

2023 DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA

JANUARY 2023

- 1 - THE HOLY NAME OF OUR LORD
Numbers 6:22-27 Galatians 4:4-7 or Philippians 2:5-11 Psalm 8
PRAY FOR - St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Shippensburg
The Anglican Church of Mexico
- 8 - FIRST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY – THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD
Isaiah 42:1-9 Acts 10:34-43 Psalm 29
PRAY FOR - Church of the Resurrection Mission, Mt. Carmel
The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma)
- 15 - SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
Isaiah 49:1-7 1 Corinthians 1:1-9 Psalm 40:1-12
PRAY FOR - St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, State College
The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
- 22 - THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
Isaiah 9:1-4 1 Corinthians 1:10-18 Psalm 27:1, 5-13
PRAY FOR - St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Sunbury
The Church of North India (United)
- 29 - FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
Micah 6:1-8 1 Corinthians 1:18-31 Psalm 15
PRAY FOR - St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Manheim
The Church of Pakistan (United)

FEBRUARY 2023

- 5 - FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
Isaiah 58:1-9a, [9b-12] 1 Corinthians 2:1-12, [13-16] Psalm 112:1-9, (10)
PRAY FOR - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Hollidaysburg
St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Tioga
The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea
- 12 - SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
Deuteronomy 30:15-20 or 1 Corinthians 3:1-9 Psalm 119:1-8
Sirach 15:15-20
PRAY FOR - Trinity Episcopal Church, Tyrone
The Episcopal Church in the Philippines
- 19 - LAST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
Exodus 24:12-18 2 Peter 1:16-21 Psalm 2 or Psalm 99
PRAY FOR - St. James Episcopal Church, Mansfield
The Anglican Church of Rwanda
- 26 - FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT
Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7 Romans 5:12-19 Psalm 32
PRAY FOR - Church of the Good Shepherd, Upper Fairfield
The Scottish Episcopal Church

MARCH 2023

5 - SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT
Genesis 12:1-4a **Romans 4:1-5, 13-17** **Psalm 121**
PRAY FOR - St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Waynesboro
The Church of the Province of South East Asia

12 - THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT
Exodus 17:1-7 **Romans 5:1-11** **Psalm 95**
PRAY FOR - St. John's Episcopal Church, Marietta
St. John's Episcopal Church, Westfield
The Church of South India (United)

19 - FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT
1 Samuel 16:1-13 **Ephesians 5:8-14** **Psalm 23**
PRAY FOR - St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Mechanicsburg
The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

26 - FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT
Ezekiel 37:1-14 **Romans 8:6-11** **Psalm 130**
PRAY FOR - St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Wellsboro
The Anglican Church of South America

APRIL 2023

2 - SUNDAY OF THE PASSION: PALM SUNDAY

THE LITURGY OF THE PALMS

Matthew 21:1-11 **Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Isaiah 50:4-9a **Philippians 2:5-11** **Psalm 31:9-16**

PRAY FOR - All Saints Episcopal Church, Williamsport
Christ Episcopal Church, Milton
The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan

9 - EASTER DAY
Acts 10:34-43 or **Colossians 3:1-4 or** **Psalm 188:1-2, 14-24**
Jeremiah 31:1-6 **Acts 10:34-43**
PRAY FOR - Church of our Saviour, Montoursville
Hope Episcopal Church, Mount Hope
The Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan

16 - SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER
Acts 2:14a, 22-32 **1 Peter 1:3-9** **Psalm 16**
PRAY FOR - Trinity Episcopal Pro Cathedral, Williamsport
The Anglican Church of Tanzania

23 - THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
Acts 2:14a, 36-41 **1 Peter 1:17-23** **Psalm 116:1-3, 10-17**
PRAY FOR - St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, York
The Church of the Province of Uganda

AUGUST 2023 CONT'D.

