

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

August 14, 2022

PLEASE KNEEL OR SIT FOR PRAYERS

Real God:

Thank you, Father, that your Word is true, living, and powerful. We want to be people of your word – courageous, bold and be truth holders. We want to be your people of love.

Real Church

National and Local Leadership

- our Primate, **Linda** Nicholls and National ELCIC Bishop, Susan Johnson
- our Diocesan Bishop, **Geoffrey** Woodcroft and MNO Synodical Bishop, **Jason** Zinko
- the Interim National Indigenous Bishop, **Sidney** Black
- our Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Rupert's Land, **Greg** Kerr-Wilson • the Council of the North
- the Bishop of our Companion Diocese, **Michael** Lubowa

ACC The Rt. Rev. Geoff Woodcroft, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Rupert's Land

ELCIC The dean, council, and congregations of the West Central Area of the Synod of Alberta and the Territories

Diocese of Rupert's Land

our congregations and communities

- the people of the Parishes of the Blessed Virgin Mary:

St. Mary, Charleswood, The Rev. John Giroux and their companion parish of Kaggulwe, The Rev. John Ssekakozi, Rector.

St. Mary, Kaleida – The Rev. Bill Blackburn & The Rev. Carol Guilford, The Rev. Deacon Mona Blackburn, The Rev. Chris Lea, The Rev. Martin Allen, The Rev. Al Thorleifson, and the Ministry Support Team

St. Mary, Sioux Lookout – The Rev. Muriel Anderson and The Rev. Bill Morris
St. Mary la Prairie - The Rev. John Dolloff, Incumbent and their companion parish of St.
Marks Kammengo, The Rev. Paul Kaweesi, Rector
the Mother's Union.

St. Aidan's

For all our teachers, students, or those who are involved in the education system, we ask for a continued restful vacation season for them. May they have true rest and times of travel and fun with friends and family. Bless those especially in our St. Aidan's school.

Real Lives:

Father, you hold our entire world in your caring hands. We ask for your mercy on us and provide rest for those who are weary, freedom for those in bondage and food for the hungry. Your heart is tender towards us, and your desire is for us to be satisfied with you alone. We look to you for all our needs.

Missions:

Father, for our Leif Rapids team, we give you praise that you provided accommodations for them and for safety on the road. Bless them all for the time and energy they gave to you via this trip. You say that your word does not come back empty, so we have faith that the love that was shared in the community will continue to grow in hearts and lives there. We look forward to hearing and seeing the fruit of your work this past week. Strengthen Pastor Abby to follow-up and encourage those in his community.

For those who are in our Parish family who are home bound, in hospital or in PCH's

Kathy, Dorothy, Harold, Barbara, Elizabeth, David, Kathy, Joy, Margaret, Herb & Carol, Bill, Pam, and Neville.

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer