

DIOCESAN PRAYER DIARY – WORLD ISSUES – JUNE 2009

PLEASE PRAY FOR

SUNDAY 14 JUNE 2009

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (Proper 6)

GLOBAL: The Diocese of **Ondo** (Province of Ondo, *Nigeria*), the Rt Revd George L Lasebikan.

LICHFIELD COMPANIONS: Matlosane, where HIV/Aids continues to have a devastating impact on our communities. The team coordinating our diocesan support programme for victims and their families: Archdeacon Thomas Mafora, Patience Matlhare, Boitumelo Lebone, Motlhalefile Makate and Tebogo Leping.

WORLD ISSUES: Liberia – Africa's oldest republic, known for the civil war with Sierra Leone in 1990s and the exile to Nigeria in 2003 of its president, Charles Taylor, and now struggling economically; Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf, president since 2006, at the end of the civil war, facing the challenges of rebuilding and reconciliation.

**LOCAL: BRINSFORD YOUNG OFFENDER INSTITUTION AND REMAND CENTRE
CHAPLAINCY**

Interregum Anthony Swaby (ACh)

FEATHERSTONE PRISON CHAPLAINCY

John Poole (Ch), Roger Howarth (ACh)

MONDAY 15 JUNE 2009

Evelyn Underhill, Spiritual Writer, 1941

GLOBAL: The Diocese of **Ontario** (Ontario, *Canada*), the Rt Revd George Bruce.

LOCAL: ASTON TRUSSELL, St James; BEDNALL, All Saints; COPPENHALL, St Lawrence; DUNSTON, St Leonard

Caroline Plant (TV), Barbara Dodd (r), Delphine Howarth (r), Roger Howarth (r), Wisdom and grace.

TUESDAY 16 JUNE 2009

Richard, Bishop of Chichester, 1253

GLOBAL: The Diocese of **Oregon** (Province VIII, *USA*), the Rt Revd Johncy Itty.

LOCAL: PENKRIDGE St Michael and All Angels; STRETTON, PENKRIDGE, St John; PILLATEN, PENKRIDGE, St Modwena; PENKRIDGE, Levedale Mission

Mick Williams (l), Julia Taylor (Ct), Esther Burd (r), Jonathan Burd (r), Barbara Dodd (r), Delphine Howarth (r)

WEDNESDAY 17 JUNE 2009

Samuel and Henrietta Barnett, Social Reformers, 1913 and 1936

GLOBAL: The Diocese of **Orlu** (Province of Owerri, *Nigeria*), the Most Revd Bennett C I Okoro.

LOCAL: ABBOTS BROMLEY, St Nicholas; BLITHFIELD, St Leonard

Simon Davis (PC), Lynda Farrington (NAM), Ann Roe (r)

THURSDAY 18 JUNE 2009

Bernard Mizeki, Apostle of the Mashona, Martyr, 1896

GLOBAL: The Diocese of **Osaka** (*Japan*), the Rt Revd Samuel Osamu Ohnishi.

LOCAL: ARMITAGE, St John the Baptist

David Thomas (l)

FRIDAY 19 JUNE 2009

Sandar Singh of India, Sadhu (holy man), Evangelist, Teacher, 1929

GLOBAL: The Diocese of **Osun** (Province of Ibadan, *Nigeria*), the Rt Revd James Afolabi Popoola.

LOCAL: BRERETON, St Michael

Wendy Heath (TV), Jeanette Hartwell (Ct), Alan Wheeler (r), Stephen Hammersley (Y&CW)

SATURDAY 20 JUNE 2009

GLOBAL: The Diocese of **Ottawa** (Ontario, *Canada*), the Rt Revd John Holland Chapman

LOCAL: ETCHING HILL, Holy Spirit
Interregnum

Abbreviations:

Archdeacon (A) Incumbent (I) Curate (Ct) Hon. Stipendiary Priest (HSP) Hon Stipendiary Assistant Minister (NAM) Hon Asst Priest (HAP) Assistant Minister (AM) Chaplain (Ch) Priest-in-Charge (PC) Non Stipendiary Associate Minister (NAssM) Non Stipendiary Priest in Charge (NPC) Resident Minister (RM) Reader (r) Reader Emeritus (re) Reader in Training (rit) Team Rector (TR) Team Vicar (TV) Vicar (V) Master of Music (MM) Youth & Families (y&f) Pastoral Care Minister (pcm)