 St Nicholas Prayer Dairy

 June 2021

‘He says, “Be still, and know that I am God;
     I will be exalted among the nations,
     I will be exalted in the earth.”

 Psalm 46 v10 (NIV)

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| Tuesday1st | **Give thanks for** the things that give you pleasure.**Pray for** the development of ministry for children and families within the Benefice.**Pray for those who live on** High Street and Market Place, Dereham and the parish of Bradenham.**On my heart today**… |
| Wednesday2nd | **Give thanks for** our PCC and all they do.**Pray for** Ven Dr Jane Steen and her husband as they settle into their new home in Dereham.**Pray for those who live on** John Duigan Court and Michaels Court, Dereham and the parish of Swanton Morley.**On my heart today**… |
| Thursday 3rd | **Give thanks for** those who act as Welcomers and Sides persons in our churches.**Pray for** our farming communities and the concerns they face regarding the weather this year.**Pray for those who live on** Lynn Court and London Road, Dereham and the parish of Hoe.**On my heart today**… |
| Friday4th | **Give thanks that** we are all made in Your image.**Pray for** those for whom, home is not a place of safety.**Pray for those who live on** Mount Pleasant and Nelson Place, Dereham and the parish of Beetley.**On my heart today**… |
| Saturday5th | **Give thanks for** those who explain God’s word in many ways.**Pray for** those making enquiries about Baptism.**Pray for those who live on** Norwich Road and Norwich Street, Dereham.**On my heart today**… |
| Sunday6th | **Give thanks for** those who represent our churches at Deanery Synod.**Pray for** those preaching in churches in the Benefice and Deanery today.**Pray for those who live on** Nursery Buildings and Pages Yard, Dereham.**On my heart today**… |
| Monday7th | **Give thanks** the Benefice Prayer Group Meeting tonight.**Pray for** our schools as they return for the final half term of the academic year.**Pray for those who live on** Park Road and Prospect Place, Dereham.**On my heart today**… |
| Tuesday8th | **Give thanks for** those who work in our postal service.**Pray for** Church Foundation Governors to be found for Dereham Church Infant and Nursery School.**Pray for those who live on** Quebec Street and Ramillies Close, Dereham and the parish of East Bilney.**On my heart today**… |
| Wenesday9th | **Give thanks for** something that has gone well recently.**Pray for** the vacancy at Shipdham, for those involved in the process and that the right person will come forward.**Pray for those who live on** Sheddick Court and Shakespeare Close, Derehan and the parish of Scarning.**On my heart today**… |
| Thursday10th | **Give thanks** for those who forgive us when we make errors and hurt or offend them.**Pray for** the children, staff, families and governors of Dereham Church Infant and Nursery School and the Dereham PCC meeting tonight.**Pray for those who live on** Spelmans Meadow and St Withburga Lane, Dereham and the parish of Shipdham.**On my heart today**… |
| Friday11th | **Give thanks** for those who decorate our churches with flowers.**Pray for** help to live a healthy rhythm of work and rest whenever we take our Sabbath. **Pray for those who live on** Stanton Close and Swaffham Road, Dereham and the parish of Bradenham.**On my heart today**… |
| Saturday12th | **Give thanks** that we are ‘work in progress’.**Pray for the** work and aspirations of the employees and volunteers at Mid Norfolk Railway.**Pray for those who live on** Station Road, Dereham.**On my heart today…** |
| Sunday13th | **Give thanks for** those who prepare our churches for worship.**Pray for** the ability to really ‘hear’ when God asks us to do something.**Pray for those who live on** Tavern Lane and The Dodmans, Dereham.**On my heart today**… |
| Monday14th | **Give thanks for** our clergy and Ministry team.**Pray for the** work and mission of Dereham Christian Fellowship. (Wellspring Church)and the work of the Foodbank.**Pray for those who live on** The Maltings, Dereham.**On my heart today**… |
