

Tuesday 23rd July  
Bridget, abbess, 1373

**St Lawrence Carlton Miniott, St Leonard, Sandhutton, St Mary Thirsk, St Wilfrid, South Kilvington.**

Clergy: The Revd Derek Simpson (Rector), The Revd Mary Rolls (20-40's Minister), The Revd Jill Gillanders (Curate), The Revd David Biggs (Curate), The Revd Bob Sidgwick (Deacon), Reader: Pauline Sidgwick Retired Clergy: The Revd Robert Lewis, The Revd Robert Stapleton, The Revd Canon Ian Fox, The Revd Paul Rathbone, The Revd Canon Adrian Botwright, Churchwardens: Sue Armstrong, Margaret Hunton, Terry Cussons, Jean Wilkin, Pauline Sidgwick, Kevin O'Malley.

We give thanks for the two new services that have started in the last year, offering a more informal worship space. Also giving thanks for the arrival of Revd Mary Rolls and family and for the new ministry opportunities with the 20-40's. Pray for South Kilvington Church of England (VC) Primary School, for Alison Whittaker the Head and all the staff and children, also pray for Xplorers, a new Church after school club. Pray for us as we grow in our discipleship and love for Jesus. Finally please pray for more opportunities boldly to proclaim the Gospel in our town and villages.

**Diocese of Northwest Ankole (Uganda). Bishop Amos Magezi**

Wednesday 24th July

**South Otterington St Andrew, North Otterington St Michael & All Angels, Thornton Le Street, St Leonard**

Clergy: The Revd Robert Williamson, Reader: Tricia Richardson Retired Clergy: The Revd William Thackray, The Revd Peter Gregory, Churchwardens: Chris March and Ken Richardson Pray for our confirmation candidates who are being confirmed on 2 October by Bishop Paul at South Otterington. Also remember the work and liaison between the church and the school in South Otterington.

**Diocese of Northwest Texas (The Episcopal Church). Bishop Scott Mayer**

Thursday 25th July  
James the Apostle

**Holy Rood House**

The Revd Elizabeth Baxter

We are grateful for the prayers of the Diocese as we continue to provide therapeutic and spiritual support for laity and clergy. Following our 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, we ask for a prayerful and practical response to our Appeal to purchase Holy Rood House and Gardens and flourish into the future.

**Diocese of Northwestern Pennsylvania (The Episcopal Church). Bishop Sean Rowe**

Friday 26th July  
Anne and Joachim,  
parents of the Blessed  
Virgin Mary

**Queen Marys School, Baldersby**

Please pray for the ten girls who were confirmed on May 18<sup>th</sup>, for the new chaplain (to be appointed) who will hopefully commence ministry in September and that the school community will continue to heed the call to follow Christ.

**Diocese of Norwich (England). Bishop elect: Graham Usher**

Saturday 27th July  
Brooke Foss Westcott,  
bishop, teacher of the  
faith, 1901

**Archdeacon of Cleveland**

The Venerable Sam Rushton

Pray for the Archdeacon of Cleveland and her PA, Lesley McLaren, for wisdom, compassion and joy as they serve the church in the north of the Diocese. Pray for all those committed to seeing God's kingdom grow and to working together for the sake of the Gospel.

**Diocese of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island (Canada). Archbishop Ronald Cutler**

Sunday 28th July  
6th Sunday after  
Trinity

**Archbishop of York's Evangelist—The Revd Canon Roger Simpson**

Please give thanks for the ministry of the Revd Canon Roger Simpson in all his work as the Archbishop of York's Evangelist. Give thanks for all those who have become Christians over the last year, and pray for all that Roger continues to do.

**Pray for the Scottish Episcopal Church. Archbishop Mark Strange**

Monday 29th July  
Mary, Martha and  
Lazarus, companions  
of Our Lord

**ATC Chaplains across the Diocese**

The Air Training Corps (ATC), a voluntary organisation for girls and boys aged 12+ to 18, promotes a practical interest in aviation. Pray for clergy and authorised lay ministers involved and also those considering the challenge and opportunity of Chaplaincy.

