

Date	Day	Please pray
21 st	TUE	CHRISTIANS AND THEIR LEADERS WORLDWIDE: pray especially for those who suffer for their faith; and for all who bring the light of Christ's love; DRAMA GROUP
22 nd	WED	ALL NATIONS: wisdom for leaders; compassion, integrity and justice in all dealings; for hate + violence to give way to peace, reconciliation + harmony; MID-WEEK SERVICE
23 rd	THUR	CHURCH LEADERS + READERS; give thanks and pray for a fresh infusion of the Holy Spirit + God's special blessing; THE PARISH COMMUNITY; celebrating together or apart
24 th	FRI	CHRISTMAS EVE: give thanks for excitement / expectation CRIB SERVICE and MIDNIGHT COMMUNION. Pray also for the Christmas Day Service at St Andrew's tomorrow
25 th	SAT	CHRISTMAS DAY: "Glory to the new-born King!" May the limitless grace and love of the Christ child bring to all peace and joy wherever you are + in whatever situation
26 th	SUN	SUNDAY COMMUNION SERVICE AT ST ANDREW'S; may the joy, love, generosity + spirit of Christmas remain alive in us through the next year, as we seek to serve the Lord
27 th	MON	PRAY TODAY for all those for whom Christmas has not been and is not restful or has proved difficult – that they are able to relax + find refreshment in the love of the Lord
28 th	TUE	GOD'S WONDERFUL CREATION: give thanks for His rich and diverse gift and blessing to us; pray that we all play our part in helping to preserve it for future generations
29 th	WED	OUR NATION: our leaders, our economy, our relationship with Europe + other parts of the world. OUR CITY: its leaders, communities, people, institutions and culture.
30 th	THUR	ST ANDREW'S + ST ANDY'S: for the Lord to hold its entire community, ministries, projects + future in His loving arms, as we seek to do His will. JO, LEADERS + READERS
31 st	FRI	NEW YEAR'S EVE: give thanks for God's blessings + what we have learned during another challenging year. Look forward with hope + expectation to the blessings of 2022.

St. Andrew's Church

December 2021

Prayer Guide

"The people walking in darkness have seen a great light ... For to us a child is born, to us a son is given ... He will be called Wonderful, Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace ... Of the increase of His government and peace there will be no end." (Isaiah chapter 9: verses 2-7)

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1st	WED	ADVENT give thanks for the Light of the World coming as Saviour to illuminate the darkness of chaos + uncertainty MID-WEEK SERVICE and BUILDING OUR FAITH (Advent)
2nd	THUR	THANKSGIVING AND PRAYER FOR JO OUR NEW VICAR – that she continue to settle into her new home and new role; may she find rich blessing in us, as we do in her
3rd	FRI	COVID SUFFERERS + IMPACT OF THE OMICRON STRAIN – for healing of the sick, comfort for the bereaved, strength for the carers + wisdom for those making hard decisions
4th	SAT	LOCAL RETAIL, BUSINESSES AND INDUSTRIES at this busy time; especially those that struggle to keep going; and the hospitality and travel industries affected by the pandemic
5th	SUN	COMMUNION (8.00am); WORSHIP4ALL TOY SERVICE; ST ANDY'S SERVICE AT ST OSWALD'S ("Church without Walls"); ROCK SOLID: for joyous fellowship and fun
6th	MON	VICTIMS OF WAR AND CONFLICT: pray for all refugees, displaced persons and those struggling to make their way in strange environments; + all those who try to help them
7th	TUE	BAPTISM PREPARATION: for all those coming to Baptism; sponsors, parents + godparents. ALL CHILDREN, SCHOOLS AND UNIVERSITIES in very difficult times. DRAMA GROUP
8th	WED	MID-WEEK SERVICE: for blessing on all who lead + attend BUILDING OUR FAITH: for fellowship and joy of sharing experiences of faith; SMALL GROUPS and a way forward
9th	THUR	THE NATION'S LEADERS, MEDICAL ADVISERS + MEDICS: for wisdom as they seek to enable people to celebrate Christmas together safely; for admin of vaccine/boosters
10th	FRI	TILE HILL COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP: for the people of Tile Hill, especially the children; for a sense of unity and purpose; for the Lord's light to shine; and for FOODBANK

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11th	SAT	REST + REFRESHMENT, RECREATION AND CREATIVITY: give thanks for the gifts of sport, music, art, drama + all creativity; pray for those who can find no rest or peace
12th	SUN	SUNDAY SERVICES: COMMUNION (10.00am); ST ANDY'S SERVICE AT ST OSWALD'S; CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE. Give thanks and pray for joyous worship and celebration
13th	MON	PCC MEETING (JO'S FIRST): give thanks and pray for Jo, our Church Wardens, Nick and Becky, and all members of the PCC: for God's hand on the meeting and discussions
14th	TUE	FOR ALL WHO TEND TO OUR HEALTH + SAFETY NEEDS – the NHS, emergency services, hospitals, hospices, care homes, social services; DRAMA GROUP: fun + fellowship
15th	WED	MID-WEEK SERVICE and BUILDING OUR FAITH (Advent); SUPPORT GROUPS: Pray for all in support groups that still cannot meet; for all volunteers + those that they support
16th	THUR	LOCAL SCHOOLS + CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLIES THIS WEEK; for blessings on all children, teachers and governors; that all may know God's love + the true meaning of Christmas
17th	FRI	FAMILIES AND FRIENDS: together or apart for Christmas: REMEMBERING OLD FRIENDS: Greg + Fran + their family; Phil, Ann + Ella; all who have been part of our community
18th	SAT	ST ANDY'S JOINT SERVICE WITH ST OSWALD'S: for close relationship with God and with each other; ST ANDY'S: that the Lord will open doors; + clear vision for the future
19th	SUN	SUNDAY SERVICES: Communion (10.00am); St Andy's Service at St Oswald's; Lantern Walk / Procession from St Oswald's: for fun, rich blessings and joyful fellowship
20th	MON	GOD'S HEALING LOVE for all who specially need it today: bereaved, lonely, sick in body or mind, fearful, homeless, jobless, neglected, abused; and for all PRAYER WARRIORS