

1 Friday

Giles of Provence, hermit, c.710

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Zaki-Biam (Nigeria)
Bp Jezreel Vandeh
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Bishop Ingeborg Midttømme
- **Diocese of Newcastle:**
Diocesan Director of Education:
Gill Booth

2 Saturday

Martyrs of Papua New Guinea, 1901, 1942

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Central Zambia (Central Africa)
Bp Derek Gary Kamukwamba
- **Diocese of Møre:** The Diocesan Council
- **Diocese of Newcastle:**
The Assistant Directors of Education:
Ann Vernon, Jo Warner, Liane Atkin

This week ...

'... for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.' (Matthew 16:23)

Peter quickly goes from proclaiming faith in Jesus to doubting Jesus' word; we can easily identify with him in our own faith journeys, so let's pray that we might receive afresh the gift of faith to trust God and set our minds on Christ our Saviour in our lives.

3 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

- **Porvoo Communion:**
Diocese of St Asaph (*Church in Wales*)
Diocese of Salisbury
- **Anglican Communion:**
Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean
Abp James Richard Wong Yin Song
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Diocesan Director: Bjørn Olaf Storhaug

- **Diocese of Newcastle:**
All teachers and headteachers taking up new posts in our Church Schools this week

4 Monday

Birinus, bishop of Dorchester, Apostle of Wessex, 650

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Eastern Zambia (Central Africa)
Bp William Mchombo
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Diocesan Office Manager: Elin Næsje Sætre
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Area Dean: Tim Mayfield
Lay Chair: Emma Doran

5 Tuesday

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Northern Zambia (Central Africa)
Abp Albert Chama
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Department of Ministry:
Head: Arvid Helle
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Deanery Secretary: Jan Porter
Finance Officer: Iain Shaw

6 Wednesday

Allen Gardiner, missionary, founder of the South American Missionary Society, 1851

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Zanzibar (Anglican Church of Tanzania) Bp Michael Hafidh
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Advisor for Culture: John Erik Brakstad
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Pray today for all engaged in the Deanery Planning Process in Tynemouth Deanery

7 Thursday

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Zaria (Nigeria)
Bp Ishaya Baba
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Adviser for Diaconia: Eline Elnes Rabbevåg
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice of Balkwell St Peter
Priest-in-Charge: Lee Cleminson
Assistant Curate: Helen Young
- **The Mothers' Union**
Pray for all members worldwide travelling to York this month for the Mothers' Union Gathering.

8 Friday

The Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Ethelburg of Lyming, queen and abbess, c.647
[CNS *]

Accession of King Charles III, 2022

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Central Zimbabwe (Central Africa) Bp Ignatius Makumbe
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Adviser for Catechesis: Bente Wangensteen
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice of Billy Mill
Priest-in-Charge: Stephanie Keates
Reader: Gill Cunliffe (PTO)
- * vacant canonry

9 Saturday

Charles Fuge Lowder, priest, 1880

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Zonkwa (Nigeria)
Bp Jacob Wutokwe Kwashi
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Adviser for Mission and Ministry:
Grethe Lystad Johnsen (until November)
- **Tynemouth Deanery**
Benefice: Cullercoats St George
Vicar: Adrian Hughes
Reader: Margaret Patterson (PTO)

10 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

- **Porvoo Communion:**
Diocese of Ribe (Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark)
Diocese of Bath and Wells

This week ...

'For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.' (Matthew 18:20)

Jesus' words are often a comfort to us when we feel small in number, yet these words are set in the context of working through disagreement; let's pray for all the challenges we know facing the Church, whether locally, nationally or globally, where Christians disagree, and let's pray for that recognition of Jesus Christ and his transforming presence in the midst of us.

- **Anglican Communion:**
The Church of Ireland
Abp John McDowell
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Adviser on Church Buildings:
Svein Magne Harnes
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Earsdon and Backworth
Vicar: Tim Mayfield

11 Monday

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Zululand (Southern Africa)
Bp Vikinduku Mnculwane
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Adviser for youth, integration and volunteering: Ellen Bjørnsen
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
St John's Parish Church, Backworth

12 Tuesday

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Aba (Nigeria)
Bp Christian Ugwuzor
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Department of Personnel
Head: Anne-Marit Hagelund
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
St Alban's Parish Church, Earsdon

13 Wednesday

John Chrysostom, bishop of Constantinople, teacher of the faith, 407

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Aba Ngwa North (*Nigeria*)
Bp Nathan C O Kanu
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Personnel Advisors: Lars Skagestad and
Siv Brudevoll
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Mardon with Preston Grange
Priest-in-Charge: Stephanie Keates

14 HOLY CROSS DAY

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Abakaliki (*Nigeria*)
Bp Monday Chukwuma Njwoagu
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Advisor for Communications and
Digitisation: Kurt W Vadset
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Monkseaton St Mary
Vicar: Nigel Taylor
Reader: Nicola Denyer
- **Praying for Christian Unity:**
For all local ecumenical groups meeting in
towns and villages after the summer break.

15 Friday

Cyprian, bishop of Carthage, martyr, 258

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Aberdeen and Orkney (*Scottish Episcopal Church*) Acting Bp John Armes
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Cathedral Deanery of Molde:
Dean: Olav Gading (*until end of October*)
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Monkseaton St Peter
Vicar: Hannah Cleugh
Reader: Janice Porter
Reader Emeritus: Ann Bartlett

16 Saturday

Ninian, bishop of Galloway, apostle of the Picts, c.432

Edward Bouverie Pusey, priest, Tractarian, 1890

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Abuja (*Nigeria*)
Bp Henry C Ndukuba (Primate)
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Cathedral Deanery of Molde:
Parishes of Midsund and Nesset
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: North Shields Team Ministry

Team Rector: Glyn Evans

Team Vicar: Dorothy Robinson

Reader: Barbara Bennett (PTO)

*Please pray today for all the members of the
Diocesan Synod, meeting at Percy Main St John.*

This week ...

‘Jesus said to him, ‘Not seven times, but, I tell you, seventy-seven times.’ (Matthew 18:22)

Peter’s question about our need to forgive opens up for us the unfathomable depth of Christ’s forgiveness; let’s pray for those who carry unforgiveness, for those who struggle to believe they can be forgiven, and that we in the Church may reflect the depths of God’s mercy more and more.

17 FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

- **Porvoo Communion:**
Diocese of Sheffield
Diocese of Greenland (*within the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark*)
- **Anglican Communion:**
Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean
Abp James Richard Wong Yin Song
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Cathedral Deanery of Molde:
Parishes of Eresfjord and Eikesdal
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Parish Church of Christ Church, North Shields
- Tynemouth Christ Church C of E Primary School

18 Monday

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Abyei (*South Sudan*)
Bp Michael Deng K Boi
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Cathedral Deanery of Molde:
Parishes of Vistdal and Aukra
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
St Augustin’s Parish Church, North Shields

19 Tuesday

*Theodore of Tarsus, archbishop of Canterbury, 690 [CNS] **

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Accra (West Africa)
Bp Daniel Sylvanus Mensah Torto
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Cathedral Deanery of Molde:
Parish of Vågøy and Myrbostad
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Shiremoor St Mark
Priest-in-Charge: Rae Caro

** Stall occupied by Helen Wright, Cathedral Reader*

20 Wednesday

John Coleridge Patteson, first bishop of Melanesia, and his companions, martyrs, 1871

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Adelaide (Australia)
Abp Geoffrey Smith
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Cathedral Deanery of Molde
Parishes of Bud, Hustad and Eide
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Tynemouth Priory Holy Saviour
Vicar: Steve Dixon
Assistant Curate: Rosemary New

21 MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Afikpo (Nigeria)
Bp Paul Udogu
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:
Area Dean: Ingeborg Matre
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Tynemouth St John Percy Main
Priest-in-Charge: Lee Cleminson
Assistant Curate: Helen Young
- **Praying for Christian Unity:**
For all Diocesan Ecumenical Officers. (Our Diocese does not have one at present.)

