

Sat July 18 We thank you for the ministry of the Belles of St. Martin's. Bless their special evening tonight. Esther 9:20-28, 2 Corinthians 10.

Sun July 19 We thank you for varied worship styles; bless the choral evensong at Wield tonight with the Candover Valley Choir. 2 Samuel 7:1-14, Ephesians 2:1-11, Mark 6:30-34, 53 –end.

Mon July 20 We pray for all involved in the farming community, for peace, for energy, & for harvesting uninterrupted by mechanical breakdowns or poor weather. Jeremiah 26, 2 Corinthians 11:1-15.

Tues July 21 We pray for the worsening situation in the Middle East, that somehow truth, mercy, the rule of righteous law and security may come. Jeremiah 28, 2 Corinthians 11:16-end.

Wed July 22 We pray for our bishops, Tim, David and Jonathan that they may have grace, wisdom and strength to fulfil their ministries amongst us. Jeremiah 29, 2 Corinthians 12.

Thurs July 23 We pray for David & Ruth, Stephen & Julia & their families, that their work for You & us may bring new hope, joy & life in many people. Jeremiah 30:1-11, 2 Corinthians 13.

Fri July 24 As holiday season begins, keep our children safe, bless families under strain & grant refreshment for all relationships. Jeremiah 30:12-22, James 1:1-11.

Sat July 25 We give thanks for our bell ringers across the benefice led by Sheila Harden & Peter Willis, enhancing our visibility & enriching worship. Jeremiah 30:23-end, James 1:12-end.

Sun July 26 Praise my soul the king of heaven, to his feet our tributes bring. 2 Samuel 11:1-15, Ephesians 3:14-end, John 6:1-21.

Mon July 27 Lord we pray for housebound folk in our community, that they may not be neglected, but warmed by our willingness to visit. Jeremiah 31:23-25, 27-37, James 2:1-13.

Tues July 28 As we gaze on your kingly brightness, grant us new perspectives of life & faith. Jeremiah 32:1-15, James 2:14-end.

Wed July 29 Speak to me today Lord so that I hear well. Jeremiah 33:1-13, James 3.

Farleigh Candover and Wield Prayer & Bible Reading Diary 15 June to end July 2015

Mon June 15 We pray for Iraq, Syria, Nigeria, Yemen, Libya, Sudan, DR Congo, & many other places deeply troubled with evil & war; bring peace through love & truth, remove those who oppose truth & justice. Ezra 1, Romans 9:1-18

Tues June 16 At Preston Candover's PCC speak to us: we give thanks for the big increase in giving, and pray for more as we seek to pay our way. Ezra 3 Romans 9:19-end.

Wed June 17 We pray for the work of Canon Andrew White in the Middle East that his ministry may grow & blossom in the face of deep darkness & fear. Ezra 4:1-5, Romans 10:1-10.

Thurs June 18 We ask Lord for new understanding of the gospel to percolate into all in our care. Ezra 4:7-end, Romans 10:11-end

Fri June 19 Bless the Wine Walk in Ellisfield with fine weather, good fellowship & conversation. Ezra 5, Romans 11:1-12.

Sat June 20 We pray for all who have been displaced in the Middle East and Africa because of war; help us to give out of our riches to meet their needs. Ezra 6, Romans 11:13-24.

Sun June 21 Father's Day – bless the baptism of Rupert Nunn at Cliddesden family service, praying for all fathers to recognise their responsibility to their children & wives. Bless too the buried church service at 6.00 with Bishop David. 1 Samuel 17:57-18:5, Colossians 3:12-21, Mark 4:35-end.

Mon June 22 Increase O Lord our capacity to know You & the power of Your resurrection today. Ezra 7, Romans 11:25-end.

Tue June 23 Fill us with Your Holy Spirit today, cause us to manifest the fruit of lives filled with you. We pray for your blessing on our schools, their staff, pupils, governors & parents. Ezra 8:15-end, Romans 12:1-8.

Wed June 24 We pray for diocesan synod meeting tonight, for unity and honesty, and for Canon Andrew White speaking at St. Andrew's Church Cheriton at 7.00 p.m. Ezra 9, Romans 12:9-end.

