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1 Apr 2022	<i>Frederick Denison Maurice, Priest, Teacher of the Faith, 1872</i>	St Matthew and St Nathanael Bristol		Vicar: Revd Ian Tomkins, Associate Minister: Revd Richard Pendlebury, Curates: Revd James Cannan, Revd Gaby Doherty	The Diocese of Kondoa – The Anglican Church of Tanzania	<p><i>Church of Sweden:</i> Diocese of Uppsala, Archbishop Antje Jackelén, Bishop Karin Johannesson</p> <p><i>Church in Wales:</i> Diocese of Llandaff, Bishop June Osborne</p>	The homeless and those who support them
2 Apr 2022		St Nicholas (Extra Parochial)		Senior Leader: Revd Toby Flint, Curates: Revds Josh Bradshaw, Andy Carter, Laura Doe, Matt Southcombe	The Diocese of Kongor – The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan (<i>Jonglei Province</i>)		The police, probation, ambulance and fire services
3 Apr 2022	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT Passiontide begins	St Nicholas Whitchurch		In vacancy Churchwarden: Mr Ashton Broad	The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)		Local government
4 Apr 2022		St Paul Chippenham with Langley Burrell		Greenways Benefice Priest-in-Charge: Revd Simon Dunn, Curate: Revd Dr Tom Hunton, LLM's: Mr Nick Childerhouse, Mrs Julia Childerhouse, Mr Neil Hutton, Mrs Karin Needham, Mr Tim Woodward	The Diocese of Kontagora – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (<i>Lokoja Province</i>)		The health sector
5 Apr 2022		Hardenhuish			The Diocese of Kootenay – The Anglican Church of Canada (<i>BC and Yukon Province</i>)		Our Members of Parliament
6 Apr 2022		St Paul's Bristol	St Barnabas CE VC Primary School, Headteacher: Mr Jon Barr	Priest-in-Charge: Revd Melanie Otto, Associate Minister: Revd Canon John Hadley	The Diocese of Eastern Kowloon – Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui		Victims of human rights abuses
7 Apr 2022		St Anne with St Mark and St Thomas Eastville			The Diocese of Western Kowloon – Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui		Those working in hospitality, tourism and the Arts



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8 Apr 2022		Bishop of Bristol		Rt Revd Vivienne Faull	The Diocese of Krishna-Godavari – The (united) Church of South India		The Armed Forces
9 Apr 2022	<i>Dietrich Bonhoeffer, Lutheran Pastor, Martyr, 1945</i>	St Oswald Bedminster Down		Team Rector: Revd Timothy Godden, LLM: Mr Mick Sital-Singh	The Diocese of Kubwa – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Abuja Province)		The Media
10 Apr 2022	PALM SUNDAY William Law, Priest, Spiritual Writer, 1761 <i>William of Ockham, Friar, Philosopher, Teacher of the Faith, 1347</i>	St Peter Bishopsworth	St Peter's CEVC Primary School, Bishopsworth Headteacher: Ms Genny Oliver		The Church of North India (United)	<i>Church of England:</i> Diocese of Derby, Bishop Libby Lane, Bishop of Repton, Malcolm Macnaughton	The natural world and climate justice
11 Apr 2022	Monday of Holy Week <i>George Augustus Selwyn, first Bishop of New Zealand, 1878</i>	St Peter Chippenham		Priest-in-Charge: Revd Andy Gubbins	The Diocese of Kuching – The Church of the Province of South East Asia	<i>Church of Ireland:</i> Diocese of Clogher, Bishop Ian Ellis	Those suffering from addiction
12 Apr 2022	Tuesday of Holy Week	Bristol Diocese Mothers' Union link with Southern Nyanza, Kenya		Rt Revd Simon Onyango	The Diocese of Kumasi – The Church of the Province of West Africa (Ghana Province)	<i>Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark:</i> Diocese of Aalborg, Bishop Thomas Reinholdt Rasmussen	Industry and business
13 Apr 2022	Wednesday of Holy Week	St Peter Henleaze		Vicar: Revd Canon Mark Pilgrim, Curate: Revd Kandis Douglas, LLM's: Miss Sarah Thomas, Mrs Kathy Kilgour,	The Diocese of Kumi – The Church of the Province of Uganda		The legal profession, judges, magistrates, court officials
14 Apr 2022	MAUNDY THURSDAY	Transforming Church Together Prayer		That we seek God's empowerment as we proceed with ongoing work following the March Diocesan Synod	The Diocese of Kurunegala – Extra Provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury (The Church of Ceylon)		The unemployed and those who work with them



