

St Laurence Church Prayer Calendar – July 2020

For every day:

- a church festival or Saint
- a country of the world
- a prayer intention
- a street in Frodsham

Wednesday 1

Gracious God, your faithfulness never wavers; may we deepen our trust in you and hold fast to you through all of our life events

Today we pray for the country of the Netherlands
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Alexandra Mews. May this be a place of peace and love.

Thursday 2

We lift those before you who have no-one to pray for them and who feel abandoned and alone
Today we pray for the country of Netherlands Antilles
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Alvanley Terrace. May this be a place of peace and love.

Friday 3

Thomas, apostle

For all those have lost any sense of direction or are struggling with doubt

Today we pray for the country of New Caledonia
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Arran Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.

Saturday 4

Give to us grateful hearts, generous God, for all the blessings that we receive at your hands
Today we pray for the country of New Zealand
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Ashlands. May this be a place of peace and love.

Sunday 5

Trinity 4

Strengthen our faith, gracious God, that we may hold fast to you even in times of difficulty or conflict

Today we pray for the country of Nicaragua
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Ashton Close. May this be a place of peace and love.

Monday 6

For those who are anxious about the changing lockdown rules, for steadfastness and patience
Today we pray for the country of Niger
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Ashton Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.

Tuesday 7

For our vicar, Rev Elaine, that she may settle into Frodsham well and find a fulfilling ministry here with us
Today we pray for the country of Nigeria
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Beech Avenue. May this be a place of peace and love.

Wednesday 8

For our churchwardens and all the work that they have done during the lockdown
Today we pray for the country of Norway
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Bellemonte Road. May this be a place of peace and love.

Thursday 9

For the Children's Society, giving thanks for them and praying for all the young people they help and support
Today we pray for the country of Oman
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Belvedere Close. May this be a place of peace and love.

Friday 10

Giving thanks for your many gifts to us, our families and friends, our town and our own spiritual gifts
Today we pray for the country of Pakistan
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Bickerton Avenue. May this be a place of peace and love.

Saturday 11

For all those working in the transport sector, for patience in the disruptions and help in their occupations
Today we pray for the country of Palestine
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Blue Hatch. May this be a place of peace and love.

Sunday 12

Trinity 5

Loving Lord, teach us patience and kindness in all our dealings with others, particularly those with whom we struggle

Today we pray for the country of Panama

In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Borrowdale Close. May this be a place of peace and love.

Monday 13

For all those who are unemployed or under-employed that you will support them and that we, too, will support them

Today we pray for the country of Papua New Guinea

In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Bracken Way. May this be a place of peace and love.

Tuesday 14

John Keble, priest, poet

For all poets, writers and those in the literary world, giving thanks for all that they give to us

Today we pray for the country of Paraguay
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Bradley Lane. May this be a place of peace and love.

Wednesday 15

Swithun, bishop

For our bishops at this time, praying particularly for Bishop Mark, our new Bishop of Chester

Today we pray for the country of Peru
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Bridge Lane. May this be a place of peace and love.

Thursday 16

For all those suffering as a result of broken or damaged relationships, for peace and healing

Today we pray for the country of the Philippines
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Brook Furlong. May this be a place of peace and love.

Friday 17

Giving thanks for our beautiful church building, may we be faithful stewards of what has been passed down to us

Today we pray for the country of Poland
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Brookside Road. May this be a place of peace and love.

Saturday 18

For our Royal Family, giving thanks for the work they perform and holding before you, in particular, our Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh
Today we pray for the country of Portugal
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Buttermere Close. May this be a place of peace and love.

Sunday 19

Trinity 6

We offer our praises to God who stepped into our world in human form, and understands and cares for us

Today we pray for the country of Puerto Rico
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Carriage Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.

Monday 20

For all those suffering as a result of accidents in the home and outside the home - praying for healing and wholeness

Today we pray for the country of Qatar
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Chester Road. May this be a place of peace and love.

Tuesday 21

For all those countries where Covid-19 is still on the rise and remembering those in our own country still affected by this disease

Today we pray for the country of Réunion
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Chestnut Lane. May this be a place of peace and love.

Wednesday 22

Mary Magdalene

For all women in any form of ministry (lay or ordained) in the Church of England, that they may be blessed and respected

Today we pray for the country of Romania
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Church Road. May this be a place of peace and love.

Thursday 23

Lord, teach us to pray, prompting us to spend time in your presence

Today we pray for the country of Russia
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Church Street. May this be a place of peace and love.

Friday 24

We hold onto God's promise, 'When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you.'

Today we pray for the country of Rwanda
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Churchfield Road. May this be a place of peace and love.

Saturday 25

James, apostle

Generous God, still our hearts, that they may find their rest and fulfilment in you

Today we pray for the country of Saint Barthelemy
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Cliff View. May this be a place of peace and love.

Sunday 26

Trinity 7

Loving God, enable us to seek to do your will and be faithful disciples in our lives and in all that we do and say

Today we pray for the country of Saint Helena
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Clifton Crescent. May this be a place of peace and love.

Monday 27

For all those who have had to delay their wedding because of the lockdown. Grant them joy in each other and peace

Today we pray for the country of Saint Kitts & Nevis
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Clover Avenue. May this be a place of peace and love.

Tuesday 28

Giving thanks for all crafters who work to produce goods for charities and hospitals, that they may be blessed in their handiwork

Today we pray for the country of Saint Lucia
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Cobal Court. May this be a place of peace and love.

Wednesday 29

Mary, Martha & Lazarus

For all those we know who have recently died, thanking God for them in this life, and for holding them safe in the next

Today we pray for the country of Saint Martin
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Collinson Court. May this be a place of peace and love.

Thursday 30

William Wilberforce, social reformer

For all those who are subjected to prejudice, hatred or abuse because of their colour, creed, gender or sexuality

Today we pray for the country of Saint Pierre & Miquelon
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Coniston Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.

Friday 31

Ignatius of Loyola, founder of Jesuits

Giving thanks that you are present with us in all areas of life - in our wonderful world, in each other and in love shared

Today we pray for the country of Saint Vincent
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Coronation Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.

August**Saturday 1**

For those who suffer from any form of mental illness, that they may be supported, cared for and understood

Today we pray for the country of Samoa
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Dig Lane. May this be a place of peace and love.

Sunday 2

Trinity 8

For those who are hungry or thirsty at this time, asking that our hearts might be touched to support and help in whatever ways we are able.

'For I was hungry and you fed me; I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink'
Today we pray for the country of San Marino
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Dobers Lane. May this be a place of peace and love.