

Guildford Diocesan Calendar of Prayer

September 2026

If there are any errors in the calendar, we apologise. The diocesan CMS is as up-to-date as the information we receive, so please forward amendments or changes of circumstances as they arise.

We would like to thank our new volunteer for assisting in compiling this month's calendar.

Please remember to include in your prayers the many people who keep our parishes, schools and chaplaincies going: Churchwardens, PCCs members, youth/family/children's workers, volunteer chaplains and all other volunteers.

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Dorking Deanery

Tuesday 1st September

CofE calendar	Giles of Provence, Hermit, c.710
Anglican Diocese	Belize
Anglican Church	The Church in the Province of the West Indies
	All those involved in conflict, particularly Ukraine and Russia, Iran and the United States, Israel and Gaza, the wider Middle East, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, and South Sudan
Prayer focus	

Wednesday 2nd September

CofE calendar	The Martyrs of Papua New Guinea, 1901 and 1942
Anglican Diocese	Bendigo
Anglican Church	The Anglican Church of Australia
Parish	Abinger and Coldharbour and Wotton and Holmbury St Mary
Incumbent	Kia Pakenham, Roy Woodhams
Other clergy	Virginia Smith
LLMs	Hilary Swift, Amber Wood, Martha Golden (PTO), Hugh Skeil
School	Belmont Prep School, Moon Hall School, Surrey Hill All Saints Primary School

Thursday 3rd September

CofE calendar	Gregory the Great, Bishop of Rome, Teacher of the Faith, 604
Anglican Diocese	Beni
Anglican Church	Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo
Parish	Capel and Ockley (Surrey Weald Team)
Incumbent	Liz Richardson
Other clergy	Joanna Elvidge, Gill Christie
School	Scott Broadwood CofE Infant School, Dorking, The Weald CofE Primary School, Capel

Friday 4th September

CofE calendar	Birinus, Bishop of Dorchester (Oxon), Apostle of Wessex, 650; Cuthbert (if not celebrated on 20th March)
Anglican Diocese	Benin
Anglican Church	The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
Parish	St Paul's, Dorking
Incumbent	Alex Cacouris
Other clergy	Rachel Hamilton, Jon Ruddock, Ron Bushyager, Jenny Firth, Jeff Yelland
LLMs	Graham Everness, Heather Goddard, Leslie Bell
School	The Priory CofE School, St Paul's CofE Primary School

Saturday 5th September

Anglican Diocese	Bentiu
Anglican Church	Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
Parish	St Martin's Dorking with Ranmore
Incumbent	Anthony Rustell
Other clergy	David Cowan, David Williams, Bishop Richard Cheetham
LLMs	Chris Watts
School	St Martin's CofE Primary School, Dorking

Sunday 6th September - 14th Sunday after Trinity

Anglican Church	The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria
Parish	St Mary Magdalene, Holmwood (Surrey Weald Team)
Incumbent	Jane Schofield

Monday 7th September

Anglican Diocese	Bermuda
Anglican Church	(Extra Provincial)
Parish	St Peter's Newdigate (Surrey Weald Team)
Incumbent	vacancy
Other clergy	Martin Gilpin
School	Newdigate Endowed CofE Infant School

Tuesday 8th September

CofE calendar	The Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Accession of King Charles III (2002)
Anglican Diocese	Bethlehem
Anglican Church	The Episcopal Church
Parish	North Holmwood
Incumbent	Peter Nevins
Other clergy	Colin Gibson, Caroline Lazenby
School	St John's CofE Primary School, Dorking

Wednesday 9th September

CofE calendar	Charles Fuge Lowder, Priest, 1880
Anglican Diocese	Bhopal
Anglican Church	The Church of North India (United)
Parishes	Surrey Weald group of parishes

Thursday 10th September
 Anglican Diocese Bida
 Anglican Church The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
 Parish Holy Trinity Westcott
 Priests with PTO Tim Armstrong
 Other clergy Ian Hughes, Hannah Mayo
 School Surrey Hills Primary School, Westcott

Friday 11th September
 Anglican Diocese Biharamulo
 Anglican Church The Anglican Church of Tanzania
 Area Dorking Deanery
 PTO clergy Sarah Brough, Barbara Steadman-Allen

Saturday 12th September
 Anglican Diocese Birmingham
 Anglican Church The Church of England
 Prayer intention For all those that mourn

Sunday 13th September - 15th Sunday after Trinity
 CofE calendar John Chrysostom, Bishop of Constantinople, Teacher of the Faith, 407
 Anglican Church The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia
 Prayer intention For HM the king and the royal family

Emly Deanery

Monday 14th September
 CofE calendar Holy Cross Day
 Anglican Diocese Blackburn
 Anglican Church The Church of England
 Prayer intention For the Guildford episcopal vacancy

