anna Poole QC, *Diocesan Chancellor*; Pippa Snell, *Diocesan Registrar*; Godfrey Robson, *Diocesan Secretary*; Simon Filsell, *Diocesan Administrator*; Sam Campbell, *Bishop's P.A.*; David Lewis, *Administrative Assistant*; Claire Benton-Evans, *Youth & Children Officer*; James Parsons, *Communications Co-ordinator*;

**The General Synod Office:** The Secretary General; All who serve on Committees and Boards; All members of the General Synod.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**St Columba's, Bathgate:** Christine Barclay; Peter and Markie Woodifield; Douglas and Pat Cameron and all involved in ministry there.

*Local concerns:* Building on our ministry of welcome and hospitality; care for and developing our outreach and service to our local community. For continuing our choral tradition. For an expanding of our ministry to youth and children. For our nurturing of spiritual growth and fellowship for our ecumenical relationships within our community. For those who engage with us through Social Media.

**St Peter's, Linlithgow:** Christine Barclay, Peter and Markie Woodifield, Jim and Helen Mein, Tim and Christine Tunley and all involved in ministry there.

*Local concerns:* For the sharing of our new facilities and God's love within our local community. For the nurturing of spiritual growth and fellowship within our church family, including our youth and children, and for our ecumenical relationships within Linlithgow.

## Day 8

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**St David of Scotland, Pilton:** Andrew Bain and all our supporting clergy; for the vestry and congregation. *Local Concerns:* Our work with outreach and evangelism and co-operation with other local churches; growing the congregation spiritually and numerically

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**St Salvador's, Stenhouse:** Andrew Bain, Mariusz Wojciechowski, Jenny Floether, Ross Jesmont, Amanda Wright, our Vestry and for all who contribute to the ministry.

*Local Concerns:* Pray for our small but committed congregation; for our Messy Church partnership with Stenhouse Baptist Church; the developing Godly Play sessions with the children and for the ongoing work of the Community Food Initiative.

## Day 9

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### Month A and B

#### **Bishop John**

**St Mary and All Souls, Coldstream;** Chris & Pauline Jones; Priest-in-Charge, Linked Charge of Berwickshire churches.

*Ministry planning team:* Stephen Westall; Rae Cryer; Alison Tams.

*For the church:* Our ongoing health and growth, our sister churches in the Berwickshire team; our developing relationships with Revd D Taverner and the Coldstream Churches Together; for our International Link with Thomas Thomson Church in Ghana and for our friends in Almaden, California.

*For our community:* for our neighbouring houses; all our sick and housebound; for all in our School, Health Centre and Care Homes.

**St Ebba's, Eyemouth:** Chris and Pauline Jones, Priest-in-Charge, Linked Charge of Berwickshire Churches.

*Ministry Team:* Richard Oldale, Frankie Taylor, Joan Thomas.

*For the church:* That we might know God's vision as we seek to look outward to serving our community; for our sister churches in the Berwickshire team; for our developing relationships with the other churches in Eyemouth.

*For our community:* for the work of Berwickshire Christian Youth Trust, the Food-Bank and for the Royal National Mission to Deep Sea Fishermen.

**Christ Church, Duns:** Revd Chris and Pauline Jones, Priest-in-Charge, Linked Charge of Berwickshire Churches.

*For the church:* as we seek to develop the worship and ministry of the church; for our sister churches in the Berwickshire group; for our developing relationships with Revd Andrew Robertson and the Churches together in Duns.

*For our community:* for our ministry and outreach; our pastoral care; that we might, through our mission and ministry, make a difference.

## Day 10

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### Month A

#### **Bishop John**

**Church of the Good Shepherd, Murrayfield:** Dean Fostekew and William Mounsey and for all involved in ministry there including Caroline Longley (Lay Reader) and Carol Wands (Lay Chaplain at Murrayfield House); Jane Shurmer (Lay visitor) and the Vestry.

*Local Concerns:* The continual development and discernment of the call to mission and ministry of the congregation; for the Ecumenical Partnership of Murrayfield Churches Together (Saughtonhall United Reformed Church and Murrayfield Parish Church) especially for the Murrayfield Club (Dementia Support Club) and Ecludare (a self-help charity in Kenya for families living with HIV and AIDS) and for the developing work with children through Messy Church.

