

The Episcopal Diocese of Eastern Oregon

Diocesan Prayer Calendar - 2013

Beloved Sisters and Brothers,

"The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective." James 5.16

Every day my calendar 'pops up' the EDEO Daily Prayer List. I stop for a moment and remember the people of that parish or ministry, and keep them and all of you in my heart. Every Sunday we are invited through the EDEO Sunday Prayer List to keep one another in prayer along with the various provinces and dioceses of the Anglican Communion.

Our hearts are expanded by this life of prayer for one another, for in prayer our connections to one another are deepened, and our connection to God is made incarnate. So we pray for one another because that is how we become who God calls us to be. That is how we learn to live for others and with others. That is how we are, as Jesus prays, made one in Christ.

I have been thinking lately about the old disciplines: about going to church, praying always, reading Scripture, tithing, fasting and giving thanks in all circumstances. I am convinced that these are the ways God grabs us by the scruff of the neck, or embraces us in huge bear hugs, or whispers in our ear. It is in these simple incarnate ways of being present to one another that we encounter Jesus. It is also through these disciplines that we allow God to have God's way with us, when we allow God space to transform us.

So let us pray without ceasing, for the world and for one another, asking God to make us whole, to make us one, to make us new.

Blessings,

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January

- 6 St. Thomas, Canyon City: Dan Gardner
- 13 St Peter's, La Grande: Kathryn Macek
- 20 St. Paul's, Nyssa: Roger Williams
- 27 St Paul's, Klamath Falls: Martha Hurlburt

February

- 3 St Paul's, The Dalles: Janet Fullmer, Stephen Schafroth, Georgia Giacobbe
- 10 St Brigid in the Pines Community Church, Sumpter: Aletha Bonebrake, Richard Thew
- 17 St. Alban's, Redmond: Paul Morton, Chuck Christopher
- 24 St. James', Milton-Freewater: Rebecca Hendricks

March

- 3 Church of the Transfiguration, Sisters: Ted Rodrigues, Roger Fairfield
- 10 St Patrick's, Enterprise: Richard Thew
- 17 St. Matthew's, Ontario: Jim Mosier
- 24 St. Luke's, Lakeview: Richard Landrith
- 31 Easter Sunday: The Mission and Ministry of the Diocese of Eastern Oregon

April

- 7 St Mark's & Lutheran Church Good Shepherd, Madras: Jan Kozak, Larry Mahon
- 14 St John's, Hermiston: Dan Lediard, Chuck Barnes
- 21 St Mark's, Hood River: Anna Carmichael
- 28 Church of the Redeemer, Pendleton: Alison Dingley, Jean Cupp

May

- 5 Ascension School Camp and Conference Center: Patty Olson Lindsey and staff
- 12 The Diocesan Commission on Ministry
- 19 Trinity, Bend: Roy Green, Gaye Lawson
- 26 All Saints & Hope Lutheran, Heppner: Katy Anderson

June

- 2 St Barnabas, Bonanza: Martha Hurlburt, Sherry Hartley
- 9 All Saints of the Cascades/Sunriver Christian Fellowship, Sunriver: Nancy Sargent Green
- 16 St Alban's, Redmond: Chuck Christopher, Paul Morton
- 23 St Paul's, Nyssa: Roger Williams
- 30 St. Andrew's/Peace Lutheran/Church of the Living Waters, Burns: Matthew Littau

July

- 7 St. Stephen's, Baker City: Aletha Bonebrake, Connie Boone
- 14 St. Andrew's, Prineville: Janet Warner
- 21 St James, Milton-Freewater: Rebecca Hendricks
- 28 Church of the Transfiguration, Sisters: Ted Rodrigues, Roger Fairfield

August

- 4 Adult Education Camp
- 11 St. Peter's, La Grande: Kathryn Macek
- 18 St. Paul's, Klamath Falls: Martha Hurlburt
- 25 St. Thomas, Canyon City: Dan Gardner

September

- 1 St. Paul's, The Dalles: Janet Fullmer, Stephen Schafroth, Georgia Giacobbe
- 8 St. Patrick's, Enterprise: Richard Thew
- 15 St Matthew's, Ontario: Jim Mosier
- 22 St. Brigid in the Pines Community Church, Sumpter: Aletha Bonebrake, Richard Thew
- 29 St. John's, Hermiston: Dan Lediard, Chuck Barnes

October

- 6 St Luke's, Lakeview: Richard Landrith
- 13 Diocesan Convention
- 20 All Saints & Hope Lutheran, Heppner: Katy Anderson
- 27 All Saints Cascades/Sunriver Christian Fellowship, Sunriver; Nancy Sargent Green

November

- 3 St. Mark's, Hood River: Anna Carmichael
- 10 St. Mark's & Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, Madras: Jan Kozak, Larry Mahon
- 17 Diocesan Council and Standing Committee
- 24 Trinity, Bend: Roy Green, Gaye Lawson

December

- 1 St Andrew's/ Peace Lutheran/Church of the Living Waters, Burns: Matthew Littau
- 8 St Andrew's, Prineville: Janet Warner
- 15 St. Barnabas, Bonanza: Martha Hurlburt, Sherry Hartley
- 22 Church of the Redeemer, Pendleton: Alison Dingley, Jean Cupp
- 29 St Stephen's, Baker City: Aletha Bonebrake, Connie Boone