

Prayers of the People

Pentecost - May 28, 2023

Real God

Almighty God, we thank you for your unfailing love and mercy. In your great compassion for us, you walk with us through our difficulties and sorrows, and you celebrate with us during our joys and triumphs. Guide us always to share what we have received from your hand in loving service to others. May we always point the way to Jesus in all that we do in your holy name.

Real Church

- The Archbishop of Canterbury, The Most. Rev. Justin Welby
- Bishops Linda Nicholls and Susan Johnson
- Indigenous Archbishop Chris Harper
- Bishop Geoffrey Woodcroft and Bishop Jason Zinko
- Metropolitan of Rupert's Land, Rev Greg Kerr-Wilson
- Bishop of Central Buganda, The Rt. Rev. Michael Lubowa

ACC: The Rt. Rev. Andrew Asbil, Bishop; The Rt. Rev. Kevin Robertson, Suffragan Bishop; The Rt. Rev. Riscylla Shaw, Suffragan Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Toronto

ELCIC: The Lutheran Collegiate Bible Institute in Outlook, Saskatchewan;

Council of the North: the Diocese of Moosonee

Rupert's Land: our congregations, communities, and survivors of residential schools as they seek healing, hope, and recovery from abuse.

Central Buganda: the Parish of St. Paul, Nswanjere– The Rev. Deacon Jane Nakiwu

Real Lives

St. Aidan's: Lord, we continue to lift up Pastor Dave up to you as we wait for him to return to health, asking for your grace to restore him to us and his family.

We thank you for the ongoing Wednesday times of prayer as we seek your will for our church, and as we discern what it means to cast our nets into deeper waters.

We pray for the people affected by natural disasters around the world, especially the people of Alberta as they face wildfires, that you would provide for their needs.

Missions: We pray for our next Messy Church scheduled for June 3. We ask that you would call many families from the neighbourhood to attend, and that Christ's presence would be welcomed and experienced by all who come.

For those in our parish family who are homebound, in hospital or in personal care homes: Allan, Andrew, Barbara, Elizabeth, Harold, Kathy, Laird, Donna, Sue, David, Kathy, Joy, Margaret, Justin, Carol, Bill, Pearl, Pam and Neville.

We remember and give thanks for all recently departed in Christ and those whose anniversaries of death occur at this time. Especially:

We pray for the Unrau family as they grieve the passing of Helen.

We pray for the Purdy family as they grieve the passing of Bryan.

We pray for Jyoti Kapoor and her family as they grieve the passing of her brother, Pardeep

Lord, grant them peace.

We offer our prayers and supplications to you, Lord, with confidence, trusting that you hear our requests, know the desires of our hearts, and answer us according to your good and perfect will.

Lord, in Your mercy,
Hear our prayer.