22 Friday

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of North Africa (Alexandria)
Area Bp Samy Fawzy
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:

Parishes of Volda and Austefjord

- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Tynemouth St Paul Cullercoats
Vicar: John Vilaseca-Bruch
Assistant Curate: Mairi Howell
Reader: Pat Bond (PTO)

23 Saturday

Adomnan, abbot of Iona, 704 [CNS]

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Agra (North India)
Bp Prem Prakash Habil
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:
Parishes of Hornindal and Kilsfjord
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Wallsend St John
Priest-in-Charge: vacant

Please pray for all those attending today's training day for Churchwardens, including a workshop on Generosity.

This week ...

'Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?' (Matthew 20:15)

Through the landowner in his parable, Jesus speaks radically about the generosity of God and the sheer gift of all we have; let's pray for our Generosity Week, which starts today in our Diocese, that we may recognise all our blessings with joy and be inspired to live faithfully out of God's great generosity to us.



NEWCASTLE DIOCESE GENEROSITY WEEK

24 SEP - 1 OCT 2023



**Help us not to take your generosity
for granted, and to seek to reflect
your abundant grace in all that we
do,
for the glory of your name. Amen**

24 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Generosity Week: Day 1

The Gift of Creation: Praying for wisdom to use the generous gift of our Lord's creation for the benefit of all

- **Porvoo Communion:**
Diocese of Swansea and Brecon (*Church in Wales*)
Diocese of Leicester
- **Anglican Communion:**
The Church of Ireland
Abp John McDowell
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:
Parishes of Dalsfjord and Storfjorden
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Benefice: Wallsend St Peter and St Luke
Priest-in-Charge: Alan Paterson

25 Monday

Generosity Week: Day 2

Faith over Fear: praying to strengthen our faith in this abundant life and not to fear what we lack

- Lancelot Andrewes, bishop of Winchester, spiritual writer, 1626
Sergei of Radonezh, Russian monastic reformer, teacher of the faith, 1392
Ceolfrith, abbot of Jarrow, 716 [CNS *]
- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Aguata (Nigeria)
Bp Samuel C Ezeofor
 - **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:
Parishes of Ørsta and Vartdal
 - **Tynemouth Deanery:**
St Luke's Parish Church Wallsend
 - * vacant canonry

26 Tuesday

Generosity Week: Day 3

Having Enough: praying that we do not take God's generosity for granted and to seek to reflect God's grace

Wilson Carlile, founder of the Church Army, 1942

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Ahoada (Nigeria)
Bp Clement Ekpeye
 - **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:
Parishes of Hjørundfjord and Vanylven
 - **Tynemouth Deanery:**
St Peter's Parish Church, Wallsend
 - Wallsend St Peter's C of E Primary School
- Please pray for those leading and those attending the Generosity Workshop at Alnwick today.*

27 Wednesday

Ember Day

Generosity Week: Day 4

Out of Dark Times: praying that in dark times we see the light of Christ and place our trust in our generous God

Vincent de Paul, founder of the Congregation of the Mission (Lazarists), 1660

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Aipo Rongo (Papua New Guinea)
Bp Nathan Ingen
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:
Parishes of Syvde, Rovde and Aram
- **Tynemouth Deanery**
Benefice: Wilington Team
Team Rector: Sue McCormack
Team Vicar: Julie Mooney
Associate Priest: Emily Watson
Assistant Curate: Kim Wears
Readers: Patricia Bragg and Stephen McCormack

Please pray for those leading and those attending the Generosity Workshop at Longbenton today.

