



Diocese of Sodor and Man - Prayer Diary October 2024



<p>Tuesday 1st Remigius, Bishop of Rheims, Apostle of the Franks, 533; Anthony Ashley Cooper, Early of Shaftesbury, Social Reformer, 1885</p>	<p>Parish of the Northern Plain</p>	<p>Readers: Peter Shimmin, Gill Poole</p>	<p>The Diocese of Jebba – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p>	<p>Give thanks for the care offered by the Revd Brian Evans-Smith and the rest of the ministry team consisting of Elaine Aulton, Judith Ley, Gill Poole and Peter Shimmin. Pray that ‘we might reach out to the community with God’s love and for guidance as we prepare a parish profile for a new vicar.’</p>
<p>Wed 2nd</p>	<p>The Western Mission Partnership</p>	<p>Team Leader: Nigel Godfrey Diocesan Spirituality Adviser: Karen Garrett</p> <p>The Commissioners of Marown, Michael, German, Patrick and Peel</p>	<p>The Diocese of Jerusalem – The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem and The Middle East</p>	<p>For all those celebrating Harvest Festivals this month that we might not take for granted the harvest of the land and sea.</p>
<p>Thu 3rd George Bell, Bishop of Chichester, Ecumenist, Peacemaker, 1958</p>	<p>Isle of Man Prison</p>	<p>Chaplain to the Prison: Brian Evans-Smith</p>	<p>The Diocese of San Joaquin – The Episcopal Church</p>	<p>Pray for those being held away from their families. We remember all who lead worship in the prison and who support the prison community pastorally.</p>
<p>Fri 4th Francis of Assisi, Friar, Founder of the Friars Minor, 1226</p>	<p>Ramsey and the North-East</p>	<p>Clergy: Jo Dudley and Ian Faulds</p> <p>Readers: Jo Hartley & Tim Grass</p>	<p>The Diocese of Johannesburg – The Anglican Church of Southern Africa</p>	<p>At this time of thanksgiving for the harvest we remember all who work to provide us with our daily needs.</p>
<p>Sat 5th</p>	<p>Tynwald and Local Government Across the Isle of Man</p>	<p>Charles our King, Lord of Mann The Lieutenant Governor The President of Tynwald The Speaker of the House of Keys The Chief Minister</p>	<p>The Diocese of Jos – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p>	<p>Pray for government across the Isle of Man. We ask for wisdom in the leading of this Island.</p>
<p>SUN 6th THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</p>	<p>The Mothers’ Union</p>	<p>President: Jeanette Hamer Chaplain: Ruth K Walker Secretary: Ann Corlett</p>	<p>The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea</p>	<p>We continue to seek God’s guidance and wisdom for the future.</p>
<p>Mon 7th</p>	<p>SUMT (Scripture Union Ministries Trust)</p>	<p>Staff Team: Kristina Reeves, Panda Dooley, Hannah Grove, Sarah Rotchell, Sue Yardy, Ben Pitt and Katryna Baptist</p>	<p>The Diocese of Juba – Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan</p>	<p>Pray that there will be sufficient volunteers for all SUMT events and that those participating will have the opportunity to wonder and to reflect spiritually.</p>
<p>Tues 8th</p>	<p>St Ninian’s (Douglas)</p>		<p>The Diocese of Kabba – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)</p>	<p>Give thanks for all who maintain our worship during the vacancy.</p>

Wed 9 th Denys, Bishop of Paris, and his Companions, Martyrs, c. 250; Robert Grosseteste, Bishop of Lincoln, Philosopher, Scientist, 1253	Thie dy Vea Retreat House	Warden: David Shirtliff Leadership Team: Fran & David Griffiths, Karen Garrett, Liz Gordon and all who volunteer at Thie dy Vea.	The Diocese of Kadugli and Nuba Mountains – Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan	As our autumn day-events programme gets underway, pray that all who attend find food for body, mind and soul and encouragement for their walk with God.
Thu 10 th Paulinus, Bishop of York, Missionary, 644; Thomas Traherne, Poet, Spiritual Writer, 1674	The Diocese	Archdeacon: Irene Cowell Bishop's Missioner: Andrew Coleman Bishop's Chaplain: Michael Brydon Bishop's Secretary: Lorna Cook Synod Secretary: Colin Kelsey Diocesan Secretary: Tony Connell Registrar, Treasurer & Diocesan Officers.	The Diocese of Kaduna – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)	Pray for the consecration of the Venerable Patricia Hillas, in York Minister, and her future ministry as Bishop of Sodor and Man. Give thanks for the ministry of Bishop Mark Davies, who soon concludes his time as Archbishop's Commissary for Sodor and Man.
Fri 11 th Ethelburga, Abbess of Barking, 675; James the Deacon, Companion of Paulinus, 7th century	Rushen	Clergy: Joe Heaton, John Gulland, Roger Harper and Ginny Viner Readers: Wendy Heaton, Harry Dawson and Margaret Galloway	The Diocese of Kafanchan – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)	'We thank you Father God for the gifts of food, given by members of our church congregations in Rushen Parish, at this harvest time. We pray that the food bank can pass them onto families in need of food.'
Sat 12 th Wilfrid of Ripon, Bishop, Missionary, 709 Elizabeth Fry, Prison Reformer, 1845; Edith Cavell, Nurse, 1915	Marown, Foxdale and Baldwin	Clergy: Janice Ward, Steven Herron Readers: Nancy Clague, Heather Paisley	The Diocese of Kagera – The Anglican Church of Tanzania	Loving God, look with mercy and healing on all in our parish who are struggling with health, family relationships, grief or financial worries.
SUN 13th THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	St Matthew's (Douglas)	Clergy: Michael Brydon, Andrew Coleman, Roger Harper, Duncan Whitworth	The Episcopal Church in the Philippines	As we celebrate Harvest Festival we remember all involved in the harvest of the sea. We pray also for all residents of Peel Road, North and South Quay and Douglas Head.
Mon 14 th	St George and All Saints, (Douglas)	Clergy: Irene Cowell, Andrew Coleman Readers: Charles Flynn Licensed Assistant: Ray Platt	The Diocese of Kajiado – The Anglican Church of Kenya	Pray for Ian Quayle at the start of his curacy.
Tues 15 th Teresa of Avila, Teacher, 1582	Braddan	Clergy: Daniel Richards, Joanna Fisher	The Diocese of Kajo Keji – Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan	Pray for our young people settling into higher education and for those still at school. Pray for Joanna Fisher, one month after her ordination to the priesthood.

Wed 16 th Nicholas Ridley, Bishop of London, and Hugh Latimer, Bishop of Worcester, Reformation Martyrs, 1555	The Southern Mission Partnership	Team Leader: Joe Heaton The Commissioners of Arbory, Castletown, Malew, Port Erin, Port St. Mary, Rushen and Santon	The Diocese of Kalima – Province de L’Eglise Anglicane Du Congo	Bless all members of the Southern Mission Partnership in the work of the Kingdom.
Thu 17 th Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch, Martyr, c. 107	The Cathedral	Dean: Nigel Godfrey Central Services: Val Garrett Hospitality & Pastoral: Helen Parry Education & Training: Rosemary Clarke Mission: Mark Radcliffe Music: Peter Litman	The Diocese of Kamango – Province de L’Eglise Anglicane Du Congo	Pray for the visit of HRH The Princess Royal to the cathedral with its service of thanksgiving for the re-ordering.
Fri 18 th LUKE THE EVANGELIST	Care for the Family	Paula Pridham, (Executive Director) Jody Jones (Executive Support)	The Diocese of Kampala – The Church of the Province of Uganda	Pray for those attending <i>A Whole Church Approach to Family Ministry</i> and our <i>Bereavement Care Awareness</i> sessions.
Sat 19 th Henry Martyn, Translator of the Scriptures, Missionary in India and Persia, 1812	Ministerial Interns	Ministerial Interns: Sinéad Allen, Pedro Moraes & Michaela Muller	The Diocese of Kano – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)	Pray for the three interns connected with Sodor and Man.
SUN 20th THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	Lonan and Laxey	Clergy: Alessandra di Chiara	Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda	Please pray for an infilling of the Holy Spirit for the Laxey & Lonan Parochial Church Council.
Mon 21 st	St Thomas’ School	Head Teacher: Chris Kirk	The Diocese of Kansas – The Episcopal Church	Pray for all those involved in education. Help us to find true wisdom in God.
Tues 22 nd	The Parish of the West Coast	Clergy: Nigel Godfrey, Malcolm Convery, Margaret Burrow, Brian Kelly, Mark Radcliffe Local Ministers: Cheryl Cousins, Graham McAll, Robert Quayle. Readers: Rosemary Clarke, Denise Gelder, Stephen Hamer, Peter Ling	The Diocese of Western Kansas – The Episcopal Church	For all those living with change and for the Parochial Church Council as it finds its feet as a new independent parish.
Wed 23 rd	St Thomas’ (Douglas)	Clergy: Liz Hull Reader: Steve Hull	The Diocese of Kanyakumari – The Church of South India (United)	Bless our outreach into the surrounding area and give thanks for the generous service of all our volunteers.
Thu 24 th	Onchan	Clergy: Alessandra Di Chiara Reader: Carole Bairstow	The Diocese of Kapsabet – The Anglican Church of Kenya	Bless all our endeavours as we plan for the future and seek to serve our parish to the best of our ability.

Fri 25 th Crispin and Crispinian, Martyrs at Rome, c. 287	King William's College	Chaplain: Erica Scott	The Diocese of Karachi – The Church of Pakistan (United)	We pray for all those who lead worship in chapel. Today we also remember the cathedral visit of the Archbishop of York, visitor to King William's College, to deliver his charge to the Bishop-Elect of Sodor and Man.
Sat 26 th Alfred the Great, King of the West Saxons, Scholar, 899; Cedd, Abbot of Lastingham, Bishop of the East Saxons, 664	The Eastern Mission Partnership	Team Leader: Alessandra di Chiara The Commissioners of Garff, Onchan, Braddan and Councillors of Douglas	The Diocese of Karamoja – The Church of the Province of Uganda	We pray for the ‘family’ of the Mission Partnership. Pray also for all the preparations being made for the visit of the AYF (Anglican Youth Fellowship) Band, from Uganda, to the Isle of Man, between 14 th -21 st November.
SUN 27th THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	The Northern Mission Partnership	Clergy: Brian Evans- Smith, Jo Dudley and Ian Faulds The Commissioners of Ramsey, Andreas, Ballaugh, Bride, Jurby, Lezayre, Garff.	The Scottish Episcopal Church	Pray for God's faithfulness to be known in our world. In a world of change let us find hope.
Mon 28 th SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES	Arbory and Castletown	Clergy: Simon Archer, Colin Barry, Sue Watterson Reader: Hilary Flynn	The Diocese of North Karamoja – The Church of the Province of Uganda	“For the Parish of Arbory and Castletown as they enter a time of prayer and planning for future mission and outreach.”
Tues 29 th James Hannington, Bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa, Martyr in Uganda, 1885	Chaplains on the Island	Noble's Hospital: Philip Frear; Prison and Ramsey Hospital: Brian Evans- Smith; KWC: Erica Scott; FE College: Daniel Richards; Army Cadets: Steven Herron; Police: Jo Dudley; Deaf Community: Jeanette Hamer; Rural Community: Irene Cowell; Sea Cadets: Michael Brydon	The Diocese of Karimnagar – The Church of South India (United)	Pray for all the chaplains who provide ministry across the Island. May they use wisely the privilege of their chaplaincy role both to support and to inspire.
Wed 30 th	Church in the Pub, Sunday at 10 The Cat with no Tail.	Reader- Chris Wildman	The Diocese of Karnataka Central – The Church of South India (United)	Please pray for all involved with Sunday at Ten that we may have wisdom, as we seek to find ways to renew our focus on mission and to serve our local community.
Thu 31 st Martin Luther, Reformer, 1546	Malew and Santan	Clergy: Ruth Walker Readers: Howard Connell and Ellen Halliwell	The Diocese of Karnataka North – The Church of South India (United)	In the coming month we pray for all who attend All Souls' Services, that they will be aware of God's great love and comfort.