**Diocese of Nsukka (Nigeria). Bishop Aloysius Agbo**

Tuesday 30th July  
William Wilberforce,  
social reformer,  
Olaudah Equiano and  
Thomas Clarkson, anti-  
slavery campaigners,  
1833, 1797 and 1846

**Diocese of Southwell and Nottingham**

The Rt Revd Paul Williams

We give thanks for those whom God is calling to serve and lead in our diocese; for The Revd Canon Phil Williams, the new Archdeacon of Nottingham. Also for our new Director of Ordinands, the Revd Craig Hunt, and the 18 deacons and priests to be ordained in this diocese over Petertide.

**Diocese of Nyahururu (Kenya). Bishop Stephen Kabora**

Wednesday 31st July  
Ignatius of Loyola,  
founder of the Society  
of Jesus, 1556

**Southwell Minster**

Dean: The Very Reverend Nicola Sullivan

Prayer for the Minster's preparations for the oneLIFE Mission 12-15 September that it may bear fruit in growing the Kingdom of God.

**Diocese of Nzara (South Sudan). Bishop Samuel Enosa**



# Diocese of York Prayer Diary - July 2019

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Monday 1st  
July  
Henry, John  
and Henry  
Venn, priests  
1797, 1813,  
1873

**New Deacons in the Diocese**

We give thanks for all those who were ordained deacon yesterday in the diocese. We thank God for each one of them and as they begin this new chapter of their ministry, may they daily rely on the strength of God the Father, the love of Jesus Christ his Son and the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

**Diocese of North East India (North India). Bishop Michael Herenz**

Tuesday 2nd  
July

**York Minster**

Dean: The Right Revd Jonathan Frost, Precentor: The Revd Canon Peter Moger, Chancellor: The Revd Canon Dr Christopher Collingwood, Pastor: The Revd Canon Michael Smith, Succentor: The Revd Catriona Cumming, Curate: The Revd Abi Davison, Chapter Steward: Ms Kathryn Blacker.

Please give thanks for the commitment and dedication of our staff and volunteers. Please pray for Peter Moger as he prepares to move on in the Autumn: for wisdom in the appointment of his successor; for all who will visit the Minster over the summer, for effective engagement with God's love for them in Christ; for our summer visiting choirs, as they contribute to our worship over the coming months.

**Diocese of North Eastern Caribbean and Aruba (West Indies). Bishop L. Errol Brooks**

Wednesday  
3rd July  
Thomas the  
Apostle

**Selby Deanery**

Area Dean: The Revd Canon Chris Wilton

Please pray for the Deanery Leadership Team as they seek to establish a vision for the deanery.

For Becky Allright in her pioneer ministry and for The Reverend Rob Suekarran as he takes up his post 20 to 40's minister in the Parish of Brayton. Please also pray for the parishes of Monk Fryston and South Milford as they await the arrival of their new Rector.

**Diocese of North Karmoja (Uganda). Bishop James Nasak**

Thursday 4th  
July

**St Ricarius, Aberford, St Mary, Micklefield, All Saints Saxton with Holy Trinity Barkston Ash and All Saints Sherburn in Elmet**

Clergy: The Revd Canon Chris Wilton,

Please pray for the Ministry Team; Chris Wilton, Nick Plant and Wendy Plant as she establishes her diaconal ministry. For readers Norman Sutcliffe and John Taylor. Also, pray for the Parishes as they seek to establish a way forward with working with children and young people and for those reaching out to the lonely and the bereaved.

**Diocese of North Kigezi (Uganda). Bishop Benon Magezi**

Friday 5th  
July

**St Mary, Carlton, St Peter and St Paul, Drax**

Clergy: The Revd Anna Burr, The Revd Becky Allright, Retired Priests: The Revd George Greenhough, The Revd Canon Cyril Roberts, Reader: Prof Alister Burr, Churchwardens: Susan Watson

Thank God for new opportunities arising from Becky's growing contacts in the villages we serve. We are especially thankful for the new Youth Club in Drax, the Carers and Toddler Group in Camblesforth and the new All Age Service in Carlton. Please pray that those we meet will encounter the love of God and grow in faith.