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15 Apr 2022	GOOD FRIDAY	St Peter Penhill			The Diocese of Kushtia – The (united) Church of Bangladesh		The hungry and those who support them
16 Apr 2022	EASTER EVE <i>Isabella Gilmore, Deaconess, 1923</i>	St Philip Upper Stratton		Interim Minister: Revd Lydia Morey, Curate: Revd Simon Halls,	The Diocese of Kutigi – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Lokoja Province)		Young people
17 Apr 2022	EASTER SUNDAY	St Philip and St Jacob with Emmanuel Bristol		Vicar: Revd Timothy Silk,	The Church of Pakistan (United) <i>Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem</i>	<i>Church of England:</i> Diocese of Blackburn, Bishop Julian Henderson, Bishop Jill Duff, Bishop Philip North	Those promoting inter-faith understanding
18 Apr 2022	Monday of Easter Week	St Paul Clifton		Vicar: Revd David Stephenson, Associate Ministers: Revd Canon Edward Davis, Revd Dr Ginny Royston, Curate: Revd Pippa White, LLM: Mr Rob Dumbleby	The Diocese of Kwara – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Kwara Province)	<i>Scottish Episcopal Church:</i> Diocese of Brechin, Bishop Andrew Swift	The charitable sector
19 Apr 2022	Tuesday of Easter Week Alphege, Archbishop of Canterbury, Martyr, 1012	St Saviour with St Mary Cotham			The Diocese of Kwoi – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Abuja Province)	<i>The Lutheran Church in Great Britain:</i> Bishop Tor Berger Jørgensen	Migrants and refugees
20 Apr 2022	Wednesday of Easter Week				The Diocese of Kyoto – The Nippon Sei Ko Kai		People living with disability
21 Apr 2022	Thursday of Easter Week Anselm, Abbot of Le Bec, Archbishop of Canterbury, Teacher of the Faith, 1109	Stoke Gifford	St Michael's CE VC Primary School, Stoke Gifford Headteacher: Mr Mark Freeman	Rector: Revd Canon Si Jones, Associate Ministers: Revd Tom Benyon, Revd Canon Julie Bradley, Curate: Revd. Vicky Wicks, LLM's: Mr Mark Freeman, Dr Julie Hobbs, Mr Chris Perkins, Mr Richard Willerton	The Diocese of Kyushu – The Nippon Sei Ko Kai		The elderly



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22 Apr 2022	Friday of Easter Week	Swindon Deanery Area Dean, Lay Chair and Leadership Team		Area Dean: Revd Sally Robertson, Lay Chair: Mr David Cain, Secretary: Mrs Helen Watt, Treasurer (vacant)	The Diocese of Lafia – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (<i>Abuja Province</i>)	<i>Church of Sweden:</i> Diocese of Gothenburg, Bishop Susanne Rappmann <i>Scottish Episcopal Church:</i> Diocese of Glasgow and Galloway, Bishop Kevin Pearson	Places of conflict and war
23 Apr 2022	Saturday of Easter Week George, Martyr, Patron of England, c.304	Stanton Fitzwarren		Priest-in-Charge: Revd Elveen Mead, Curate: Revd Mark Tidey, LLM's: Mrs Alison Burston, Dr Lisa Lodwick,	The Diocese of Lagos – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (<i>Lagos Province</i>)		Victims of human trafficking and those enslaved
24 Apr 2022	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER <i>Mellitus, Bishop of London, first Bishop at St Paul's, 624</i> <i>The Seven Martyrs of the Melanesian Brotherhood, Solomon Islands, 2003</i>	Stratton Saint Margaret and South Marston	South Marston CE Primary School, Headteacher: Mr Luke Maddison		The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea		Those living in poverty
25 Apr 2022	Mark the Evangelist	Ashton Keynes	Ashton Keynes CE VC Primary School Headteacher: Mrs Sam Saville	Upper Thames Benefice Priest-in-Charge: Revd Canon Debbie Dewes, Associate Minister: Revd Dr Shirley Danby, LLM's: Mrs Katy Bell, Mrs Pauline Loveday, Mrs Suzi Tipper, Mr Peter Tuck	The Diocese of Lagos Mainland – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (<i>Lagos Province</i>)		Survivors of abuse
26 Apr 2022		Cricklade	St Sampson's CE VC Primary School Headteacher: Mrs Jennifer Bayne		The Diocese of Lagos West – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (<i>Lagos Province</i>)		Prisons and prisoners
27 Apr 2022	<i>Christina Rossetti, Poet, 1894</i>	Latton			The Diocese of Lahore – The (united) Church of Pakistan		Primary, secondary and higher education
28 Apr 2022	<i>Peter Chanel, Missionary in the South Pacific, Martyr, 1841</i>	Leigh			The Diocese of Lainya – The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan (<i>Cantral Equatoria Province</i>)		Banking and finance



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29 Apr 2022	Catherine of Siena, Teacher of the Faith, 1380	The Diocese of Mbale, linked with Bristol South Deanery		Rt Revd. Patrick Gidudu	The Diocese on the Lake – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Owerri Province)	<i>Church of Sweden:</i> Diocese of Gothenburg, Bishop Susanne Rappmann	The Government
30 Apr 2022	<i>Pandita Mary Ramabai, Translator of the Scriptures, 1922</i>	Swindon New Town		Priest-in-Charge: Revd Toby Boutle	The Diocese of Lango – The Church of the Province of Uganda	<i>Scottish Episcopal Church:</i> Diocese of Glasgow and Galloway, Bishop Kevin Pearson	Victims of crime

Amendments, comments and queries

The information in the Cycle of Prayer is checked and updated as near as possible to the time of production. If you have any amendments to suggest, or any other comments or queries, please contact the bishop's chaplain, The Revd. Canon Dr Martin Gainsborough. Email: bishop.chaplain@bristoldiocese.org ; Tel: 01454 7777 28