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**Holy Trinity, Haddington:** Liz O' Ryan, John Richardson; John Lindsay; John Wood; Alex Black, Sari Salvesen; and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Giving thanks for our 250th Anniversary of our church building. Praying for our community and the relationships that will be built and strengthened during our celebrations.

## **Day 11**

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## **Month A**

### **Bishop John**

**St Barnabas', Moredun:** David and Margaret Dixon; Alice Anderson; Michael Fuller; Deryck Collingwood and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Chaplaincy to Erskine Home and Gilmerton Care Home; Mission and Pastoral Work; Social Club; Ecumenical Developments in Ministry, Mission and Education; work in local Primary Schools; partnership with Bethany Christian Trust working in the local area; South East Edinburgh Churches Together (SEECAT).

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**St Mark's, Portobello:** Sophia Marriage and Jonathan Pryce, Jenny and Eckart Floether, and all involved with ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Pray for the nurturing of spiritual growth and fellowship in community and congregation, our concerns for our church building and our vision for our graveyard and open space.

## **Day 12**

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## **Month A**

### **Bishop John**

**St Columba's by the Castle:** David and Jenny Paton-Williams; Alison and Howard Wagstaff; Bob and Sheila Gould; and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* For our children and families; for our ecumenical partnership with Augustine United Church and Greyfriars Kirk; for our plans to open up the church to tourists and passers-by as a quiet space, and where they can reflect on Columba's story and their own journey; for the congregation as they decide on new objectives for our life the congregation as they decide on new objectives for life and mission.



## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**Old St Paul's, Jeffrey Street:** John McLuckie, Rector; Lay Readers; and all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* For all who live and work in the Old Town, and for the changes taking place there. For OSP's presence and service in this community. For discipleship formation for new and continuing Christians. For the Mar Thoma congregation.

## **Day 13**

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## **Month A**

### **Bishop John**

**St Mary's, Dalkeith and St Leonard's, Lasswade:** Peter and Fiona Harris; Liz and Mike Jones; Jennie Godfrey; Jacqui du Rocher (curate); Bill and Pat Elliot and for the Vestries and all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* We give thanks for the increased number of people coming to live in the area. We pray that we may find appropriate ways to engage with them and to raise the profile of the churches in these new communities. We pray also for the challenges of integration as many of the local services such as Doctor's Surgeries, Dentists, and Schools are running at full capacity. Please continue to pray for both congregations as we seek to work with other churches and the wider community in living out our Gospel mission of serving God through loving our neighbours.

**Healthlink 360 (formerly Care for Mission) at Carberry**

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**The Priory Church of St Mary of Mount Carmel, South Queensferry:** Terry and Jane Harkin; Iain MacRobert; and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Please pray for our growing Messy Church families, many of whom have no other church link; pray for our developing Community Partnership, which serves the disadvantaged in our local community; pray for the completion of our Garden Room Project, which will provide us with essential and improved facilities for our church and community ministry.

## **Day 14**

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## **Month A**

### **Bishop John**

**St Baldred's, North Berwick:** Simon and Kate Metzner; Mark and Harriet Harris; Michael and Rosemary Hill; Lorna Mortis; and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Building on recent community involvement and continuing use of the new halls and facilities.

**St Adrian's, Gullane:** Simon and Kate Metzner; Lorna Mortis; Michael and Rosemary Hill; and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local concerns:* Building on the existing skills and talents of the congregation to broaden and deepen our appeal.

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**Livingston Ecumenical Parish:** Stephanie Njeru; Ron Gregg, Darren Philip and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* For continuing ecumenical cooperation both within the parish and in the wider community through joint worship and chaplaincy work; for opportunities for mission through the work of our ministry team and the ongoing exploration of mission strategy; for developments in lay ministry.

### **All Churches Together groups in the Diocese**

### **Diocese's membership of the Porvoo Communion of Churches**

## **Day 15**

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## **Month A**

### **Bishop John**

**St Peter's, Lutton Place:** Nick and Becky Wills, Very Revd Jim Mein, Sue Whitehouse, Kristee Boyd and for all involved with ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Outreach to students and the local community, support for refugees, Fresh Start, Basics (Food) Bank and Newington Churches Together. Continuing renovation of our buildings.