Thurs June 25 Forgive us Lord when we speak out of turn, or criticise others without knowing their circumstances.
Ezra 10:1-17, Romans 13:1-7.

Fri June 26 When we are tempted to give up, grant us Lord hope & peace to reassure us, you are with us. Nehemiah 1, Romans 13:8-end.

Sat June 27 we pray for Cliddesden School's Summer Fayre & Dummer Village fete, for fine weather, good conversations & signs of your presence. Nehemiah 2, Romans 14:1-12.

Sun June 28 We pray for the Baptism of Felix Du-Heaume at Ellisfield and the last Messy Church before the summer break at CMV Hall today.
2 Samuel 1:1, 17-end, 1 Corinthians 15:1-11, Mark 5:21-end.

Mon June 29 We pray for those who serve us in the emergency services –police (particularly P.C. Andy Reid our local beat officer), First responders, NHS doctors & nurses, & Fire Service, that their work may reflect Your nature to save, to rescue, to heal, to challenge and correct.
Nehemiah 3, Romans 14:13-end.

Tues June 30 In times of stress, grant us Lord the grace to look up to you and know your kindness and help. Nehemiah 5, Romans 15:1-13

Wed July 1 We pray for the Deanery Mission & Pastoral Committee's deliberations tonight, for harmony, vision & expansion.
Nehemiah 6:1-7:4, Romans 15:14-21.

Thurs July 2 We pray today for families under strain that patience, mercy & rest will assist in maintaining good communication.
Nehemiah 7:37-end of 8, Romans 15:22-end.

Fri July 3 Holy Spirit we welcome You, burn with your fire to change our attitudes and behaviour. Nehemiah 9:1-23, Romans 16:1-16.

Sat July 4 Bless the Cliddesden Wine Walk tonight, for safety, fellowship and important conversations.
Nehemiah 9:24-end, Romans 16:17-end.

Sun July 5 Fellowship Month starts in Farleigh: Come down O love divine, seek this soul of mine and visit it with your healing presence.
2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10, Acts 1:1-11, Mark 6:1-13

Mon July 6 We pray for Your presence at Northington's PCC tonight
Nehemiah 12:27-47, 2 Corinthians 1:1-14.

Tues July 7 We ask for Your help tonight at Brown Candover's PCC
Nehemiah 13:1-14, 2 Corinthians 1:15-2:4.

Wed July 8 for school pupils thankful that exam times are over, grant peace as they await results in August.
Nehemiah 13:15-end, 2 Corinthians 2:5-end.

Thurs July 9 We pray for families expecting babies, that they may not be anxious nor fearful, but wait with joyful expectation.
Esther 1, 2 Corinthians 3.

Fri July 10 As end of term productions and events are in full swing, grant to those performing your peace, and for your help to them to achieve much. Esther 2, 2 Corinthians 4.

Sat July 11 Bless the wedding of Emma Rampton and Neil Carmichael at Cliddesden, & all getting married today. Esther 3, 2 Corinthians 5.

Sun July 12 Lord the light of your love is shining, shine in our worship today. 2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12-19, Ephesians 1:3-14, Mark 6:14-29.

Mon July 13 We pray for those who have lost employment recently that they may find hope in the difficult days of seeking new employment.
Esther 4, 2 Corinthians 6:1-7:1.

Tues July 14. We thank you for the children of our benefice: help them to retain knowledge imparted at school as holidays approach
Esther 5, 2 Corinthians 7:2-end.

Wed July 15 We ask for your presence at Wield's PCC tonight as we pray together & plan. Esther 6:1-13, 2 Corinthians 8:1-15.

Thursday July 16 We pray for those whose lives have been wrecked by abuse, that they may discover grace to forgive, & healing from you.
Esther 6:14-end of 7, 2 Corinthians 8:16-9:5.

Fri July 17 Who can cheer the heart like Jesus, by his presence all divine – give us grace to seek for You Lord today.
Esther 8, 2 Corinthians 9:6-end.