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Cowley Deanery LINK

Praying together ♦ working together ♦ learning together

November 2019



May He support us all the day long,
till the shades lengthen,
and the evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done!
Then in His mercy may
He give us safe lodging,
and a holy rest, and peace at the last!

-St. John Henry Newman
Canonized: 13 October 2019



Linking up in prayer across our Deanery:

The Revd Canon Geoff Bayliss our Area Dean
Dr Tony Phelan the Lay Chair of our Deanery Synod
Our Deanery Vision Planning Process

Deanery Prayer cycle this month:

Our hospitals, NHS staff, caring professions and medical researchers. Those who are ill, those with chronic conditions and those who support those with illness or disabilities in the community. Those who are mentally ill or disabled. Therapists,

counsellors and psychotherapists. HeadRest, Mind and the Samaritans. Ambulance drivers and pharmacists. Our ministry in spiritual direction and prayer.

World Council of Churches Prayer Diary

This link will take you to the home page of the World Council of Churches and a link to their weekly prayer diary:
<https://www.oikoumene.org/en/resources/prayer-cycle>

In November we pray for all the nations of Oceania (South Pacific)

Aotearoa New Zealand, Australia

East Timor (Timor Leste), Indonesia, Philippines

Brunei, Malaysia, Singapore

Patronal and Red Letter Day Festivals this month:

All Saints' Highfield, Headington;

The All Saints Sisters of the Poor

1st November

St Clement's 23rd November

St Andrew's, Headington;

St Andrew's Sandford on Thames

30th November

Also for our Prayers

Information for the UN International days can be found online here:

<http://www.un.org/en/sections/observances/international-days/index.html>

Deanery Events:

Cowley Deanery Synod

Thursday 7th November 2019

St Michael's, New Marston

Next Deanery Clergy Chapter:

Thursday 14th November 12 noon

St James's Cowley

Deanery training opportunity:

Discipleship Plan Mentor training

Saturday 25th January 2020

St James' Cowley

The Benefices of our Deanery:

All Saints', Highfield

St Andrew's, Headington

St Clement's

Cowley St John

SS Mary & John

St Alban's

Bartlemas

The Cowley Team Ministry:

St Francis, Hollow Way

St James', Cowley

Holy Family, Blackbird Leys

Holy Trinity, Headington Quarry

St Mary's Headington

St Mary's Iffley

St Andrew's, Sandford on Thames

SS Mary & Nicholas, Littlemore

St Michael's, New Marston

St Nicholas, Marston

St Thomas of Canterbury, Elsfield