



Each day, prayers are offered for the people of this parish; both those who gather in our building to worship, and for those who happen to live, work, or study within its geographical bounds.

This daily prayer often happens as part of our public worship; at Morning Prayer (8.30am) or at Evening Prayer (5.30pm). It also often happens as part of our intercessions at Mass, and of course, I pray daily for the life and work of the church and parish. It is a vital part of our work and calling as the Christians tasked with serving this small corner of London. Without it, anything else that we do will simply come to nothing. It is especially important at this stage of our parish life together, as we build on our Vision Day in January 2019 and begin to act on our exciting plans.

On the back of this sheet is a form of prayer that you may like to use each day. You can though, of course, use any form you wish, or simply pray without words at all in the silence of your hearts. Inside, you will find for each day a short list of intentions (people or activities) to pray for. It often helps to form a habit by praying in the same place, or at the same time each day. But that can be anywhere; at home, on the bus, before work, or just before sleep. However you decide works best for you, I am very grateful for your share in these, our prayer.

<i>Day</i>	<i>Street</i>	<i>Parish/Community/Wider Church</i>
1	Seven Sisters Road	Homeless, people in temporary accommodation, asylum seekers, and refugees; the unemployed
2	Finsbury Park Road	Diane Abbott MP; LB Hackney; Brian Bell, Clare Potter, councillors
3	Wilberforce Road	Luganda Service, Fr Godfrey Kaziro
4	Queen's Drive, St John's Court, Finsbury Park Road	Parkwood Primary School; Paul Thomas (Headteacher)
5	Adolphus Road, Waverley Place, Christina Square	Mini Oasis
6	Princess Crescent	Soup Kitchen
7	Alexandra Grove	Persecuted Christians
8	Henry Road, Ursula Mews	St Thomas More RC, Fr Clive Lee; FP Methodist, Rev Shirlyn Toppin
9	Portland Rise: Buckingham House, Nottingham House	Emergency Services, Health Services, Brownswood Safer Neighbourhoods Team
10	Portland Rise: Fleming House, Warwick House	Other faith groups in Finsbury Park
11	Portland Rise: Windsor House, Balmoral House	Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham; other places of retreat and renewal
12	Portland Rise: Holyrood House, Lichport Court	Ministry among children and young people
13	Brand Close, Princes Close	St Mary Stoke Newington; Dilly Baker, Vicar; Roxane Liddell, Curate
14	Green Lanes	Little Explorers Nursery; those who use our Community Room

15	Gloucester Drive, Lakeside Court	Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Anglican Communion; Church of England
16	Myddleton Avenue	+Sarah, +Pete, and the appointment of the new +Stepney
17	Castleview Close	Liz Adekunle; Archdeacon; Rosemia, Area Dean; the Hackney Deanery
18	Tauheed Close	Mthr Alice, our vicar
19	Colthurst Crescent	Alan, our Reader
20	Heron Drive	Harriet and Beryl, Pastoral Assistants; Denise, Children's Champion
21	Brownswood Road	Michael, Sebastian; Churchwardens
22	Digby Crescent	Our PCC
23	Kings Crescent Estate: Theobold's Court	Servers, Sacristans, Counters, Musicians
24	Kings Crescent Estate: Bramfield Court	Readers, intercessors, sidespeople
25	Kings Crescent Estate: Datchworth Court	Those exploring vocation to ordained or licensed ministries.
26	Kings Crescent Estate: redevelopment	City of London Corporation; Ann Holmes; the Corporation Parishes
27	Stroud Green Road	Those new to our parish or church community
28	Riversdale Road	St Thomas Finsbury Park; Stephen Coles, Vicar
29	Mountgrove Road	Shops and Businesses in the Parish
30	Blackstock Road	Our planning for the future

A FORM OF PRAYER FOR DAILY USE

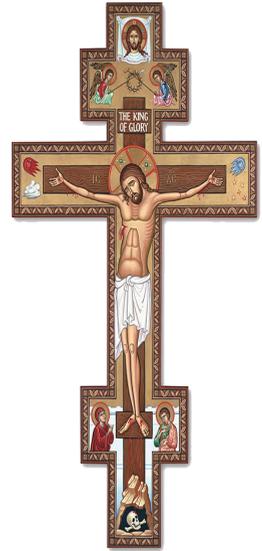
You may wish to light a candle, or use a crucifix or an icon as a focus for your prayer.

✠In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Jesus said to his disciples, 'The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.' *John 14.25-27*

Heavenly Father, I pray for our parish,
particularly on this day for *(name of street)*
and all who live or spend time there,
and for *(the other intention for the day)*.

Almighty God,
who called St John to proclaim the good news of your Son,
and in whose Gospel are revealed the signs of his glory;
protect all who live and work in this parish,
and, aided by the prayers of our blessed Evangelist,
may your people grow in holiness and love;
through him who draws all people to himself,
Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.



Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

✠The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. Amen.