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**Christ Church, Morningside:** Jenny Wright, Gordon Graham, Jane Green, Imre Katay-Fodor; Staff: Alex Barrett [Families' Networker], Michael Green [Director of Music], Dorothea Nelson [Church Manager], Elizabeth Pearson [Pastoral Co-ordinator] and George Scott [Verger]; the Vestry

*Local Concerns:* The Eric Liddell Centre, our outreach to and within the local community

## **Day 16**

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## **Month A**

### **Bishop John**

**St Anne's, Dunbar:** Diana Hall, Liz Gordon, all involved in ministry there and in our ecumenical partnership with Forth Valley Methodist circuit.

*Local concerns:* For continued growth and deepening of discipleship; for strengthened relationships with agencies across the community; and for development of evangelism, service and witness in the town & surrounding area.

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**St Peter's, Musselburgh;** Lorna Mortis (Interim Pastor); Nicola Hudson (Vestry chair); the Vestry; Malcolm Cunningham (Vacancy Committee chair); and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local concerns:* For the youth & children's work; for the links with other churches through Churches Together; for the start of a new initiative Make Lunch with Pinkie St. Peters School and St. Andrews High CofS church.

**Loretto School and new Chaplain, Rev. Phil Parker**

## **Day 17**

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### **Month A**

#### **Bishop John**

**St John's, Princes Street:** Markus Dünzkofer; Rosie Addis; Kenneth Boyd; Eileen Thompson; Clephane Hume; Becki Cansdale (Mixed Mode Student), Iain Herbert (Operations Manager); and all staff and those involved in Ministry, Mission & Governance.

*Local Concerns:* Cornerstone Development Ltd. & Terrace Users (Cornerstone Café, Cornerstone Bookshop, Alex Bakes, One World Shop), Edinburgh City Centre Churches Together, living into God's mission as Christian presence in Edinburgh's city centre.

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

Pray for our link Dioceses around the world

Diocese of Dunedin, New Zealand

Diocese of Cape Coast, Ghana

Diocese of Espoo, Finland within the Porvoo Communion

Pray for Mission Partners serving around the world.

For ecumenical relations with other churches through: Scottish Churches House; Action of Churches Together in Scotland (ACTS); Churches Together in Britain and Ireland (CTBI); World Council of Churches (WCC).

## Day 18

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### Month A and B

#### Bishop John

**St Peter's, Galashiels:** Simon Cake, *Area Priest-in-charge and Lead Evangelist*; Tim Hatton, *Pioneer Evangelist*. The Vestry and the Ministry Leadership Team working with Simon and the other churches to establish the A7 Centre for Mission. For all involved in ministry.

*Local Concerns:* For the church's contact with The Boys' Brigade, ATC and St Peter's Primary School. For the outreach to children/families through the Sunday Squad (children's ministry) and Messy Church days. That the community continues to see our building as a friendly place to come. For new opportunities through the partnership with the Church Army and relationships with other churches in the town.

**St Cuthbert's, Hawick:** Simon Cake, *Area Priest-in-charge and Lead Evangelist*; The Vestry and the Shared Leadership Team working with Simon and the other churches to establish the A7 Centre for Mission. For all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* The continuing work of the Vestry in developing Collaborative Ministry for our future. The Ministry of the Pastoral Visiting Team and our work with the housebound through Communion and Chat. Strengthening links with the wider community through new local housing, school, industry, local festivals, and other churches.

#### Borders Area Council

#### Whitchester Retreat Centre

#### Church Army

**St John's, Selkirk:** Simon Cake, *Area Priest-in-charge and Lead Evangelist*; The Vestry and the Shared Leadership Team working with Simon and the other churches to establish the A7 Centre for Mission. The work and members of the Ministry Leadership Team: Bernard and Christine Hill; Marnet Hargreave; Margaret Moyes; David and Heather Sceats; Chris Sharpe. All involved in the collaborative ministry and mission of the congregation.

*Local Concerns:* The ministry of the Prayer Circle, the Funeral and Bereavement Team, the Healing Ministry Team. The social groups and the pastoral support of those with particular needs. The adult theological study course, 'Travelling On'. That members of St John's will be effective disciples of Jesus Christ in their everyday lives.

## Day 19

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**St Michael and All Saints:** Martin and Alison Robson; John and Rachel Penman, The Vestry, Choir, Servers and Children's Church and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Work on Welcome Course and inclusivity.

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**St Andrew's, Kelso;** Bob and Pat King; Grace and Keith Redpath; Ursula Shone; Ian Clark (retired); Alan and Pam Hall (Reader Emeritus); and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local concerns;* That we may see our increase in numbers continue. For the new outreach projects and development to young and old in Kelso and for the courage to grasp the opportunities that are presenting themselves daily.