**Diocese North Mbale (Uganda). Bishop Samuel Gidudu**

Saturday 6th  
July  
Thomas  
More, scholar,  
and John  
Fisher,  
bishop,  
martyrs, 1535

**St Wilfrid, Brayton, St Francis of Assissi, Thorpe Willoughby**

Clergy: The Revd Pete Watson, Rev Christine Gillespie, Reader: Jackie Jackman. Retired Priests: The Revd Roy Shaw, The Revd Rodger Place, Churchwardens: Claire Hodgson and Iain Nutt, Church Schools: Brayton Primary and Barlow Primary

The arrival of Rev Rob Suekarran as 20s-40s minister, with Hannah and baby Reuben. Alive@5: new monthly Sunday tea time family worship: Cake, Craft, Community- small beginnings... A20: fortnightly mid-week Bible study and fellowship for teens 15 year old +. Brayton Beer & Banter: monthly chill time for younger men at local pub.

**Diocese of North Queensland (Australia). Bishop Keith Joseph**

Sunday 7th  
July  
3rd Sunday  
after Trinity

**All Saints, Cawood with All Saints Ryther and All Saints, Wistow**

Clergy: The Revd Terry Dyer

Please pray for us as we seek to make God known to those around us.

**Pray for the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea**

Monday  
8th July

**St James, Fairburn with All Saints, Ledsham, and Ledston Luck Mission Church**

Clergy: The Revd Andrew Robinson, Retired Priest: The Revd Sue Clarke, Churchwardens: Audrey Taylor and Julie Fenwick.

Please pray for the small number of committed people running three places of worship and the challenges that brings. Give thanks that Sue has recently joined us, and this has enabled us to set up a parent and toddler group at Fairburn church hall, St James' Little Angels. Also please give and thanks and pray for four adults recently confirmed and one adult received into the Anglican Communion.

**Diocese of North West Australia (Australia). Bishop Gary Nelson**

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| Tuesday 9th July                                                                                     | <p><b>St Mary, Birkin with St John the Baptist, Haddlesey with St John the Baptist, Temple Hirst and St Mary, Hambleton</b></p> <p>Clergy: The Revd Anna Burr, Readers: Jany's Cliffe, Prof Alister Burr, Churchwardens: David Cliff, Debbie Penny, Christine Harvey and Philip Brunyard.</p> <p>Please pray for us as we begin the "Talking Jesus" course in Hambleton and invite others to join us. Pray that we will be encouraged to be more confident and open about our faith with our communities and that others will be drawn to seek faith in Jesus. Thank God for the many opportunities we have to work in schools with children and staff and please pray for our schools as they consider working more closely together to create better learning opportunities for the children.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Argentina (South America). Bishop Nicholas Drayson</b></p> |
| Wednesday 10th July                                                                                  | <p><b>St Wilfrid of Ripon, Monk Fryston with St Mary, South Milford</b></p> <p>Clergy: Vacancy, Reader: Margaret Barr, Trainee Reader: Alex Crickmar, Churchwardens: David Sample, Arthur Mone, Paddy Twiddale, Stuart Wroe, Jane Wright.</p> <p>We give thanks that we are able to keep our pattern of services during the vacancy and our Open the Book team continue to regularly visit the 3 schools. Please pray for us and that a new Rector will soon be with us.