

Prayer List for the Companions of St. Luke

December 7 – 13, 2025

For the Episcopal Church

The Rt. Rev. Sean Rowe, Presiding Bishop
The Rt. Rev. Dorsey McConnell, CSL Bishop Visitor

For the worldwide Anglican Communion, and Full Communion Partners of The Episcopal Church

The Rt. Rev. and Rt. Honorable Dame Sarah Mullally, Archbishop of Canterbury Designate
The Rt. Rev. Shane Parker, Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada
The Rt. Rev. Marinez Rosa dos Santos Bassotto, Primate of the Anglican Episcopal Church of Brazil
The Rt. Rev. Yeheil Curry, Presiding Bishop of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

We pray for Sr. Mary Magdalene Clarke's church: St. David's Episcopal Church, Austin, TX; Diocese of Texas,
The Rt. Rev. Andy Doyle, Bishop.

For bishops, priests, and ministers in the Church of England and throughout the Anglican Communion during this time of transition in leadership. We remember especially and pray for all victims of abuse by, and cover-ups and institutional failure on the part of, leaders and members of the Church. Lord, have mercy.

In Thanksgiving (celebrate Saint Feast Days, Profession, Anniversaries, and Birthdays)

Dec. 13 Wedding Anniversary: Sr. Catherine Ann Ballinger and William Burns, Jr.
Dec. 6 Belated happy birthday to Jason Lentz!

For CSL Leadership – *that the Holy Spirit may guide their work for God's Benedictine Community.*

Abbess Martha Lamoy+
Br. Raymond Escott+, Prior
Br. Jean-Baptiste Blizzard+, Treasurer
Sr. Julian Smith-Boyer, Dean of Professed Life
Sr. Genevieve Lynn Robinson, Dean of Continuing Education
Br. James Rafael Davies, Dean of Oblate Life
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For Those in Religious Life – *that their life with Christ will strengthen the Companions of St. Luke and the greater Church.*

Life Professed Members: (two different members each week)

Br. Gregory Tatchell
Sr. Margaret Mary Bergeron

Oblates: (one different member each week)

Br. Michael Anicetus McCabe

For Those in Religious Discernment

Annually Professed: (two different members each week)

Br. Jean Baptiste Blizzard+
Sr. Marie Patricia Hughes

Novices: (two different members each week)

Br. Joseph Elias Varsanyi+
Sr. Gianna Altadonna

Postulants: (one different member each week)

Joseph Hain

Novice-Oblates: (one different member each week)

John Mangels+

Intercession for Other Prayer Requests:

For all those in trouble or in harm's way, experiencing war and conflict, famine, disease, extreme weather, and natural disasters. We pray especially for those suffering in the Middle East, Ukraine, and Africa. We also pray for all who have been affected, both at home and abroad, by actions taken that reduce access to essential services such as food, shelter, health care and clean water.

We pray for world peace.

We pray for all elected and appointed officials that, in keeping with the gospels, they may exercise their responsibilities with mercy and compassion.

For Healing, peace, and comfort:

Fr. Wayne Kamm & Mary Jessica P.	thanksgiving for continued healing following Father Kamm's knee surgery stage 4 cancer with metastases; Husband & 2 teenage children (Br. Daniel)
Br. Florian Campbell	full recovery & healing from abdominal repair surgery on July 30th
Sr. Dawna Clare Sutton	continued health & strength as she receives therapy & recovers at home
Fr. Sid Breese	undergoing treatment for "a form of blood cancer;" optimistic about outcome (4/11/25)
Br. Jean-Baptiste Blizzard	recent diagnosis: prayers for strength, courage, healing & for patience & good humor
Angela	friend of Sister Gianna's who has polycythemia vera
Br. Thomas Ferrell	successful physical therapy to recover mobility after his fall
Virginie Boucq	Former sister-in-law & beloved friend of Br. Jérôme, dealing with breast cancer (update 11/20)
Adam	chronic back pain (friend of Abbess Martha)
John	in hospice; pray for a peaceful transition & comfort for his wife & caregiver, Donna
Sr. Genevieve Lynn	prayers for rapid healing and follow-up radiation treatments
Br. Richard Joachim	find gainful and reliable employment
Jessica S.	peace, comfort & strength through her struggles (Br. Daniel)
Jim DeStafney	healing, peace & comfort for Nan DeStafney's husband with dementia
Lisa S	"struggling right now" (Br. Daniel)
Isabel	mental health crisis, 17-year-old daughter of Kevin & April, granddaughter of Br. Daniel
Maria Malvaso	undergoing both chemo & radiation for breast cancer, sister-in-law of Sr. Marie Patricia
Robert Hester	progressing cardiovascular disease & upcoming tests, for his wife, Kim (Sr. Gianna's sister & brother-in-law)
Chris and Latesha	serious health concerns (neighbors of Jason Lentz)
Jocelyn Nilisson	currently homeless in a state with minimum services, prayer as she navigates her situation (Br. John David)
Chris	veteran with PTSD, divorced, lost his job, owes child support (Sr. Cynthia Anne's nephew)
Sr. Denise Moore's mother	in ICU
Deborah Q. and family	dealing with multiple issues (Sr. Gianna)
Chris Moses	autoimmune disorder (Jason Lentz)
Jeff Miller	esophageal cancer (Sr. Clare)
Deana	metastasized breast cancer, in hospice, & for her daughter, JoDee (John Mangels)
Lissette Bolduc	painful neck injury (Jason Lentz)

For Churches in Transition, searching for a new Rector:

St. Peter's Episcopal Church	Santa Maria, CA – Discernment re: Priest-in-Charge (Sr. Dawna Clare)
The Episcopal Church of All Saints	Indianapolis, IN (Br. Jérôme)
St. David's Episcopal Church	Austin, TX (Sr. Mary Magdalene)

Intercession for Those Who Have Requested Our Prayers (from CSL webpage-2 weeks)

For the Deceased and their Families:

Grant your Servant, Lord Christ, rest with all your saints; and may all who mourn be comforted.

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer 2025

Sunday, 7 December	<i>Advent 2</i> – The Church of Bangladesh
Monday, 8 December	The Diocese of Ruwenzori – The Church of the Province of Uganda
Tuesday, 9 December	The Diocese of East Ruwenzori – The Church of the Province of Uganda
Wednesday, 10 December	The Diocese of South Ruwenzori – The Church of the Province of Uganda
Thursday, 11 December	The Diocese of Sabah – The Church of the Province of South East Asia
Friday, 12 December	The Diocese of Sabongidda-Ora – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
Saturday, 13 December	The Sacred Circle – The Anglican Church of Canada