



DIOCESAN (DOG) PRAYER NETWORK FOR JULY 2021

Please send to your Intercessory groups and parishioners.

Please pray earnestly with all perseverance to the Glory of God!

(Please contact me if you have any queries or responses. Blessings Revd Pam Berning).

Jonah 3:4b-5 "Forty more days and Nineveh will be overturned. The Ninevites believed God.

They declared a fast and all of them, from the greatest to the least, put on sackcloth." Pray & fast for 14 days for healing and end to virus.

LET US RING BELLS AT 12pm & SAY THE ANGELUS

LET US FAST AND PRAY 1st FRIDAY IN THE MONTH FOR OUR DIOCESE:

Please pray for the people of God in this time of crisis, hold them close to the heart of God, to know the love and compassion of God.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE BISHOP & family:

Pray for God's love and compassion to enfold them, pray for wisdom in all decisions.

PRAY FOR THE CLERGY:

Pray for a closer walk with God, for renewal of the inner being.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DIOCESAN STAFF:

Pray for strength and peace

PLEASE PRAY EVERYDAY OF THE WEEK:

ALL THOSE SUFFERING TERMINAL DISEASES:

Pray for those living with disabilities and for their carers. Pray for those living with CANCER & terminal diseases. Pray for each one in our Parishes, for God's love and compassion.

Pray for those living with HIV and AIDS, And TB, Pray especially for those with Covid-19.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK IN OUR OWN DIOCESE

Bishop Derek & Marylynn Damant, Rev Griffiths March, Rev Susan Rhode, Rev Dorothy Monk, Rev Peter Minnaar, Rev Henry Petersen, Rev Sydney Philander, Rev Efraim Philander, Rev David Gwilliam and any others.

BISHOP'S CALENDAR

<u>JULY</u>	01	BP Virtual Interviews - Diocese of Swaziland Diocesan Staff Meeting 12hoo Virtual Interview at 18hoo
	08	BP Virtual Electoral College – Election of Bishop of Natal
	14	BP MTS – Virtual at 10hoo
	15	BP Discernment Committee – Virtual Meeting at 11am
	16	BP Discernment Committee - Virtual Meeting at 10am
	20-22	BP MTS – Triannual Virtual Meeting @ 11hoo
	25-31	BP on leave



MONDAYS: PRAY FOR THE SICK, those with-COVID-19 AND BEREAVED

Pray for the sick in our Parishes, pray that all will be vaccinated, pray for positive response to this rescue medication. Pray for those with Covid, pray for healing and restoration of their health.
PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED & THE BEREAVED, Pray for eternal peace.

TUESDAYS: PRAY FOR ALL SOCIAL & MEDICAL SERVICES.

Pray for doctors, nurses, researchers and all medical professionals who seek to heal and help those affected and put themselves at risk. Pray for the elderly and vulnerable. Pray for those who have lost jobs and are unemployed.

WEDNESDAYS: PLEASE PRAY AT ALL TIMES FOR OUR NATION SOUTH AFRICA

Pray for our President and leaders. Give them the foresight to act with charity and true concern for the well-being of the people whom they serve and for true concern for the economy. Pray against corruption. 2 Chron. 7 v 14
Pray against Xenophobia (Deut. 10:18,19), for justice, and compassion.
Pray for the poor, the jobless and homeless, especially for a time like this.
Pray for the businesses during this lockdown period. Pray for our farmers who provide food
Pray for protection for our children at schools, especially during the holidays.
Pray Nkosi Sikelel' Afrika.

THURSDAYS: PRAY FOR ALL CHURCHES AND FOR OUR ORGANIZATIONS IN THE DIOCESE.

Pray that we may be creative to new ways of being the Church.
Pray for the organizations and leaders, for new ways of communication and work.
Pray our churches will continue to teach, feed and reach out to the lost.
Pray for livestreaming of services. Pray that the church may be pro-active in coming alongside those in need. Pray for a Pentecost experience in our churches to revive and strengthen God's church with a new vision of growing the Kingdom of God. Pray that churches may invest in good discipleship courses such as Alpha and Rooted in Jesus.

FRIDAYS: PRAY & FAST FOR OUR DIOCESE: FOR OUR SPIRITUAL FORMATION & GROWTH

Pray for servant leadership, for Jesus-shaped model: invite people into their life space. Pray that their lifestyle can model discipleship "Do what I do". Pray that they invest in the lives of people. Pray for evangelistic outreach "Go and make disciples". Pray for baptisms and confirmations may these be rooted in Jesus. Matt 28:18-20

SATURDAYS: PRAY THE DIOCESE YOUTH

Pray for the Youth in our Diocese. PRAY that the church invests in our Youth, empower them to lead. Help them to use digital technology to reach the Youth and share the Gospel. Pray for all schools and universities as they close. Pray for the stress on teachers and children and protect them. Prov 4:1-6

SUNDAYS: PRAY FOR THE CHURCHES

Pray all the protocol rules will be adhered to. Pray that the Word of God & Eucharistic Sacraments will be sent out during this lockdown period. Pray for the people in our communities, understanding their stresses and problems. Pray that with God's help they will cope with all stresses. Acts 1:8

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS OR ANNIVERSARIES JULY 2021

JULY	1	Annie Saayman
	3	*Luzaan Jacobs
	5	Henry Petersen
	8	Calvin Frans
	11	Heather Steenkamp
	13	*Rita Sinclair-Black
	22	Greg Jantjies
	24	*Charmaine Oktober
	25	*Ros Green
	27	*Avril Philander
	28	Peter Minnaar
	30	Russell Claassen Susan Rhode

ANGELUS

God bless our world, Give it wisdom at this time, Grant us relief and release,
Be with those who are ill, and bless the carers fighting this pandemic.
For Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

Prayer for the month:

**Do not be anxious about anything,
But in everything,
By prayer and petition,
With thanksgiving,
Present your requests to God.
And the peace of God,
Which transcends all understanding,
Will guard your hearts and
Your minds in Christ Jesus.
(Philippians 4v6-7)**