Almonte and the surrounding communities that the Lord will help us contribute to its well-being and we pray for the volunteers of our local satellite Food Cupboard providing food security for local people in need.

**In Our Parish:** comfort and healing for Lucy Poaps, Anne Wheatley, Bessie Exley, and Sally Gentry

We give thanks for and pray God's blessing on our members: Jayne Richeson, Laura and Ronnie Ritschell, Sarah Robertson, Joan Robinson, Steve and Lois Rochon, Barry and Anne Roxburgh.

We remember our neighbors, especially Assad, Alsit, Lana and Elias.

## Week beginning January 26

**In the World**: The Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil: The Most Revd Naudal Alves Gomes, Primate of Brazil & Bishop of Curitiba

**In Canada:** Archbishop Ron Cutler and the people, and clergy of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada.

In the Diocese of Ottawa: John, our Bishop, as he approaches retirement and for the Lord to raise up the right person to succeed him; Jonathon, our Priest; and St. Paul's, Hazeldean-Kanata, The Reverend Canon John Bridges, The Reverend Ryan Boivin; the Postulants in the Diocese of Ottawa: Bob Albert, Jordan Sandrock and Claire Bramma; Faith Lutheran Church, Pastor Martin Malina.

**Our Mission Partners:** Mary Sherwood and the ministry of the Akany Famonjena orphanage and the Akany Tafita Center in Madagascar.

In Our Community: We ask God's blessing on faith communities and on their ministries and, we pray for the people and leaders of this town of Almonte and the surrounding communities that the Lord will help us contribute to its well-being and we pray for volunteers of our local satellite Food Cupboard providing food security for local people in need.

In Our Parish: comfort and healing for Lucy Poaps, Anne Wheatley, Bessie Exley, Geneviève Coxon-Marshall, Sally Gentry, and Dorothy Berg. We give thanks for and pray God's blessing on our members Donnie and Lorraine Sadler, Margaret Sadler, The Rev. James Scanlon, Joan Scott, Daniel and Terri-Lynne Scott.

We remember our neighbors, especially Assad, Alsit, Lana and Elias.



# **Prayer Calendar**

### January 2020

#### Prayer for St. Paul's

Heavenly Father, you have welcomed us into your kingdom and your heart's desire is to draw every human being to yourself. Grant us clear eyes to see people as you see them, sensitive feet to stand in their shoes, and warm smiles to welcome them into your name. Give us generous hearts, that our church becomes a foretaste of heaven where every soul you send us finds their loving home in the community of your Son our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

# Week of January 1

In the World: the Church of Lagos (Nigeria), The Right Revd Humphery Olumakaiye Lagos Mainland (Nigeria), The Right Revd B C Akinpelu Johnson Lagos West (Nigeria), and The Right Revd James Olusola Odedeji

**In Canada** National church Director Joe Vecsi and the staff of Communications and Information Resources; Director Hannah Goschy and the staff of Financial Management and Administration.

In the Diocese of Ottawa: John, our Bishop, as he approaches retirement and for the Lord to raise up the right person to succeed him; Jonathon, our Priest.

**Our Mission Partners:** The international mission work of the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund (PWRDF), the Canadian Anglican response for emergency relief, refugees, development, and justice and their initiatives working with Canadian indigenous communities.

In Our Community: We ask God's blessing on faith communities and on their ministries and, we pray for the people and leaders of this town of Almonte and the surrounding communities that the Lord will help us contribute to its well-being and we pray for volunteers of our local satellite Food Cupboard providing food security for local people in need.

**In Our Parish:** comfort and healing for Lucy Poaps, Anne Wheatley, Bessie Exley, and Sally Gentry.

We give thanks for and pray God's blessing on our members The Rev. Andrew and Janet Mortimer, Debbie Morton, Barb Booth and Bob Mosher, Robert Moulson, Richard Lewis and Karen Nakamura. We remember our neighbors, especially Assad, Alsit, Lana and Elias.