Tuesday 15th September
 CofE calendar Cyprian, Bishop of Carthage, Martyr, 258
 Anglican Diocese Bo
 Anglican Church The Church of the Province of West Africa
 Parish Holy Trinity, Claygate
 Incumbent Patrick Bateman
 Linda Morgan (PTO), Katherine Willis, Sarah Atkins, Stuart Sadler,
 Other clergy Katherine Miller
 School Rowan Prep School (Rowan Brae and Rowan Hill)

Wednesday 16th September
 CofE calendar Ninian, Bishop of Galloway, Apostle of the Picts, c.432; Edward Bouverie Pusey, Priest, Tractarian, 1882

Anglican Diocese	Boga
Anglican Church	Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo
Parish	St Mary's, East Molesey
Incumbent	Nate Kurz
Other Clergy	Rachel Mead

Thursday	17th September
CofE calendar	Hildegard, Abbess of Bingen, Visionary, 1179
Anglican Diocese	Bolivia
Anglican Church	The Anglican Church of South America
Parish	St Paul's, East Molesey
Incumbent	Anne Farmer
LLMs	Tony Harris
School	St Lawrence CofE Junior School, East Molesey

Friday	18th September
Anglican Diocese	Bondo
Anglican Church	The Anglican Church of Kenya
Parish	Christ Church, Esher and St George's West End
Incumbent	Jo Winn-Smith (designate)
Other clergy	Jonathan Andrew
School	Claremont Fan Court School, Esher Church Primary School, Esher CofE High School, Shrewsbury Lodge Pre-Prep School

Saturday	19th September
CofE calendar	Theodore of Tarsus, Archbishop of Canterbury, 690
Anglican Diocese	Bor
Anglican Church	Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
Parish	St Peter's, Hersham
Incumbent	Jackie Richardson
Other Clergy	Tristan Stone
LLMs	Rosie Hoad (PTO),
School	Notre Dame School

Sunday	20th September - 16th Sunday after Trinity
Anglican Church	The Anglican Church of Australia
Parish	St Christopher's, Hinchley Wood
Incumbent	Josh Baines

Monday	21st September
CofE calendar	Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist
Anglican Diocese	Botswana
Anglican Church	The Church of the Province of Central Africa
Parish	St Mary's, Long Ditton
Incumbent	Kuhan Satkunanayagam

Other clergy Alison Baverstock
School St Mary's CofE Junior School, Long Ditton

Tuesday 22nd September

Anglican Diocese Brandon
Anglican Church The Anglican Church of Canada
Parish St Mary's, Oatlands
Incumbent Mark Ashworth
LLMs Hugh Montgomerie
School Cleves Secondary School

Wednesday 23rd September

Anglican Diocese Brechin
Anglican Church The Scottish Episcopal Church
Parish St Nicholas, Thames Ditton
Incumbent Andrew Cowie

Thursday 24th September

Anglican Diocese Brisbane
Anglican Church The Anglican Church of Australia
Parish St Mary's and St John's, Walton-on-Thames
Incumbent Jonny Blair
Other clergy Cathy Blair, Caroline Merrick, Kirsty Evans, Esther Holley-Hunt
School Ashley CofE Primary School, Walton-on-Thames

Friday 25th September

CofE calendar Lancelot Andrewes, Bishop of Winchester, Spiritual Writer, 1626; Sergei of Radonezh, Russian Monastic Reformer, Teacher of the Faith, 1392
Anglican Diocese Bristol
Anglican Church The Church of England
Parish St Peter's, West Molesey
Incumbent Alex Munro
Other clergy Sue Langwade

Saturday 26th September

CofE calendar Wilson Carlile, Founder of the Church Army, 1942
Anglican Diocese British Columbia
Anglican Church The Anglican Church of Canada
Parish All Saints, Weston
Incumbent Richard Rugg
Other clergy Miranda Ransi

Sunday 27th September - 17th Sunday after Trinity

Anglican Church The Church of Bangladesh
Parish Weybridge

Incumbent	Damian Harrison-Miles
Other clergy	Barry Hengist, Richard Truss, Tom Musson
School	St George's Junior School, Weybridge, St James CofE Primary School, Weybridge

Monday	28th September
Anglican Diocese	Central Buganda
Anglican Church	The Church of the Province of Uganda
Area	Emly Deanery
PTO priest	Carole Bourne, William Alberry

Tuesday	29th September
CofE calendar	Michael and All Angels
Anglican Diocese	West Buganda
Anglican Church	The Church of the Province of Uganda
Prayer intention	For all those in spiritual distress

Wednesday	30th September
CofE calendar	Jerome, Translator of the Scriptures, Teacher of the Faith, 420
Anglican Diocese	Buhiga
Anglican Church	The Anglican Church of Burundi
Prayer intention	All those who do not yet know Christ