| Tuesday15th | **Give thanks for** outdoor spaces that we can all enjoy.**Pray for** those involved in the preservation of Scarning Fen.**Pray for those who live on** Ted Ellis Walk and Wrights Walk, Dereham and the parish of Swanton Morley.**On my heart today**… |
| Wednesday16th | **Give thanks for** our church schools and the education they provide.**Pray for** courage to say something about our faith when asked.**Pray for those who live on** Thompson Way and Wakes Lane, Dereham and the parish of Hoe.**On my heart today**… |
| Thursday17th | **Give thanks** for those who take care of financial matters in our churches.**Pray for** generous giving towards the Lord’s work.**Pray for those who live on** Washbridge Lane and White Lion Yard, Dereham and the parish of Beetley.**On my heart today**… |
| Friday18th | **Give thanks** for the fellowship we enjoy as a church community.**Pray for** relationships within families.**Pray for those who live in** William O’Callagham Place and Wilsons Court, Dereham and the parish of East Bilney.**On my heart today**… |
| Saturday19th | **Give thanks** that God is with us always.**Pray for** the elderly, vulnerable and those who live alone.**Pray for those who live in** Wix Yard and York Place, Dereham.**On my heart today**… |
| Sunday20th | **Give thanks for** God the Father.**Pray for** those who may have difficult relationships with Father figures and those who miss their fathers for whatever reason.**Pray for those who live on** Fen Road and Stone Road, Toftwood.**On my heart today**… |
| Monday21st | **Give thanks for** the people who you are dependent upon and who are dependent upon you.**Pray for** personal and corporate development and resilience in prayer.**Pray for those who live on** Scarning Fen and Florence Walk, Toftwood.**On my heart today**… |
| Tuesday22nd | **Give thanks for** family and friends.**Pray for** the Ven Dr Jane Steer as she prepares to be consecrated tomorrow.**Pray for those who live on** Rome Walk and Lisbon Road, Toftwood and the parish of Scarning.**On my heart today**… |
| Wednesday23rd | **Give thanks for** the consecration of the new Bishop of Lynn today.**Pray for** our village and town shops and businesses as they seek to recover from the pandemic.**Pray for those who live on** Limassol Road and Stockholm Way, Toftwood and the parish of Shipdham.**On my heart today**… |
| Thursday24th | **Give thanks for** a recent phone call or visit that brought you joy.**Pray for** God to show us our weaknesses and our strengths, help us to take stock.**Pray for those who live on** Copenhagen Walk and Brussels Close, Toftwood and the parish of Bradenham.**On my heart today**… |
| Friday25th | **Give thanks for** those who care for our churches in practical ways.**Pray for** our clergy that on their days of rest they will be blessed and refreshed by the Holy Spirit.**Pray for those who live on** Amsterdam Way and Luxembourg Way, Toftwood and the parish of Swanton Morley.**On my heart today**… |
| Saturday26th | **Give thanks** for times of great joy and help us to remember they are blessings from God.**Pray for** our Parish Office, those who work, volunteer and visit.**Pray for those who live on** Brunswick and Helsinki Way, Toftwood.**On my heart today**… |
| Sunday27th | **Give thanks for** those who announce worship by ringing church bells.**Pray for** those thinking of attending church today, that they may have the courage to do so.**Pray for those who live on** Geneva Walk and Vienna Walk, Toftwood.**On my heart today**… |
| Monday28th | **Give thanks for** answered prayer.**Pray for** the preparations for the Withburga weekend.**Pray for those who live on** Strasbourg Way and Zara Way, Toftwood.**On my heart today**… |
| Tuesday29th | **Give thanks** for the privilege of living in such a beautiful county where we have so much to enjoy.**Pray for** those living in pain caused by physical, emotional or relationship difficulties.**Pray for those who live** on Hill Fields and Peters Close, Toftwood and the parish of Hoe.**On my heart today**… |
| Wednesday30th | **Give thanks for** and event you are excited about and look forward to with joy.**Pray for** our future as a training Benefice for newly ordained clergy.**Pray for those who live on** Hillcrest Avenue and Charles Close, Toftwood and the parish of Beetley.**On my heart today**… |