

**2018 Episcopal Church in Vermont
Prayer Calendar**

A Prayer from our Standing Committee for the discernment process for the 11th Bishop of Vermont to be used throughout the year:

Loving and gracious God, we pray for your Holy Spirit's guidance as we seek new leadership for the Episcopal Church in Vermont.

Give listening hearts and receptive minds to those appointed to search for candidates;

and inquiring and open hearts to those discerning a call to serve as Bishop of Vermont.

May we all share the gift of joy and wonder in all your works.

May we be united in our desire for your will for this Diocese, that the love of Christ may be evident to all;

for it is in Jesus' name that we pray. Amen.

Date	Liturgical Day	Diocesan Cycle of Prayer	Anglican Cycle of Prayer of the Anglican Communion http://www.anglicancommunion.org/resources/cycle-of-prayer/download-the-acp.aspx
		Pray for the People and Ministries of The Episcopal Church in Vermont	Pray for the Provinces of the Anglican Communion and The Episcopal Church
January 7	First Sunday after the Epiphany	St. Luke's Church, Alburgh	The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand & Polynesia
January 14	Second Sunday after the Epiphany	St. James' Church, Arlington	The Anglican Church of Australia
January 21	Third Sunday after the Epiphany	Church of the Good Shepherd, Barre	The Church of Bangladesh (United)
January 28	Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany	Immanuel Church, Bellows Falls	Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil
February 4	Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany	St. Peter's Church, Bennington	The Anglican Church of Burundi
February 11	Last Sunday after the Epiphany	Christ Church, Bethel	The Anglican Church of Canada
February 18	First Sunday in Lent	St. Thomas & Grace Church, Brandon	The Church of the Province of Central Africa
February 25	Second Sunday in Lent	St. Michael's Church, Brattleboro	Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America
March 4	Third Sunday in Lent	Cathedral Church of St. Paul, Burlington	Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo
March 11	Fourth Sunday in Lent	St. Paul's Church, Canaan	The Church of England The Most Revd Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury
March 18	Fifth Sunday in Lent	St. Luke's Church, Chester	Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui
March 25	Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday	St. Andrew's Church, Colchester	Pray for the peace of Jerusalem All glory, laud and honor, to thee, Redeemer, King! to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring.
April 1	Easter Day	St. Matthew's Church, Enosburg Falls	Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia! Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia! Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia! Suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!
April 8	Second Sunday of Easter	St. James' Church, Essex Junction	The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean
April 15	Third Sunday of Easter	St. Luke's Episcopal Mission, Fair Haven	The Church of Ireland
April 22	Fourth Sunday of Easter	St. Martin's Church, Fairlee	The Nippon Sei Ko Kai (The Anglican Communion in Japan)
April 29	Fifth Sunday of Easter	St. John the Baptist Church, Hardwick	The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem and the Middle East
May 6	Sixth Sunday of Easter	Christ Church, Island Pond	The Anglican Church of Kenya
May 13	Seventh Sunday of Easter: Rogation Sunday	Church of Our Saviour Mission, Killington	The Anglican Centre in Rome

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May 20	Day of Pentecost: Whitsunday	Zion Church, Manchester Center	Dioceses around the world overseen directly by the Archbishop of Canterbury: the Diocese of Bermuda; the Church of Ceylon (in Sri Lanka); the Diocese of the Falkland Islands; the Lusitanian Church (in Portugal); and the Reformed Episcopal Church of Spain.
May 27	First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday	St. Peter's Mission, Lyndonville	The Anglican Church of Korea
June 3	Second Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 4	St. Stephen's Church, Middlebury	The Anglican Church of Melanesia
June 10	Third Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 5	Christ Church, Montpelier	La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico
June 17	Fourth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 6	St. Mark's Church, Newport	The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma)
June 24	Fifth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 7	St. Mary's Parish, Northfield	The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
July 1	Sixth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 8	St. Barnabas Church, Norwich	The Church of North India (United)
July 8	Seventh Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 9	Gethsemane Church, Proctorsville	The Church of Pakistan (United)
July 15	Eighth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 10	St. John's Church, Randolph	The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea
July 22	Ninth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 11	Trinity Church, Rutland	The Episcopal Church in the Philippines
July 29	Tenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 12	St. Luke's Church, St. Albans	L'Eglise Anglicane au Rwanda
August 5	Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 13	St. Andrew's Church, St. Johnsbury	The Scottish Episcopal Church
August 12	Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 14	Trinity Church, Shelburne	Church of the Province of South East Asia
August 19	Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 15	Grace Church, Sheldon	The Church of South India (United)
August 26	Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 16	All Saints Church, South Burlington	The Anglican Church of Southern Africa
September 2	Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 17	St. Mark's Church, Springfield	The Anglican Church of South America
September 9	Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 18	St. John's in the Mountains Church, Stowe	Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan
September 16	Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 19	Holy Trinity Church, Swanton	Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan
September 23	Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 20	Calvary Church, Underhill	The Anglican Church of Tanzania
September 30	Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 21	St. Paul's Church, Vergennes	The Church of the Province of Uganda

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October 7	Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 22	St. Dunstan's Church, Waitsfield	The Episcopal Church, The Most Revd Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop
October 14	Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 23	St. Paul's Church, Wells	The Church in Wales
October 21	The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 24	St. Paul's Church, White River Junction	The Church of the Province of West Africa
October 28	Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 25	St. Mary's in the Mountains Church, Wilmington	The Church in the Province of the West Indies
November 4	All Saints Sunday	St. Paul's Church, Windsor	The Episcopal Church, Province I: Dioceses of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont and Western Massachusetts
November 11	Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 27	St. James Church, Woodstock	The Episcopal Church, Province II: Dioceses in New York and New Jersey; Convocation of American Churches in Europe; Dioceses of Haiti and the Virgin Islands
November 18	Twenty-Sixth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 28	Ministries of the laity throughout the Episcopal Church in Vermont.	The Episcopal Church, Province III: Dioceses in Maryland, Pennsylvania, and Virginia; and the Dioceses of West Virginia and Washington (D.C.)
November 25	Last Sunday of Pentecost: Feast of Christ the King: Proper 29	Ministries of all the ordained throughout the Episcopal Church in Vermont.	The Episcopal Church, Province IV: Dioceses in North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Florida; and the Dioceses of Alabama, Atlanta, Central Gulf Coast, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, and Mississippi
December 2	First Sunday of Advent	Ministry of our 10th Bishop, Thomas Clark Ely.	The Episcopal Church, Province V: Dioceses in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin; and the Diocese of Missouri
December 9	Second Sunday of Advent	Ministries of the members of the diocesan Ministry Support Team.	The Episcopal Church, Province VI: Dioceses of Colorado, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wyoming
December 16	Third Sunday of Advent	Ministries of Rock Point and all those who care for the property.	The Episcopal Church, Province VII: Dioceses in Kansas and Texas; and the Dioceses of Arkansas, Rio Grande, West Missouri, and Western Louisiana
December 23	Fourth Sunday of Advent	Ministries reaching those affected by hunger, homelessness, poverty and addiction; and ministries reaching youth and children at risk.	The Episcopal Church, Province VIII: Dioceses in California; and the Dioceses of Alaska, Arizona, Eastern Oregon, Hawaii, Idaho, Navaholand, Nevada, Olympia, Oregon, and Spokane
December 30	First Sunday after Christmas	Ministries reaching the religiously unaffiliated with the gospel of God's reconciling work in Christ; and mission undertaken with companions around the world.	The Episcopal Church, Province IX: The Dioceses of Central Ecuador, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Eastern Ecuador, Honduras, and Puerto Rico.