

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

November 27, 2022

Real God

God of all hope and joy, open our hearts in welcome, that your Son Jesus Christ at his coming may find in us a dwelling prepared for himself; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Real Church

National and local leadership, we pray for

- our Primate, Linda
- ELCIC Bishop, Susan
- our Diocesan Bishop, Geoffrey
- and Synodical Bishop, Jason
- the Interim National Indigenous Bishop, Sidney
- our Metropolitan, Greg
- the Council of the North

ACC/ELCIC We pray for the Anglican Church of Nippon Sei Ko Kai. In the ELCIC we pray for the members of the National Church Council.

Diocese of Rupert's Land We pray for all our congregations and communities but especially of St Andrew:

- The Parish of St. Andrew, Woodhaven, The Rev. Liz, Incumbent
- The Parish of St. Andrew, St. Andrews, The Rev. Merv, Priest in Charge

St Aidan's We pray for those who will be confirmed next week. Bless them, their parents and their families as they prepare for the special service. We pray for all the youth and children in our fold. Be with those on the Stephen's Ministry team as they continue their training and for Chris and Debbie who lead them. We pray for our Small Groups and leaders as they conclude this year's study of loving our church.

Real Lives We ask for your comfort for the members of Springs Church and the family of Leon Fontaine as they grieve his loss. We continue to pray for the people of the Ukraine. We are bold to ask for an end to this conflict and a time of peace and restoration for Ukrainians. Protect us Lord against the resurgent Covid pandemic. Be with our world leaders as they struggle with the climate emergency and humanitarian crises.

Mission Heavenly Father, we pray for our Companion Diocese of Central Buganda (Uganda). We thank you for their partnership in the gospel and ask that you strengthen and uphold their Bishop, Michael Lubowa. We pray for

our brothers and sisters at our link parish of Njeru, equip them for your Great Commission to their broken country. We pray for Harriet and all her children and grandchildren, we ask that you provide their daily bread and shine through them all. Prepare us at St. Aidan's to serve alongside our link parish in the ways that you have prepared for us.

We pray for those who are ill and in need

We pray for those known to your alone, Lord. May they be comforted by your presence in their lives. We pray for all those on our prayer list.

We pray for those in hospital, PCHs and home-bound

We remember Allan, Andrew, Barbara, Carol, David, Elizabeth, Harold, Joy, Kathy, Laird, Margaret, Neville and Pam,

You have the power to heal our bodies, minds and spirits, Heavenly Father, and we ask for your divine mercy.

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

Lord, in your Mercy,

Hear our prayer.