28 Thursday

Generosity Week: Day 5
Making a Difference: praying to create and sustain one another in a generous discipleship

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Ajayi Crowther (Nigeria)
Bp Collins Babalola
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:
Parishes of Ulstein and Gursken
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
Church of the Good Shepherd, Battle Hill
- **Praying for Christian Unity:** For ARCIC (the Anglican/Roman Catholic International Commission) and its work.

29 MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS Ember Day

Generosity Week: Day 6
Generous Giving: praying for help to nurture and share our resources to build the Church and God's Kingdom

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Akobo (South Sudan)
Bp Joseph Yual Yoi
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:
Parishes of Sande, Herøy and Indre Herøy
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
The Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin,
Willington

30 Saturday Ember Day

Generosity Week: Day 7
Supporting God's Mission: praying for the Church as a way to reach our hurting world

Jerome, translator of the scriptures, teacher of the faith, 420

- **Anglican Communion:**
Diocese of Akoko (Nigeria)
Abp Gabriel Akinbiyi
- **Diocese of Møre:**
Southern Sunnmøre Deanery:
Parishes of Leikanger and Hareid
- **Tynemouth Deanery:**
St Paul's Centre, Willington Quay

Michaelmas Ember Days

Please pray during this season and regularly

- For Stephen Tranter, Diocesan Director of Ordinands and Vocations (*begins work on 27 September*), and those who will assist him
- For those who are beginning their formation for ordained or lay ministry
- For those continuing their training
- For their teachers and mentors, including their parish colleagues
- For the staff of Lindisfarne College and Cranmer Hall, Durham
- For all who are presently in the discernment process, and those just beginning to explore possibilities for public ministry

About this Prayer Diary

We continue to include in the Prayer Diary all those commemorated in ***Celebrating the Northern Saints***, [CNS] and to remember our lay, residentiary and honorary canons on the day of the saints and influential people who have given their canonry its designation and/or stall in the Cathedral.

Each week, there is a stimulus to prayer, normally based on the Sunday Gospel. This month's reflections are provided by Bishop Mark, Bishop of Berwick.

ON SUNDAYS

For each Sunday, we follow a well-established pattern:

- First are intercessions for the Porvoo Communion (<https://www.ireland.anglican.org/resources/493/porvoo-ptayer-diary-2023>). The Porvoo Declaration commits the churches which have signed it to “share a common life” and “to pray for and with one another.”
- Second are intercessions from the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, available at www.anglicancommunion.org. Prayers on Sundays are for a Province of the Communion.
- Thirdly we remember our Link Diocese of Møre in Norway.
- Lastly we remember those who lead the life and mission of the Tynemouth Deanery, its churches, people and organisations, including Church Schools, where possible, on the same day as the parish of which they are part.

ON WEEKDAYS, the pattern is similar on weekdays, but without the Porvoo Communion:

- Firstly, dioceses from the Anglican Cycle of Prayer.
- Secondly, the life and mission of the church in Møre Diocese.
- Thirdly, parishes, churches, schools and other groups and areas of work in the Tynemouth Deanery.
- On Thursdays, we pray for the work of the Mothers' Union in the Diocese (first week) and for Christian Unity (subsequent weeks).

We pray for our **Link Dioceses** as follows:

Botswana during January, April and October.

Møre during March, June and September.

Winchester during May, August and November.

The **Deaneries** are incorporated in the Prayer Diary in such a way as to include the **Benefices** (with names of ordained and lay ministers) and also, for benefices with more than one church, the constituent **churches**, in order that every congregation – and the local community in which it is set – can be remembered at least once during the year.

January	Morpeth (cont.) and Norham	July	Newcastle East
February	Bedlington	August	Newcastle West
March	Bellingham	September	Tynemouth
April	Corbridge	October	Alnwick
May	Hexham	November	Bamburgh & Glendale
June	Newcastle Central	December	Morpeth

I try to mark important days in the life of the Diocese (e.g. Diocesan Synods, Institutions and Licensings, ecumenical occasions) with a special note, but can only do so if I have the information early in the previous month. **Please don't hesitate to send me information and prompts in good time.**

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