#### Week beginning January 5

In the World: The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia: The Most Revd Philip Richardson, Bishop of Taranaki and Primate; The Most Revd Don Tamihere, Pihopa o Aotearora and Primate; The Most Revd Fereimi Cama; Bishop of Polynesia and Primate.

**In Canada:** Archbishop Mark MacDonald, National Indigenous Anglican Archbishop, and the staff of Indigenous Ministries; the Anglican Council of Indigenous People.

In the Diocese of Ottawa: John, our Bishop, as he approaches retirement and for the Lord to raise up the right person to succeed him; Jonathon, our Priest; Church of the Epiphany, Gloucester, The Reverend Geoff Chapman and The Reverend Alana McCord.

**Our Mission Partners:** everyone involved with the SchoolBox program in Nicaragua and in indigenous communities in Canada.

**In Our Community:** We ask God's blessing on faith communities and on their ministries and, we pray for the people and leaders of this town of Almonte and the surrounding communities that the Lord will help us contribute to its well-being and we pray for the leaders and the development of the local hospice initiative.

**In Our Parish:** comfort and healing for Lucy Poaps, Anne Wheatley, Bessie Exley, and Sally Gentry.

We give thanks for and pray God's blessing on our members: David Newlands, George and Mary Nightingale, Jan Norris, Mary and Wayne Pearson, Joan and Murray Pierce, Gordon and Bonnie Pike. We remember our neighbors, especially Assad, Alsit, Lana and Elias.

# Week beginning January 12

**In the World:** Pray for the Anglican Church of Australia: The Most Revd Philip Leslie Freier, Archbishop of Melbourne & Primate of Australia.

**In Canada:** Director Andrea Mann and the staff of Global Relations; Ryan Weston, Lead Animator, Public Witness for Social and Ecological Justice

In the Diocese of Ottawa: John, our Bishop, as he approaches retirement and for the Lord to raise up the right person to succeed him; Jonathon, our Priest; and The Parish of the Valley: The Right Reverend Michael Bird, The Reverend Matthew Brown, The Reverend Canon Susan Clifford and The Reverend Gillian Hoyer.

**Our Mission Partners:** The staff, volunteers, children and donors of Casita Copán, a safe place for at risk children in Honduras.

In Our Community: We ask God's blessing on faith communities and on their ministries and, we pray for the people and leaders of this town of Almonte and the surrounding communities that the Lord will help us contribute to its well-being and we pray for the nonprofit corporation, The Hub.

**In Our Parish:** comfort and healing for Lucy Poaps, Anne Wheatley, Bessie Exley and Sally Gentry.

We give thanks for and pray God's blessing on our members Jonathan Playfair, Lucy Poaps, Margaret Quantrill, Timothy and Cathy Ray, Thomas and Tammy Reid.

We remember our neighbors, especially Assad, Alsit, Lana and Elias.

Week beginning January 19 (Week of Prayer for Christian Unity)

In the World: The united Church of Bangladesh: The Most Revd Samuel Sunil Mankhin, Moderator, Church of Bangladesh and Bishop of Kushtia.

**In Canada:** Executive Director, Will Postma, and staff of the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund (PWRDF).

In the Diocese of Ottawa: John, our Bishop, as he approaches retirement and for the Lord to raise up the right person to succeed him; Jonathon, our Priest; the work and ministry of our Diocesan Ecumenical Officer, The Reverend Canon John Wilker-Blakley; our Diocesan Newspaper Crosstalk, and Leigh Anne Williams our Diocesan Editor of Crosstalk.

In our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem: the clergy and people of St. Peter's Church, Birzeit, West Bank.

**Our Mission Partners:** The Pikangikum Water Project - working with our aboriginal neighbours to address the water needs of the 400+homes without clean water or waste water removal in a northern Ontario community.

In Our Community: We ask God's blessing on faith communities and on their ministries and, we pray for the people and leaders of this town of