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern California (The Episcopal Church). Bishop Barry Beisner</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Thursday 11th July<br>Benedict, abbot, c.550                                                         | <p><b>Selby St James</b></p> <p>Clergy: The Revd Jason Reid, The Revd Diane Reid, Retired Clergy: The Revd Jill Cheverton, The Revd Derek Hadfield, Revd Simon Hunt, Readers: David Keel, Mark Foster, Church Army Evangelist: Captain Richard Cooke CA, Amy Hayes CA, Churchwarden: John Musgrave</p> <p>Pray for The Parish Visiting team, connecting with people living in the parish; our desire to continue growing in gifts of the Spirit; thanks for our Sunday morning kids' ministry <i>Kaboom!</i></p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Indiana (The Episcopal Church). Bishop Douglas Sparks</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Friday 12th July                                                                                     | <p><b>St Mary and St Germain, (Selby Abbey)</b></p> <p>Clergy: The Revd Canon John Weetman, The Revd Julie Watson, The Revd Jake Belder, The Revd Neil Woodhall, Retired Clergy: The Revd Roy Matthews, Churchwardens: Sue Tagert, Elaine Exley, Reader in Training: Karen Banks, Church School: Selby Abbey CE Primary Head Teacher: Mrs Jo Jennings.</p> <p>We give thanks for 950 years of Welcome, Worship and Witness at Selby Abbey and for the involvement of the town and district in helping us to celebrate our anniversary this year. Please pray that the extra services, activities and celebrations this year will not only raise the profile of the Abbey but also draw people to Christ.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Luzon (Philippines). Bishop Hilary Pasikan</b></p>                                                                                                |
| Saturday 13th July                                                                                   | <p><b>Wakefield Cathedral</b></p> <p>The Very Revd Simon Cowling</p> <p>Pray for our Sub-Dean, Tony Macpherson, and curate, Tim Stevens, as they prepare to move to new posts in the summer. Give thanks for the Cathedral's deepening links with our partners in the civic, cultural, commercial and educational sectors as we work together for the common good in times of economic and social challenge.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Kajiado (Kenya). Bishop Gadiel Lenini</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Sunday 14th July<br>4th Sunday after Trinity                                                         | <p><b>Retired Clergy in the Diocese</b></p> <p>Pray for the current Retirement Officers: The Revd Brian Harris, The Revd Ruth Newton and the Revd Canon Peter Bristow and give thanks for their pastoral care for the retired clergy, spouses and widow/ers. Prayers are specially requested at this time for the Retirement Officers as their role changes because of safeguarding requirements and GDPR. Pray for the Retired Clergy with thanks for their contribution to the life and worship in the Diocese.</p> <p><b>Pray for the Episcopal Church in the Philippines. Archbishop Joel Pachao</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Monday 15th July<br>Swithun, bishop, c.862<br>Bonaventure, friar, bishop, teacher of the faith, 1274 | <p><b>Mowbray Deanery</b></p> <p>Rural Dean: The Revd Fiona Mayer-Jones</p> <p>We pray for all those, lay and ordained in their various roles across the Deanery and for God's Spirit to guide us.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Malawi (Central Africa). Bishop Fanuel Magangani</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