## **Day 20**

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## **Month A**

### **Bishop John**

**St Cuthbert's, Colinton:** Nicki and Iain McNelly and for all involved in ministry here.

*Local Concerns:* Development of work with children. Creative ministry to older people and to people with dementia. Please pray for us – for imagination, as we hope to grow in faith and love and continue to contribute to the life in this area and to manage change creatively.

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**St. Fillan's Buckstone:** Ruth Innes; Anthea Griggs (Retired).

*Local Concerns:* for our pastoral team; for all the community groups who use our buildings; for our continued support to St Catharine's Convent and their work with homeless people; for skills in developing our ministry to the elderly, frail and housebound members.

## **Day 21**

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## **Month A**

### **Bishop John**

**St James', Penicuik:** Nick Bowry; Neville and Tilly Suttle; and for all involved in endeavouring to maintain our life of worship, prayer and care. Help us to trust that God has His plan for us and it will be for good.

*Local concerns;* To strengthen our involvement with the local community by encouraging use of our building, by working with the other churches, and through links to schools in Penicuik. To live our faith through our daily life and to be ever alert to the needs of others.

## **Month B**

### **Bishop John**

**St Mungo's, West Linton:** Nick Bowry; Neville and Tilly Suttle;

*Local Concerns:* A successful outcome to our search for a new Rector. The West Linton Churches Bethany Care Van Team.

## Day 22

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**Collegiate Church of St Matthew, Roslin, (Rosslyn Chapel):** Joe and Jacqui Roulston; Isla Shanks (Lay Reader); Harry Stoddart (Lay Reader); and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Ministry of welcome and prayer to visitors. Restoration of the Chapel and renewal of the worshipping community. Ministry to younger parents and their children. The management and staff of the Visitor Centre.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**Hermitage of the Transfiguration in Roslin and Loanhead:** John Halsey.

*Local Concerns:* The Divine Office. The Ministry of prayer. The unity of God's people. The homeless. Local concern for the mentally and physically handicapped. Community at L'Arche.

## Day 23

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**Emmaus Community of St Benedict:** Janet Matthews, Andrew Bowyer. Our extended family of the Emmaus Community of St Benedict. For our living of the Rule in our daily lives. The ministry of hospitality and prayer at the heart of the city; All who offer and receive spiritual direction and other forms of support at the house.

### Month B

#### Bishop John and Clare

**For leadership within our Province.**

#### For the College of Bishops:

Mark, Primus & Bishop of Moray, Ross and Caithness; Anne, Bishop of Aberdeen & Orkney; Kevin, Bishop of Argyll & the Isles; Andrew, Bishop of Brechin; Ian; Bishop of St Andrew's, Dunkeld and Dunblane

**Retired Bishops:** +Douglas and Pat Cameron; +Bruce and Elaine Cameron; +John Crook; +Frederick Darwent; +Lawrence Luscombe; +John Taylor; +Idris and Alison Jones; +Richard and Jean Holloway; +Bob Halliday; +Brian and Lissa Smith; +Robert and Lily Gillies; +David and Alison Chillingworth; +Gregor Duncan;

**For the Anglican Communion, the Anglican Consultative Council and Primates' Meetings.**

## Day 24

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**Holy Cross, Davidson's Mains:** Stephen and Izzy Holmes; and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Pray for our congregation as we develop plans for the future; for growth and for mission in our local community; for the groups using our hall and for the Syrian Orthodox community who share our church.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**St Andrew's, Innerleithen and St Peter's, Peebles:** Revd Andrew Taylor-Cook, Colin and Maureen Chaplin, worship leaders and visiting ministers; and for the ministry of the congregations there.

*Local Concerns:* Our services and worship; our fellowship and fundraising;

## Day 25

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**St Philip's and St James', Inverleith and Logie Green Road:** Paul Stollard, Lay Reader, the Vestry and congregation at this time of interregnum, as we seek God's plan for our future.

*Local concerns:* For wisdom in our decision making; ongoing and increased collaboration with the other churches in the Goldenacre and Trinity Council, and with our neighbouring Episcopal churches, especially St David's; strengthening of links with the Romanian Orthodox Church and The Bridge Family Church worshipping at St Philip's; ways to make St James' more visible to the local community; the 'Knit and Natter' Group.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**St John's, Jedburgh:** Andrew Cooper; the congregation and community of St John's and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Mission and pastoral care in the community. Development of study groups and quiet days to encourage spiritual growth. Developing links with young people and their families in the town.

