



The Episcopal Diocese of WESTERN KANSAS

2023 Cycle of Prayer

*Please remember at each service: Micheal B. Curry our Presiding Bishop, Mark Cowell our Bishop,
and Michael Milliken our Assisting Bishop*

January 1: The Holy Name

We pray for The Holy Name of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

January 8: Epiphany I

We give thanks for the baptism of our Lord Jesus Christ.

January 15: Epiphany II

We pray for the clergy and people of St. Mark's in Medicine Lodge

January 22: Epiphany III

We pray for the clergy and people of Christ St. Anne's in McPherson.

January 29: Epiphany IV

We pray for wardens, treasurers, vestries, and Bishop Committees around the Diocese.

February 5: Epiphany V

We pray for the clergy and people of Holy Nativity in Kinsley.

February 12: Epiphany VI

We pray for those with food insecurities and the food programs that feed them.

February 19: Last Sunday After Epiphany

We pray for the Deacons in our Diocese.

February 26: First Sunday in Lent

We pray during this Holy Season of Lent that God give us the grace of His presence, His inspiration, and His call to a renewed life grounded in Him.

March 5: Lent II

We pray for church ministries beyond the walls of our buildings.

March 12: Lent III

We pray for the clergy and people of Christ Cathedral in Salina

March 19: Lent IV

We pray for the clergy and people of St. Andrews in Liberal.

March 26: Lent V

We pray for the Commission on Ministry and all who walk with those discerning the ministries to which God calls them.

April 2: Palm Sunday

We give thanks to God for sending your Son Jesus to earth to be our Savior and Lord.

April 9: EASTER: FEAST OF THE RESURRECTION

We are grateful for the resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Alleluia!

April 16: Easter II

We pray for the clergy and people of St. John's in Great Bend.

April 23: Easter III

We pray for the people and clergy at St. Mark's Church in Lyons.

April 30: Easter IV

Adult Ministries; the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Daughters of the King and Episcopal Church Women.

May 7: Easter V

We pray for Church musicians: organists; choirs, choir directors and all others who share their musical talents.

May 14: Easter VI (Mother's Day)

We pray for all mothers and all the women who have guided us and loved us.

May 21: Easter VII

Pray for students of all ages who will or who have graduated.

May 28: DAY OF PENTECOST

We pray that the goodness of the Holy Spirit shines upon us, helps to guide us and lead us towards living a more Christ-filled life.

June 4: TRINITY SUNDAY

We pray for the clergy and People of Trinity Church in Norton.

June 11: Pentecost II

We pray for the Clergy and people of St. Michael's in Hays

June 18: Pentecost III (Father's Day)

We pray and give thanks for those who have fathered us, fathers and grandfathers who have nurtured us, and for men who have been caregivers and teachers and mentors.

June 25: Pentecost IV

We pray for the clergy and people of St. Paul's in Goodland.

July 2: Pentecost V

We pray for our nation on this Independence Day.

July 9: Pentecost VI

We pray for the clergy and people of St. Francis, Russell Springs

July 16: Pentecost VII

We pray for the clergy and people at St. Thomas in Garden City.

July 23: Pentecost VIII

We pray for the Bishop and the members of the Diocesan Staff.

July 30: Pentecost IX

We Pray for the clergy and people who serve our Multi-Cultural Ministries.

August 6: THE TRANSFIGURATION

For all parish and diocesan volunteers who support the mission of the church

August 13: Pentecost XI

We pray for the clergy and people of St. Cornelius in Dodge City.

August 20: Pentecost XII

We pray for the clergy and people of Ascension on the Prairie in Colby.

August 27: Pentecost XIII

We pray for Liturgical assistants serving in churches: lectors, lay readers, Eucharistic ministers, and Eucharistic visitors.

September 3: Pentecost XIV

For a blessing upon all human labor, and for those who suffer anxiety from lack of work.

September 10: Pentecost XV

We pray for the Diocesan youth and those who guide them.

September 17: Pentecost XVI

We pray for the clergy and people of Grace Church in Hutchinson.

September 24: Pentecost XVII

We pray for the clergy and people of Saints Mary & Martha in Larned.

October 1: Pentecost XVIII

We Pray for our former bishops and spouses:

The Rt. Rev. Michael & Kathy Milliken

The Rt. Rev. Vernon & Joyce Strickland

The Rt. Rev. James & Stacey Adams

October 8: Pentecost XIX

We pray for retired clergy in our diocese and their spouses.

October 15: Pentecost XX

We pray for all who are preparing for the 53rd Convention of the Diocese of Western Kansas, in Salina.

October 22: Pentecost XXI

We pray for the clergy and people at St. Andrews in Hays.

October 29: Pentecost XXII

We pray for the Diocesan Clergy, that they may be constant in faith and zealous in witness.

November 5: Pentecost XXIII (All Saints Sunday)

We pray for the clergy and people of All Saints in Pratt.

November 12: Pentecost XXIV

We pray for the clergy and people of St. Luke's in Scott City.

November 19: Pentecost XXV

We pray for the Trustees, Standing Committee, Diocesan Council, and other bodies of the Diocese of Western Kansas.

November 26: Last Sunday after Pentecost (Christ the King)

We pray for the clergy and people of Christ Church in Kingman.

December 3: Advent I

We pray for the ministry of our bishop, The Rt. Reverend Mark Cowell, on the fifth anniversary of his consecration.

December 10: Advent II

We pray for those involved in the ministry of Christian education in churches, youth group leaders, teachers, and leaders for adult education.

December 17: Advent III

We pray the clergy and people of the Church of the Upper Room in Lakin.

December 24: Advent IV

We thank You for the gift of Your Son, Jesus. We praise You for His birth and the hope that He brings to our lives. Help us to also remember Your great love for us. Let this Christmas season be a reminder of all He has done.

December 31: Christmas I

We pray that we enter the coming year with renewed hope in the power of God to do through you what you cannot.