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## **Diocesan Cycle of Prayer**

**April – July 2024**

Over the coming weeks, we pray for the parish communities in the deanery of St Therese of Lisieux.

### **20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> April**

This week we pray for the people of the parishes of Our Lady of Good Counsel and the Guardian Angels, Bury, and St. Hilda's, Tottington, with Father Paul Cannon, their parish priest. We pray for their parish primary schools.

### **27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> April**

Let us pray this week for the parish of St. Marie and St. Joseph, Bury, and for Fr. William Foley, their parish priest. We pray for their parish primary schools, for St. Gabriel's High School and Holy Cross Sixth Form College, and for the chaplaincy to Fairfield Hospital and the Bury Hospice.

### **4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> May**

We pray this week for the people of the parish of Our Lady and St. Joseph, Heywood, with Fr. Augustine Frankin and Fr. John Okeme, of the Missionaries of St. Paul. We pray for their parish primary schools and Holy Family RC/CE College.

### **11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> May**

Let us pray this week for the parish of Our Lady of Dolours, Kersal, and Fr. Vincent Coyne, of the Servite Friars, their parish priest. We pray for their parish primary school, St. Monica's High School, the Faithful Companions of Jesus, the Sisters of Nazareth and the residents of Nazareth House, together with their chaplain, Fr. Anthony Dearman.

**18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> May**

Let us pray for the people of the parish of Our Lady of the Assumption, Middleton, together with Canon Tadhg Mullins, their parish priest. We pray for their parish primary schools, for Cardinal Langley High School, for the Daughters of Divine Charity and the Sisters of the Cross and Passion.

**25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> May**

We pray for the people of the parish of St. Peter and St. Thomas More, Middleton, for Father Boniface Ambe, their parish priest, and for Bishop Terence Brain. We pray for their parish primary schools.

**1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> June**

This week let us pray for the people of the parish of St. Vincent de Paul, Norden, for Father James Manock, their parish priest and the Rural Dean, and for their parish primary school.

**8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> June**

Let us pray for the parish of Our Lady of Grace, Prestwich, for Father Philip Caldwell, their parish priest, for their parish primary school, for the chaplaincy to Prestwich Hospital, and the Sisters of Our Lady of Sion.

**15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> June**

We pray this week for the people of the parish of St. Mary and St. Philip Neri, Radcliffe, for Fr. Philip Brady, their parish priest, and for their parish primary school.

**22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> June**

Let us pray this week for the people of the parish of St. Joseph, Ramsbottom, with Father Peter Hopkinson, their parish priest, and for their parish primary school.

**29<sup>th</sup>/30<sup>th</sup> June**

We pray for the people of the parish of St. Margaret Clitherow, for Father Simon Firth, their parish priest, for their parish primary schools, St. Cuthbert's High School, and for Springhill Hospice.

**6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> July**

Let us pray for the parish of St. Gabriel and the Angels and St. John the Baptist, Castleton and Rochdale, with Father Michael Johonnett, their parish priest, their parish primary schools and the Franciscan Missionaries of St. Joseph.

**13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> July**

We pray for the people of the parish of St. John XXIII, Rochdale and Littleborough, with Father Robert Lasia, their parish priest, their parish primary schools, the chaplaincies to the Rochdale Royal Infirmary and His Majesty's Prison Buckley Hall and the Daughters of Divine Charity.

**20/21<sup>st</sup> July**

Let us pray for the people of the parish of St. Michael and St. Bernadette, Whitefield, and for Canon Steven Parkinson, their parish priest. We pray for the parish primary schools.