## Day 26

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**Pray for the work of our Area Councils:** Borders; Edinburgh East; Edinburgh Forth; Edinburgh South; Edinburgh South West; Mid & East Lothian; West Forth.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**Scottish Episcopal Institute:** Anne Tomlinson, Principal of the SEI; Richard Tiplady, Director of Studies; Linda Harrison, Administrator; Students across the Province.

**Provincial Director of Ordinands:** Ian Barcroft

**Warden of Lay Readers:** Janet McKinnell

## Day 27

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**St James', Leith:** Stephen Butler, and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* Outreach among families and young people. Development of creative liturgy and worship space. Deepening of community life. Co-operation with other local churches. Partnership with Leith School of Art. Hospitality to local communities, esp. through the arts. Projects led by members: Soul Marks Trust, Fischy Music, Greener Leith.

Projects we support: L'Arche, Bethany Trust Care Shelter, Cyrenians, Leith Churches Together supporting the Port Chaplaincy, Leith Primary Arts project, Mercy Corps, Tear Fund.

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**Holy Trinity, Melrose:** Philip and Kate Blackledge; Margaret and Richard Pedersen; Dennis Wood; Isobel and Sandy Ryrie; Mary and Dick Edwards; and for all involved in ministry there.

*Local Concerns:* for the Mission and Growth of the church, particularly the work with young people and new styles of worship. For renewed engagement with the local community and ecumenical work, and for the foodbank. Fairtrade within the town, The Borders General Hospital, and community groups who use our buildings.



## Day 28

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**Faith in Older People, FiOP;** Maureen O'Neill, Mary Wilkinson.

**The Pastoral Group;** Bill and Pat Elliot, Marion Goldsmith.

### Month B

**Work Place Chaplains:** Judith Wilkinson, Fort Kinnaird; Reuben Addis, Cameron Toll; Anne Gray, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service, Andrew Gregg, City Centre.

**Theatre Chaplains** David Todd

**Cursillo**

**Air Training Corps Chaplains**

## Day 29

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

Bishop John, *Diocesan Standing Committee Convener*; Sophia Marriage, *Mission & Ministry Committee Convener*; Godfrey Robson, *Finance & Management Committee Convener*; Alex Stewart, *Buildings Committee Convener*; Patricia Peattie, *Personnel Committee Convener*; Tim Tunley, *International Committee Convener*;

### Month B

#### Bishop John

**Special Intentions:** All who serve on Diocesan Committees.

**Mission and Ministry Committee Convener,** *Sophia Marriage*

**International Committee Convener,** *Tim Tunley*

**Youth and Children** *Claire Benton-Evans*

#### **Pray for those who work with the Ministry Development Service:**

David Paton-Williams; Alison Peden, *Provincial Director of Ordinands*; Marion Chatterley and Richard Cornfield, *Diocesan Director of Ordinands*; Janet McKinnell, *Warden of Lay Readers*

## Day 30

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### Month A

#### Bishop John

**Social Responsibility in the Diocese.**

Pray for all who work and minister to those who are affected by Homelessness, Urban and Rural Poverty, Refugees and Asylum Seekers

Pray for all who work and minister to those are affected by HIV/AIDS, Marion Chatterley. Alzheimer's/Dementia and Mental Health issues.  
Faith in Older People Project

**Month B**

**Bishop John**

All clergy with Commissions, Warrants and Permission to Officiate in the Diocese; Retired Clergy; Clergy widows; All retired and elderly people; for all those who care for and support them at home and all agencies concerned with their well-being.

**Day 31**

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**Month A**

**Bishop John**

**For all who work in healthcare occupations**

Duncan MacLaren, *NHS Lothian*; Timothy Njuguna, *Forth Valley NHS Trust*. Please pray for the generic ecumenical chaplaincy teams that serve most of our hospital trusts and for our chaplains in hospitals, hospices and all places of healing.

**Month B**

**Bishop John**

**Educational Chaplaincies:** University of Edinburgh, Harriet Harris, Paul Foster; Frances Burberry; Heriot-Watt University, Malcolm Round;

**All School Chaplains** in primary and secondary schools.

**Youth Work and Sunday School workers**