

## EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER

### 1<sup>st</sup> Qtr. Cycle of Prayer 2023

#### January 1 (Christmas 2)

St. Peter's Church, Henrietta  
Standing Committee  
Jim Adams, priest  
Lesley Margaret Adams, priest  
Stewardship of the earth  
La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico

#### January 8 (Epiphany 1)

St. Paul's Church, Rochester  
Racial Reconciliation, Healing & Justice  
Lucy Alonzo, deacon  
John Andrews, priest  
Sandy Arrington, priest  
Christian Unity  
The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma)

#### January 15 (Epiphany 2)

Christ Church, Corning  
United Thank Offering  
Josh Barrett, priest  
Bryan Bedell, priest  
Congress, State Legislatures &  
Local Governments  
The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

#### January 22 (Epiphany 3)

Christ Church, Pittsford  
Dennie Bennett, priest  
Patti Blaine, deacon  
Supreme Court Justices,  
Judges and Lawyers  
The Church of North India (United)

#### January 29 (Epiphany 4)

Christ Church, Hornell  
Prison Ministry Advisory Board  
Mitch Bojarski, priest  
Ken Bordner, priest  
Mary Ann Brody, priest  
Peter F. Bryant, priest  
Prisoners, Victims of crime  
The Church of Pakistan (United)

#### February 5 (Epiphany 5)

St. Mark's Church, Newark  
Trustees of the Diocese  
Jay Burkhardt, priest  
Leslie Burkhardt, priest  
Our communities  
The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea

#### February 12 (Epiphany 6)

Diocesan Council  
John Burr, priest  
The Rt. Rev. Bill Burrill  
Nita Byrd, Priest  
Krista Cameron, priest  
Health care workers & patients  
The Episcopal Church in the Philippines

#### February 19 (Last Sunday after Epiphany)

St. John's Church, Sodus  
Children, Youth & Young Adult Ministry  
Georgia Carney, deacon  
Musicians, Artists  
Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda

#### February 26 (Lent 1)

St. John's Church, Honeoye Falls  
College for Congregational Development  
Mission & CDCP Partnership Committees  
Julie Cicora, Priest  
Winifred Collin, priest  
Padraic Collins-Bohrer, deacon  
Saundra Cordingly, priest  
Families and Orphans  
The Scottish Episcopal Church

#### March 5 (Lent 2)

Christ Church, Cuba  
Commission on Ministry  
David Cripps, priest  
Bob Culp, priest  
Sandra King Curtis, priest  
Poor persons, Oppressed persons  
Church of the Province of South East Asia

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#### **March 12 (Lent 3)**

St. Mark's & St. John's Church, Rochester  
Sustainable Development Ministries  
Molly Darling, priest  
Reconciliation of conflicts  
Our enemies  
The Church of South India (United)

#### **March 19 (Lent 4)**

Grace Church, Scottsville  
Episcopal SeniorLife Communities  
Deborah Duguid-May, priest  
Melanie Duguid-May, priest  
Fishers, Seafarers  
The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

#### **March 26 (Lent 5)**

Church of the Redeemer in Addison;  
Parish Wardens and Vestries;  
Dick Eckart, priest  
William English, Priest  
Kristy Estey, Bishop's staff  
Ruth Ferguson, priest  
Mike Finn, deacon  
Retired persons, and aged persons  
The Anglican Church of South America

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Sovereign Lord of the universe, Creator of humankind, we, your unfaithful children, are truly sorry for our sins and the lives that we have lived. We sincerely believe and confess in our hearts that only through the precious blood of our Lord Jesus Christ on the cross at Calvary, can we obtain Your forgiveness. We repent that: In thought, word or deed, we have committed serious offences against You and our neighbors; In laziness, despair and lust for power, we have provoked hatred, division and hurt within our communities; In greed, deceit and indifference, we have caused serious damage, unnecessary conflict and aggravated destruction to our refugee and migrant brothers and sisters; In selfishness, insensitivity and bias, we have encouraged and emboldened those who inflict hurt, pain and sorrow on our loved ones and families; In the name of religion, doctrine and even of Christ himself, we have wounded believers and pursuers of holiness and faith; In stubbornness, pride and arrogance, we have caused division and strife within Your church and among Your children; Mercifully send Your Holy Spirit – the Spirit of order and comfort – and cleanse us from all unrighteousness; restore in us true faith in Christ which brings truth, peace and harmony; and help us to walk together with our brothers and sisters in the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ to the glory of Your name. Amen.