

St Laurence Church

Prayer Calendar – May 2023

Monday 1 *Philip & James, apostles*

For the economy of our country.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Dig Lane.
May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Paraguay that all may flourish.

Tuesday 2

For those who are unable to work for any reason and those seeking work, that they may find suitable work for their abilities.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Martin Road. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Peru that all may flourish.

Wednesday 3

We give thanks for all who work in the service industries. In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Quayside. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Philippines that all may flourish.

Thursday 4

For those who are in danger of losing their jobs; for those already in debt or approaching that situation. May they receive the help they need.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Carriage Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Poland that all may flourish.

Friday 5

For our families and friends. May we spend our time with them wisely, giving thanks that they are in our lives. In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Coniston Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Portugal that all may flourish.

Saturday 6

For our new King - may he be a blessing to our country and the world.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Arran Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Qatar that all may flourish.

Sunday 7 *Easter 5*

As Jesus commanded his disciples, may we too love each other as God loves us. Help us also to glorify God's name.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Overton Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Romania that all may flourish.

Monday 8 *Julian of Norwich*

For those who suffer abuse in any form. Whether at home, school, in the workplace or in social situations. For those caught up in modern day slavery. We give thanks for those who endeavour to help them.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Dobers Lane. May this be a place of peace and love.

Pray for Russia – for peace and that all may flourish.

Tuesday 9

For refugees and asylum seekers in many different countries. Justice, compassion, welcome.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Bellemonte Road. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Rwanda that all may flourish.

Wednesday 10

For all volunteers who give their time and energy to help others in many different areas.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Clifton Crescent. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Saint Kitts and Nevis that all may flourish.

Thursday 11

For the Bishops in our diocese; Mark, Julie and Sam, that they may serve faithfully and encourage others to do the same. In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Doric Avenue. May this be a place of peace and love. Pray for Saint Lucia that all may flourish.

Friday 12

For those who seek to improve their knowledge and help others to also improve their knowledge.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Weaver Road. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Saint Vincent and the Grenadines that all may flourish.

Saturday 13

For the work of churches together in Frodsham. Help us all to show your love in our daily lives.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Langdale Way. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Samoa that all may flourish.

Sunday 14 *Easter 6*

We give thanks for the words of scripture. May we experience the peace which only Jesus can give and help others to experience it too. In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Greenside Avenue. May this be a place of peace and love. Pray for San Marino that all may flourish.

Monday 15 *Matthias, apostle*

For all who experience great sadness in their lives; a sadness so deep it overwhelms them.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Ellis Lane. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Sao Tome and Principe that all may flourish.

Tuesday 16 *Caroline Chisholm, social reformer*

For all who suffer for their faith throughout the world
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Froda Avenue. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Saudi Arabia that all may flourish.

Wednesday 17

We give thanks for all who have written about their own faith journey and those who help us to understand the meaning of the scriptures.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Woodside Avenue. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Senegal that all may flourish.

Thursday 18 *Ascension Day*

We give thanks for the risen Jesus and the joyful response of the disciples. Help us to respond to the Good News with joy.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Clover Avenue. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Serbia that all may flourish.

Friday 19 *Dunstan, archbishop*

For those we struggle to understand and love. Help us to remember we are all made in your image and are precious in your sight.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Orchard Close. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Seychelles that all may flourish.

Saturday 20

For our beautiful town and all who live, work or visit here. We give thanks for the surrounding countryside and the parks within Frodsham.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Buttermere Close. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Sierra Leone that all may flourish.

Sunday 21 *Easter 7*

We thank you for sending your Son, Jesus, to teach us of your love and show us how to live as true followers of the faith.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Rock Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Singapore that all may flourish.

Monday 22

For all who are ill. Especially those who are waiting to see a consultant or awaiting surgery.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Bracken Way. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Slovakia that all may flourish.

Tuesday 23

For all church leaders - worldwide and closer to home - in our denomination and in others, that they may seek the common good of all your people
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Penrith Close. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Slovenia that all may flourish.

Wednesday 24 *John and Charles Wesley*

We give thanks for hymns and modern Christian songs which enhance our worship.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Hazlehurst Road. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Solomon Islands that all may flourish.

Thursday 25 *Bede, monk at Jarrow*

For all refugees and asylum seekers that you will strengthen and bless them
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Thirlmere Close. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Somalia that all may flourish.

Friday 26 *Augustine, archbishop*

For those whose negative thoughts impact on their enjoyment of living. Help us always to give thanks for the gift of life, even in difficult times.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Bradley Lane. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for South Africa that all may flourish.

Saturday 27

For those who suffer as a result of modern slavery, asking that they may have courage and hope
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Saint Hilda's Drive. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for South Korea that all may flourish.

Sunday 28 *Pentecost*

Giving thanks that we are children of God and that your Holy Spirit abides with us always.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Saltworks Close. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for South Sudan that all may flourish.

Monday 29

For our parents, carers and our homes, friends, neighbours and kindred.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Grasmere Road. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Spain that all may flourish.

Tuesday 30 *Josephine Butler, Joan of Arc*

For all those in our country who are homeless - may they find a sense of worth and the help that they need
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Alvanley Terrace. May this be a place of peace and love.
Pray for Sri Lanka that all may flourish.

Wednesday 31 *Visit of Mary to Elizabeth*

We give thanks for the joy Mary felt at being pregnant. We remember all who are not able to experience that joy, whatever the reason.
In Frodsham we pray for those who live in Cobal Court. May this be a place of peace and love. Pray for Sudan that all may flourish.