- 13 - ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28 or Romans 10:5-15 **Psalm 105:1-6, 16-22, 45b or**
1 Kings 19:9-18 **Psalm 85:8-13**
PRAY FOR - St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Columbia
The Anglican Church of Chile
- 20 - TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Genesis 45:1-15 or Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32 **Psalm 133 or**
Isaiah 56:1,6-8 **Psalm 67**
PRAY FOR - Christ Episcopal Church, Coudersport
The Church of England
- 27 - THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Exodus 1:8-2:10 or Romans 12:1-8 **Psalm 124 or**
Isaiah 51:1-6 **Psalm 138**
PRAY FOR - St. James Episcopal Church, Bedford
Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui

SEPTEMBER 2023

- 3 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Exodus 3:1-15 or Romans 12:9-21 **Psalm 105:1-6, 23-26, 45c or**
Jeremiah 15:15-21 **Psalm 26:1-8**
PRAY FOR - Christ Memorial Episcopal Church, Danville
The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean
- 10 - FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Exodus 12:1-14 or Romans 13:8-14 **Psalm 149 or**
Ezekiel 33:7-11 **Psalm 119:33-40**
PRAY FOR - St. James Episcopal Church, Exchange
St. John in the Wilderness, Eagles Mere
The Church of Ireland
- 17 - SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Exodus 14:19-31 or Romans 14:1-12 **Psalm 114**
Exodus 15:1b-11, 20-21

Genesis 50:15-21 **Psalm 103:(1-7), 8-13**
PRAY FOR - Memorial Church of the Prince of Peace, Gettysburg
- 24 - SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Exodus 16:2-15 or Philippians 1:21-30 **Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45 or**
Jonah 3:10-4:11 **Psalm 145:1-8**
PRAY FOR - All Saints Episcopal Church, Hanover

OCTOBER 2023

- 1 - EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Exodus 17:1-7 or Philippians 2:1-13 Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16 or
Ezekiel 18:1-4,25-32 Psalm 25:1-8
PRAY FOR - St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Lewistown
 St. Andrew's in the Valley Episcopal Church, Harrisburg
- 8 - NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20 or Philippians 3:4b-14 Psalm 19 or
Isaiah 5:1-7 Psalm 80:7-14
PRAY FOR - St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Harrisburg
- 15 - TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Exodus 32:1-14 or Philippians 4:1-9 Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23 or
Isaiah 25:1-9 Psalm 23
PRAY FOR - St. Stephen's Episcopal Cathedral, Harrisburg
- 22 - TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Exodus 33:12-23 or 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 Psalm 99 or
Isaiah 14:1-7 Psalm 96:1-9, (10-13)
PRAY FOR - Church of the Good Shepherd, Hawk Run
- 29 - TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Deuteronomy 34:1-12 or 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8 Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17 or
Leviticus 19:1-2,15-18 Psalm 1
PRAY FOR - St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Lock Haven

NOVEMBER 2023

- 5 - TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – ALL SAINTS' DAY
Joshua 3:7-17 or 1 Thessalonians 2:9-13 Psalm 107:1-7, 33-37 or
Micah 3:5-12 Psalm 43
PRAY FOR - All Saints Episcopal Church, Hershey
- 12 - TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 Psalm 78:1-7

Wisdom of Solomon 6:12-16 or 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 Wisdom of Solomon 6:17-20 or
Amos 5:18-24 Psalm 70
PRAY FOR - St. John's Episcopal Church, Huntingdon
- 19 - TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Judges 4:1-7 or 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 Psalm 123 or
Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18 Psalm 90:1-8, (9-11), 12
PRAY FOR - St. Andrew's in the City Episcopal Church, Harrisburg

NOVEMBER 2023 CONT'D.

26 - LAST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: CHRIST THE KING
Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24 **Ephesians 1:15-23** **Psalm 100 or Psalm 95:1-7a**
PRAY FOR - St. Edward's Episcopal Church, Lancaster

DECEMBER 2023

3 - FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
Isaiah 64:1-9 **1 Corinthians 1:3-9** **Psalm 80:1-7, 16-18**
PRAY FOR - Trinity Episcopal Church, Jersey Shore

10 - SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT
Isaiah 40:1-11 **2 Peter 3:8-15a** **Psalm 85:1-2, 8-13**
PRAY FOR - St. James Episcopal Church, Lancaster

17 - THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT
Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11 **1 Thessalonians 5:16-24** **Psalm 126 or Canticle 15 (or 3)**
PRAY FOR - St. John's Episcopal Church, Lancaster

24 - FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT: CHRISTMAS EVE
2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16 **Romans 16:25-27** **Canticle 3 or Canticle 15 or**
Psalm 89:1-4, 19-26
PRAY FOR – Christ Episcopal Church, Williamsport

31 - FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS
Isaiah 61:10-62:3 **Galatians 3:23-25; 4:4-7** **Psalm 147 or 147:13-21**
PRAY FOR - All Saints Episcopal Church, Selinsgrove