

St Lawrence Church December Prayer Diary

by Gill Barrett

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We pray for:-

Tues 1st All who are lonely, especially at this difficult time of restriction

Wed 2nd Our government and its ministers, making important decisions

Thurs 3rd Francis Xavier, Missionary, Apostle of the Indies, 1552

Fri 4th Shopkeepers as they prepare for a very different Christmas season

Sat 5th All those involved in the development of a suitable vaccine

Sun 6th Nicholas, Bishop of Myrna, c. 326

Mon 7th Ambrose, Bishop of Milan, Teacher of the Faith, 397

Tues 8th The Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Wed 9th Health workers and care workers as they provide support and reassurance

Thurs 10th Bishop Alan and the senior staff of the Diocese

Fri 11th University and college students

Sat 12th All who are preparing online resources for Christmas

Sun 13th Lucy, Martyr at Syracuse, 304

Mon 14th John of the Cross, Poet, Teacher who lead the Church

Tues 15th Those who provide support to the lonely and depressed

Wed 16th Scientists working to produce a vaccine

Thurs 17th Eglantyne Jebb, Founder of 'Save the Children', 1928

Fri 18th Neighbours and friends who give invisible support to so many people

Sat 19th Our homes and families as they join together to celebrate at this time

Sun 20th Ministers and all who lead the Church

Mon 21st Those for whom Christmas is lonely

Tues 22nd The joy of singing familiar carols

Wed 23rd Children of all ages, looking forward to the joy of Christmas

Thurs 24th Peace and goodwill to everyone

Fri 25th Christmas Day; we give thanks that God's word has come among us in the Holy Child of Bethlehem

Sat 26th Stephen, Deacon, First Martyr at the hands of Herod

Sun 27th John, Apostle and Evangelist

Mon 28th The Holy Innocents

Tues 29th Thomas Becket, Archbishop of Canterbury, Martyr, 1170

Wed 30th Our Christian community and all who share in a common faith

Thurs 31st At the end of another year, kindle, we pray, in the hearts of all, the true love of peace.

If you have a request for prayer, please contact Helen Campbell or fill in a card at the back of Church.