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| Tuesday 16th July<br>Osmund, bishop, 1099                                                                           | <p><b>St Thomas, Brompton with All Saints Deighton, St Leonard Welbury, St Lawrence East Rounton and St Oswald West Rounton</b></p> <p>Clergy: The Revd Jonathan Cooper, Reader in Training: Margaret Cooper</p> <p>Please pray for the congregation at Brompton who are working towards a major re-ordering of the Church.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Mexico (Mexico). Bishop Francisco Moreno</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Wednesday 17th July                                                                                                 | <p><b>St. Peter, Osmotherley, St.Oswald, East Harlsey, All Saints, Ingleby Arncliffe.</b></p> <p>Clergy: The Revd Dianne Gamble, The Revd Bill Dewing, Churchwardens: Eileen Bellett, Dave Owst, Peter Cooper, Peter Gardner, Barbara Poole</p> <p>Please pray for the clergy and church officers in the benefice and all those who help to keep the churches open and running. Pray for us as we discern the best way forward for the future of the benefices in the Hillside, and give thanks for what has been achieved in the communities so far.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Michigan (The Episcopal Church). Bishop Rayford Ray</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Thursday 18th July<br>Elizabeth Ferard, deaconess, founder of the Community of St Andrew, 1883                      | <p><b>St.Michael and All Angels, Cowesby, St.Felix, Fellxlirk, Holy Trinity, Boltby, St.Wilfrid, Kirby Knowle, St.Mary the Virgin, Leake, All Saints, Nether Silton, St.Mary Magdalen, Over Silton, Kepwick Memorial Chapel Knayton VC Primary School</b></p> <p>Clergy: The Revd Dianne Gamble, The Revd Bill Dewing, Churchwardens: Barbara Poole, Peter Gardner, Eileen Bellett, David Owst, Christine Challis, John Inch, Tom Selmes, David Smethurst, Isabelle Dalton, John Furness, Paul Cooper, Alan Parsons, Jean West</p> <p>Pray for us as we work together to discern the future for this benefice - how the churches might grow and how they can better support and encourage one another. Also pray for Knayton Academy our church primary school and the work of the Open the Book team and the good ongoing relationship between school and church.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Philippines (Philippines). Bishop Brent Alawas</b></p>                         |
| Friday 19th July<br>Gregory, bishop and his sister Macrina, deaconess, teachers of the faith, c.394 and c379        | <p><b>St Oswald's, Sowerby; St Cuthbert's, Sessay; All Saints, Thirkleby; St Mary's, Bagby; St Mary's, Kilburn</b></p> <p>Clergy: The Revd Nicola Carnall, The Revd Pauline Percy, Readers: David Brooke, Chris Carnall, Diana Wild, Churchwardens: Simon Birkebeck, David Tucker, Pat Bee, Doug Gillanders, Patrick Gibson, Ali Miles, Robin Clough, Amanda Dowson</p> <p>Please pray for our parishes as we begin a period of vacancy in the autumn and for all our dedicated churchwardens that they can enjoy a time of rest over the summer. Please pray for Kilburn Feast and Sessay Open Gardens in July and for Sowerby's 'Going Bananas' Holiday Club in August. Please also pray for Sessay CE Primary School.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Territory, The (Australia). Bishop Greg Anderson</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Saturday 20th July<br>Margaret of Antioch, martyr, 4th cent.<br>Bartolomé de las casas, Apostle to the Indies, 1566 | <p><b>St Lawrence, Kirby Sigston, All Saints, Northallerton, St James, Romanby</b></p> <p>Clergy: The Revd Fiona Mayer-Jones, The Revd Carol Backhouse, Children and Families Minister: Mrs Donnetta Thomas, 20s-40s Minister: The Revd David Johnson, Readers: Bobby Cooper, Malcolm Mace, Pauline Goodrum, Peter Carrotte, RPAs: Carol Hainsworth, Jill Walley, Peter Harbord, Julia Staves, Steven Hogg, Retired Clergy: The Rt Revd Gordon Bates, The Revd Lesley Ashton, The Revd Peter Lee, The Revd Ruth Wigram, The Revd William Thackray, Churchwardens: Peter Andrew, Steven Hogg, Ray Thompson, Brain Harris.</p> <p>Pray for our local schools especially the secondary school; for those in the community struggling with loneliness, or mental health issues; for the young people of our town and surrounding villages; for farmers and those facing increased financial pressure.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Uganda (Uganda). Bishop Johnson Gakumba</b></p> |
| Sunday 21st July<br>5th Sunday after Trinity                                                                        | <p><b>Baldersby Mission Room, St James Baldersby, Rainton Mission Room, St John the Evangelist, Dalton, St John, Skipton on Swale, St Columba Topcliffe</b></p> <p>Clergy: The Revd Susanne Jukes, Reader: Richard Byas, Churchwardens: Terry Potter, Norman Wharton, Pauline Wise, Audrey Kitching, Linda Carver, Liz Marsh. Schools: Topcliffe CoFE Academy (Head - Abigail Clay); Baldersby CoFE Academy (Head - Nigel Stewart); Dishforth CoFE Primary (Head - Sue Brooks); Queen Mary's School (Head - Carole Cameron; Chaplain - Graham Wright); Alanbrooke Primary (Head - Pippa Todd)</p> <p>Please pray for our work with the Church Schools with children, staff and parents; for the Foundation Governors - David, Stephen, Kirsty and Susanne, and for the Open the Book team - that the love of God may be known and experienced in the lives of individuals and establishments.</p> <p><b>Pray for the Province de L'Eglise Anglicane au Rwanda</b></p>           |
| Monday 22nd July<br>Mary Magdalene                                                                                  | <p><b>York Diocesan Mission, 'Come and See' - 12th - 15th March 2020</b></p> <p>Please pray for the York Diocesan Mission taking place next year. For each Deanery and Benefice as it begins to plan for Come and See: the Area and Lay Deans and Deanery Leadership Teams; the Benefices, PCCs and congregations - for a coming together in mission.</p> <p><b>Diocese of Northern Zambia (Central Africa). Archbishop Albert Chama</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |