CALENDAR

OF

INTERCESSIONS

THE TERRITORY OF THE PEOPLE

Includes

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer (ACP)

The Anglican Church of Canada (ACC)

Companion Diocese of Montreal (MTL)

The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Canada (ELCIC)

April - June 2021

**MISSION STATEMENT**

“We walk together with all God’s people, journeying into a new creation, and trusting with faith and courage in the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

We love as Jesus loves, living with integrity and openness,

and are committed stewards of God’s world.” [Approved May, 2011]

**FROM THE CONSTITUTIVE ASSEMBLY OF**

**THE ANGLICAN PARISHES OF THE CENTRAL INTERIOR (June 2002)**

These three affirmations have guided us as we became the Anglican Parishes of the Central Interior:

* We affirm that the Anglican Parishes of the Central Interior needs to gather together as a family of God.
* We affirm that this time of transition has been given to us as a gift to explore possible new directions towards which the Spirit might be calling us.
* We affirm that God is calling us to share in Jesus’ ministry of healing and reconciliation.

These affirmations form a kind of mission statement, but are not exhaustive. They help us to honour the ongoing task of discerning our ministry and mission together. We acknowledge our desire to walk faithfully on a path in which we carry the best of who we were into a living and holy present and towards an unknown and hopeful future. As you pray for persons, parishes and ministries, keep at the heart of your prayer an openness to listen to the direction God calls us to travel together.

**PRAYER FOR THE TERRITORY OF THE PEOPLE**

Loving and Faithful God, through the ages, you have nourished your people who have come to you for guidance;

Lead and direct us in our present journey, that we may discern the way ahead as the

Territory of the People;

By your Spirit, help us to preserve the best of what we were, enable us to let go all that hinders love of you, and strengthen us as a community of living saints to minister with eager hearts and wills.

We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, who is our Way, our Truth and our Life. Amen.

Prayers for New Life

Holy One, you catch us unawares and accompany us on the way,

offering healing, reconciliation and a new life.

Open our ears to recognize your voice,

that we may turn and see the living Body of Christ.

Open our hearts to accept your work from the cross -

forgive them, they know not what they do.

Strengthen our wills that we may commit

our past and future life together to you,

and begin again;

to the glory of Jesus Christ, crucified and risen,

in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen

*(from General Synod, 2001)*

Creator God,

from you every family in heaven and on earth takes its name.

You have rooted and grounded us in your covenant love,

and empowered us by your Spirit to speak the truth in love, and to walk in your way towards justice and wholeness.

Mercifully grant that your people,

journeying together in partnership,

may be strengthened and guided to help one another

to grow into the full stature of Christ,

who is our light and our life. Amen

*(A prayer based on the Covenant - Anglican Council of Indigenous People)*

Draw your church together, O Lord, into one great company of disciples, together following our Lord Jesus Christ into every walk of life, together serving him in his mission to the world, and together witnessing to his love on every continent and island. We ask this in his name and for his sake. Amen.

*(for the Mission of the Church)*

Prayers for the World and Our Communities

Compassionate One, we pray for the health and well-being of our community, country, and the world as we are in unprecedented times. Times filled with worry and uncertainty.

We entrust to your loving care all those who are affected by the corona virus

through illness, isolation or anxiety.

We commend ourselves, and all for whom we pray, to your mercy and protection.

May we always know we are never alone. Through times of joy and times of struggle, keep opening our hearts to one another with mutual understanding, forbearance and compassion, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A BIRTHDAY PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit

you have bestowed upon N. your servant(s) the forgiveness of sin,

and have raised N. to the new life of grace.

Sustain N...... O Lord, in your Holy Spirit.

Give N. an inquiring and discerning heart,

the courage to will and to persevere,

a spirit to know and to love you,

and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. Amen.

**APRIL**

**7** **Peter van der Leelie**

**8 Beth Marie Murphy**

**16 Nancy van deer Leelie**

**21 Phyllis White**

**29 Lincoln McKoen**

**MAY**

**7 Gordon Light**

**9 Daniel Krausert**

**10 Zonia Wood**

**14 Bud Smith**

**19 Carol Whiting**

**20 Kieran Gundel**

**29 Craig Fairley**

**29 Ali Hines**

**JUNE**

**2 Ken Munro**

**24 Mary Dove**

**DAILY PRAYERS**

**Day 1**

Our Metropolitan, Archbishop Lynne McNaughton and her family. The Most Rev. Linda Nicholls, our Primate; The Most Rev. Mark MacDonald, National Indigenous Bishop, his wife Virginia Sha Lynn; the Church House Staff; the Council for General Synod; the Provincial Executive Council and their families.

**Day 2**

Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya; Office Coordinator, Margaret Mitchell, her husband Jim; Administrative Assistant Betty Ann Harder, her husband Ron; Finance Officer, Dwight Oatway, his wife Islay; Bookkeeper Andy Prodaniuk, his wife Chris; Payroll Administrator, Bonnie Bailey, Resource Centre Coordinators, Gordon and Mary Dove, and their families.

**Day 3**

The people of St. Paul’s Cathedral, Kamloops. The Very Rev. Ken Gray, his wife Kathie; The Rt. Rev. Gordon Light, (Honourary Assistant); The Rev. Viktor Gundel, his wife Sarah; The Rev. Dan Hines, his wife Robyn; The Rev. Barbara Liotscos; The Rev. Bob Purdy, his wife Trish, and their families.

**Day 4**

The people of St. Michael and All Angels, Prince George, in their search for new Team Ministry leadership, The Rev. Alexis Saunders and her family.

**Day 5**

The people of Grace Church Prince George, in their search for new Team Ministry leadership, The Ven. Peter Zimmer, his wife Leila and his family.

**Day 6**

The people of the Church of St. John the Divine, Quesnel, in their search for new Team Ministry leadership, The Rev. Trev Whiting, his wife Carol, The Rev. Canon Margot Rose (Deacon) and their families; St. Saviour’s Church, Barkerville.

**Day 7**

The people of St. Peter’s Church, Williams Lake, St. Luke’s, Alexis Creek.

The Rev Jo Ann Hinter her husband Al; The Rev. Canon Alan McLeod, The Rev. Canon, The Honourable T. Neil Vant, his wife Jeanie, and their families.

**Day 8**

The people of St. Timothy’s Church, 100 Mile House. The Rev. Jo Ann Hinter, her husband Al; The Rev. Canon Thelma Sharkey (Deacon) and their families.

**Day 9**

The people of St. Andrew’s & St. Mary’s (Anglican-United Shared), Lillooet, as they seek a new Incumbent.

**Day 10**

The North Thompson Shared Ministry, the people of The Church of St. Paul, Barriere and Trinity Shared Ministry, Clearwater. The Rev. Bruce Chalmers, his wife the Rev Louise Peters, and their family.

**Day 11**

The people of the Robson Valley Shared Ministry, (Anglican-United). The Rev. Dee McEachern, United Church Diaconal Minister Kim McNaughton, her husband Ken and their families.

**Day 12**

The people of St. George’s, Kamloops. The Rev. John Boyd, his wife Jane, The Rev. Canon Beth-Marie Murphy (Honourary Assistant) and their families.

**Day 13**

The people of the Scw’exmx Anglican Parish, All Saints, Shulus; St. Philip’s, Nooaitch; St. Catherine’s, Shackan. The Rev Angus Muir, his wife Debbie and their family.

**Day 14**

The people of St. Peter’s, Monte Creek. The Rev. Canon Sandra Sugden and her family.

**Day 15**

The people of St. Michael’s, Merritt, The Rev. Canon Isabel Healy Morrow, her husband Dwight; the Rev Craig Fairley (Deacon), his wife Carmen, and their families.

**Day 16**

The people of St. Alban’s, Ashcroft. The Rev. Martina Duncan, her husband Jim; The Rev. Canon Lois Petty (Deacon), and their families.

**Day 17**

The people of the Lytton Anglican Parishes. The Rev. Angus Muir, his wife Debbie and their family.

**Day 18**

The Council of Indigenous People, Healing Circles and all who lead and participate.

**Day 19**

The people of Logan Lake Community Church, the Rt. Rev Barbara Andrews and her family. The people of St. Mark’s Woodpecker, the Rev. Alexis Saunders and her family; for alternate forms of ministry in the Territory of the People.

**Day 20**

Pastoral Elders: Dorothy Phillips, Amy Charlie, Pauline Michell, Ernie Michell, Ursula Drynock, and their families.

**Day 21**

Postulant to the Diaconate Linda LaGroix, her husband Wayne and their family; Territory Lay Ministers of Word and Sacrament and their families; All Ministries programs.

**Day 22**

Clergy with Permission to Officiate. The Rt. Rev. Barbara Andrews, The Rt. Rev. Gordon Light, The Rev. Canon Len Fraser, The Rev. Dan Hines, The Rev. Canon Dan Krausert, The Rev. Barbara Liotscos, The Rev. Canon Alan McLeod, The Rev. Canon Beth-Marie Murphy, The Rev. Bob Purdy, The Rev. Alexis Saunders, The Rev. Canon Sandra Sugden, The Rev. Canon, The Honourable T. Neil Vant, The Rev. Canon Trev Whiting, The Ven. Peter Zimmer, and their families.

**Day 23**

The Coordinating Council, the Administration Committee, the Fraser Basin Property Society, the Ministry Commission, the Stewardship Committee, the Companion Diocese Committee, and all other Committees. Parish Lay Staff, Wardens and Parish Councils, especially….

**Day 24**

Education for Ministry, The Resource Centre, Bible study and other programs.

**Day 25**

Hospitals and Extended Care Homes. The Hospice Movement and all who are dying.

**Day 26**

Children and Youth programs, Sunday Schools, Vacation Bible Schools, The Anglican Youth Movement and all who participate.

**Day 27**

Vancouver School of Theology, Principal Richard Topping and staff. Sorrento Centre staff, Executive Director the Rev. Michael Shapcott, and all who participate.

**Day 28**

Lay Canons: Judy Beale, Terry Bepple, John and Norma Bos, Mary Dove, Betty-May Gore, Robert Hunter, Margaret Mitchell, Ken Munro, Dwight Oatway, Bud Smith, Jan Ullstrom, and their families.

**Day 29**

Retired clergy: The Rt. Rev Barbara Andrews, The Rev. Beth Cuthand, The Rev. Margaret Dempster, The Rev. Keith Dobyns, the Rev Kristen Dobyns, The Ven. David Ellis, The Rev. Ethel English, The Rev Canon Len Fraser, The Very Rev Ken Gray, The Rev. Canon Isabel Healy Morrow, The Rev. Dan Krausert, The Rt. Rev. Gordon Light, The Rev. Barbara Liotscos, The Rev. Susan McCabe, The Rev. Canon Al McLeod, The Rev. Gloria Moses, The Rev. Alexis Saunders, The Rev. Glenn Stone, The Rev. Canon Sandra Sugden, The Rev. Peter van der Leelie, The Rev. Canon, The Honourable T. Neil Vant, The Rev. Mike Watkins, The Rev. Mike Webber, The Rev. Trev Whiting, The Rev. Canon Frank Wood, The Ven. Peter Zimmer and their families.

Clergy on Leave: The Rev. Dan Hines.

All clergy widows and widowers.

**Day 30**

The people of our Companion Diocese of Montreal, The Rt. Rev. Mary Irwin Gibson, Bishop, the Synod Staff, and their families.

**Day 31**

Outreach to the wider Church; The Primate’s World Relief and Development Fund, The Anglican Foundation, Kairos and …

**WEEKLY PRAYERS**

**Week 14 April 4, 2021**

**TERRITORY -** The people of St. Peter’s, Monte Creek. The Rev. Canon Sandra Sugden and her family. We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -** Pray for the peace of Jerusalem

**ACC-** The Most Rev. Anne Germond, Metropolitan, and the people and clergy of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario

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**MTL -** St. Lawrence, LaSalle - The Rev. Tapiwa Gusha - we pray for the congregation as they discern their future and calling their next incumbent.

**ELCIC -** The dean, council, and congregations of the Manitoba East Area of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod.

**Week 15 April 11, 2021**

**TERRITORY -** The people of St. Michael’s, Merritt, The Rev Canon Isabel Healy Morrow, her husband Dwight: The Rev. Craig Fairley (Deacon) and his wife Carmen, and their families. We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -** The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean

**ACC -** The Provincial Synod of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario.

**MTL -** St. Mark’s & St. Peter’s, St-Laurent - The Rev. Chris Barrigar, giving thanks for their newly merged community and the continued life and witness of their parish.

**ELCIC -** The dean, council, and congregations of the Manitoba Central Area of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod.

**Week 16 April 18 2021**

**TERRITORY -** The people of St. Alban’s, Ashcroft. The Rev. Martina Duncan, her husband Jim; The Rev. Canon Lois Petty (Deacon) and their families. We pray for

new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -** The Church of Ireland.

**ACC -** Bishop Anne Germond, clergy, and people of the Diocese of Algoma.

**MTL -** For the work and ministry of the church to the people of Montreal, Praying for Bishop Mary Irwin Gibson and Archdeacon Robert Camara.

**ELCIC -** The dean, council, and congregations of the Manitoba South Area of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod.

**Week 17 April 25, 2021**

**TERRITORY -** The people of the Lytton Anglican Parishes. The Rev Angus Muir, his wife Debbie and their family.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -**The Nippon Sei Ko Kai

**ACC -** The Rt. Rev. Todd Townshend, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Huron

**MTL -** The Rev. Dr. Jesse Zink and the members of the Corporation and Board of Governors of the Montreal Diocesan Theological College.

**ELCIC -** The dean, council, and congregations of the Manitoba West Area of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod.

**Week 18 May 2, 2021**

**TERRITORY -** Pastoral Elders: Dorothy Phillips, Amy Charlie, Ursula Drynock, Ernie Michelle, Paul Michelle and their families. The Council of Indigenous people, Healing Circles and all who lead and participate. Lay Ministers of Word and Sacrament; all ministries programs. We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -** The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & The Middle East

**ACC -** The Most Rev. Anne Germond, Bishop and The Most Rev. Fred Hiltz, Assisting Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Missionary Area of Moosonee

**MTL -** St. James the Apostle, Stanbridge East and the Regional Ministry in the Eastern Townships. We pray for the community as they discern their future.

**ELCIC -** The dean, council, and congregations of the Winnipeg South Area of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod

**Week 19 May 9, 2021**

**TERRITORY-** The people of Logan Lake Community Church, the Rt. Rev Barbara Andrews and her family; the people of St. Mark’s Woodpecker, the Rev. Alexis Saunders and her family; for alternate forms of ministry in the Territory of the People. We pray

for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -**The Anglican Church of Kenya

**ACC-** Bishop Susan Bell, clergy, and people of the Diocese of Niagara

**MTL -** Synod of the Diocese of Montreal as they prepare to meet for their Annual Synod

**ELCIC -** The dean, council, and congregations of the Winnipeg Central and North

Areas of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod.

**Week 20 May 16, 2021**

**TERRITORY** - The Coordinating Council, The Administration Committee, The Fraser Basin Property Society, The Ministry Commission, The Stewardship Committee, The Companion Diocese Committee and all other Committees. Parish Lay Staff, Wardens and Parish Councils, especially….

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP** - The Anglican Church of Korea

**ACC** - The Rt. Rev. Michael Oulton, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Ontario

**MTL -** St. George, Granby – We pray for the community as they discern theirfuture.

**ELCIC** - Bishop Syd Haugen, people, and rostered ministers of the Saskatchewan Synod

**Week 21 May 23, 2021**

**TERRITORY** - Clergy with Permission to Officiate. The Rt. Rev. Barbara Andrews, The Rev Canon Len Fraser, The Rt. Rev. Gordon Light, The Rev. Dan Hines, The Rev Dan Krausert, The Rev. Barbara Liotscos, The Rev. Canon Alan McLeod, The Rev. Canon Beth-Marie Murphy, The Rev. Bob Purdy, The Rev. Canon Sandra Sugden, The Rev. Canon, The Honourable T. Neil Vant, The Rev. Canon Trev Whiting, The Ven. Peter Zimmer and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP** - Anglican Communion Sunday The Anglican Church of Melanesia

**ACC** -The Rt. Rev. Shane Parker, Bishop, and the people and clergy of the Diocese of Ottawa

**MTL** - Grace Church., Sutton and St. James Foster - The Ven. Tim Smart.

**ELCIC** - ELCIC Rev. Dennis Serfas and Rev. Jerry Borkowsky, Assistants to the Bishop, and the staff of the Saskatchewan Synod

**ACC/ELCIC** The Anglican Diocese of Jerusalem, The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land, and for peace in the Middle East

**Week 22 May 30, 2021**

**TERRITORY -** Retired clergy: The Rt. Rev. Barbara Andrews, The Rev. Beth Cuthand, The Rev. Margaret Dempster, The Rev. Keith Dobyns, The Ven. David Ellis, The Rev. Ethel English, The Rev Canon Len Fraser, The Very Rev. Ken Gray, The Rev. Canon Isabel Healy Morrow, The Rev. Dan Krausert, The Rt. Rev. Gordon Light, The Rev. Barbara Liotscos, The Rev. Susan McCabe, The Rev. Canon Al McLeod, The Rev. Gloria Moses, The Rev. Alexis Saunders, The Rev. Glenn Stone, The Rev. Canon Sandra Sugden, The Rev. Peter van der Leelie, The Rev. Canon, The Honourable T. Neil Vant, The Rev. Mike Watkins, The Rev. Mike Webber, The Rev. Trev Whiting, The Rev. Canon Frank Wood, The Ven. Peter Zimmer and their families.

All clergy widows and widowers.

Clergy on Leave: The Rev. Dan Hines.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -** La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico

**ACC -** The Rt. Rev. Andrew Asbil, Bishop; The Rt. Rev. Kevin Robertson, Suffragan Bishop; The Rt. Rev. Riscylla Shaw, Suffragan Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Toronto

**MTL -** For the lay readers and lay leaders of the Diocese of Montreal and for their ministry, particularly where there are no clergy.

**ELCIC -** The Lutheran Collegiate Bible Institute in Outlook Saskatchewan

**Week 23 June 6, 2021**

**TERRITORY -** Lay Canons: Judy Beale, Terry Bepple, Mary Dove, Betty-May Gore, Robert Hunter, Rhoda LeCappelain, Margaret Mitchell, Ken Munro, Dwight Oatway, Jan Ullstrom, Bud Smith, John and Norma Bos, and their families.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP - T**he Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma)

**ACC -** The theological colleges and training programs within the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario: Canterbury College, Huron College, Renison College, the Anglican Studies Program at Saint Paul University, Thorneloe University, Trinity College, Wycliffe College

**MTL -** St. Paul, Cote des Neiges – The Ven. James Bennett.

**ELCIC -** Luther College at the University of Regina and Luther College – High School.

**Week 24 June 13, 2021**

**TERRITORY -** Children and Youth programs: Sunday Schools; Vacation Bible Schools; The Anglican Youth Movement and all who participate.

Education for Ministry, The Territory Resource Centre, Bible Study and other programs.

Hospitals and Extended Care Homes. The Hospice Movement and all who are dying.

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -** The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

**ACC -** The Most Rev. Gregory Kerr-Wilson, Metropolitan, and the clergy and people of the Ecclesiastical Province of Rupert’s Land

**MTL -** St. Paul, Knowlton. St. Michael, Bolton Glen – The Rev. Tim Wiebe. St. Paul, Greenfield Park - The Rev. Linda-Faith Chalk.

**ELCIC/ACC -** Lutheran and Anglican global partners and companions.

**Week 25 June 20, 2021**

**TERRITORY -** The people of our Companion Diocese of Montreal. Bishop, The Rt. Rev. Mary Irwin Gibson; Executive Archdeacon - The Ven. Robert Camara; Synod Office Staff. We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -** The Church of North India (United)

**ACC -** The Provincial Synod of the Ecclesiastical Province of Rupert’s Land.

**MTL -** For all those offering themselves for ordination in the Diocese of Montreal as they

prepare and continue to discern where God is calling them.

**ELCICC/ACC** The National Indigenous Day of Prayer: for healing and reconciliation between Indigenous and non-indigenous peoples.

**Week 26 June 27, 2021**

**TERRITORY -** Vancouver School of Theology, Principal Richard Topping and staff. Sorrento Centre Executive Director The Rev. Michael Shapcott, Sorrento Centre staff and all who participate.

Outreach to the wider Church; The Primate’s World Relief and Development Fund, Kairos and **…**

We pray for new vocations in leadership in the church; we pray for Bishop

Lincoln Mckoen, his wife Tanya and their family.

**ACP -** The Church of Pakistan (United)

**ACC -** The Rt. Rev. David Parsons, Bishop; The Rt. Rev’s Joey Royal, Annie Ittoshat, and Lucy Netser, Suffragan Bishops, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of the Arctic

**MTL** - St. James, Bedford - The Rev. Nicholas Forte, praying for the community as they discern their future and regional ministry.

**ELCIC -** The congregations of the northern area of the Saskatchewan Synod