

**The Cycle of Prayer**  
**for**  
**The Diocese of Chicago**  
*(including prayers for our companion dioceses)*  
**2011**

**FOR USE ON SUNDAYS AND WEEKDAYS IN THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**  
**DURING THE EUCHARIST IN THE DESIGNATED WEEKS**

***The week of January 2, 2011***

*Congregations in the Aurora Deanery:*

St. David in Aurora; Trinity in Aurora; Calvary in Batavia; St. Bede in Bensenville;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Juan Evangelista in Acayucan; St. Matthew Cathedral in Renk

***The week of January 9, 2011***

*Congregations in the Aurora Deanery:*

Incarnation, St. Luke's Philippine Independent Church and 1<sup>st</sup> Asian Church in Bloomingdale; St. Benedict in Bolingbrook; Holy Nativity in Clarendon Hills; St. Andrew in Downers Grove;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Pedro in Veracruz; Glory Church in Renk

***The week of January 16, 2011***

*Congregations in the Aurora Deanery:*

St. Mark in Geneva; St. Barnabas in Glen Ellyn; St. Mark in Glen Ellyn;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

St. Michael and All Angels in Cancun; St. James in Lathbior

Youth and young adults participating in the second annual MIQRA weekend

***The week of January 23, 2011***

*Congregations in the Aurora Deanery:*

Calvary in Lombard; St. John in Naperville; St. Charles in St. Charles; Trinity in Wheaton;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Juan in Chogota; St. Peter in Wun-Kur

***The week of January 30, 2011***

*Congregations in the Chicago-North Deanery:*

Cathedral Church of St. James in Chicago; All Saints in Chicago; Ascension in Chicago; Atonement in Chicago;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

La Divina Providencia in El Camalotal; St. Andrew in Wadakona

***The week of February 6, 2011***

Junior High youth and Youth Ministers attending NEW BEGINNINGS this weekend;

*Congregations in Chicago-North Deanery:*

Church of Our Saviour in Chicago; St. Chrysostom in Chicago; St. Paul's Church-by-the-Lake in Chicago;

St. Peter in Chicago;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

Jesús de Nazaret near Tuxtepec; St. Mark in Jelhak

For those ordained as deacons on February 5

***The week of February 13, 2011***

For the spouses, partners and children of our bishops, priests and deacons that their relationships would be strengthened and their own ministries to their families and the church be blessed by your Holy Spirit.

*Congregations in the Chicago-South Deanery:*

Brent House Campus Ministry at the University of Chicago; the Chapel at Montgomery Place;

Episcopal/Lutheran South Loop Campus Ministry; Grace in Chicago; Holy Cross in Chicago; Holy Nativity in Chicago;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

La Santa Cruz in Oaxaca; St. Peter in Geiger Centre

***The week of February 20, 2011***

The members of The Consortium of Endowed Episcopal Parishes holding its annual meeting in Chicago this week;

*Congregations in the Chicago-South Deanery*

Messiah-St. Bartholomew in Chicago; St. Edmund in Chicago; Saints George & Matthias in Chicago; St. Margaret of Scotland in Chicago;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Marcos in Veracruz; St. Barnabas in Geiger South

***The week of February 27, 2011***

*Congregations in the Chicago-South Deanery:*

St. Paul & the Redeemer in Chicago; St. Thomas in Chicago; Santa Teresa in Chicago; Trinity in Chicago

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

La Ascención in Veracruz; St. Michael in Geiger Centre

***The week of March 6, 2011***

High School Youth and Youth Ministers attending HAPPENING this weekend;

*Congregations in the Chicago-West Deanery:*

Advent in Chicago; Epiphany in Chicago; Nuestra Senora de las Americas in Chicago; St. Alban in Chicago;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

La Transfiguración in Oaxaca; Jarbanat Sub-Parish

***The week of March 13, 2011***

*Congregations in the Chicago-South Deanery:*

St. Andrew in Chicago; St. John in Chicago; St. Martin in Chicago; Cristo Rey in Chicago;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

Holy Trinity in Oaxaca; St. John in Melut

***The week of March 20, 2011***

*Congregations in the Elgin Deanery:*

St. Simon in Arlington Heights; St. Michael in Barrington; St. Mark in Barrington Hills; St. Martin in Des Plaines;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Andrés in Veracruz; St. Michael in Paloch

***The week of March 27, 2011***

Our bishops and all other bishops attending the House of Bishops Spring Meeting at Camp Allen in Texas this week;

Intercessions are offered by each congregation for its own corporate life, clergy and lay leadership, and its organizations; and for the city or town in which located and its civic leadership

***The week of April 3, 2011***

Intercessions are offered for the DIOCESE OF CHICAGO and for our Bishops, The Rt. Rev. Jeffrey D. Lee and the Rt. Rev. Victor A. Scantlebury; and for Bishop Benito Juarez-Martinez of the Diocese of SE Mexico and Bishop Joseph Atem of the Diocese of Renk

***The week of April 10, 2011***

*Congregations in the Elgin Deanery continued:*

Redeemer in Elgin; St. Hugh of Lincoln in Elgin; St. Nicholas in Elk Grove Village; St. Columba of Iona in Hanover Park; St. John in Mount Prospect;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

St. Mark in Yucatán; St. Luke in Khor Adaar

***The week of April 17, 2011– Sunday of the Passion/Palm Sunday and Holy Week***

*Congregations in the Elgin Deanery:*

St. Philip in Palatine; One in Christ in Prospect Heights; St. Mary in Park Ridge; St. James in West Dundee;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Juan Bautista in Oaxaca; and St. Bartholomew in Thiangular

***The week of April 24, 2011– Easter Sunday and Easter Week***

Women attending the Diocesan Episcopal Church Women Annual Meeting on April 30;

*Congregations in the Evanston Deanery:*

Canterbury House at Northwestern University; St. Andrew Pentecost in Evanston; St. Luke in Evanston; St. Mark in Evanston; St. Matthew in Evanston;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Francisco de Asís in Tuxtepec; Panomsit Sub-Parish

***The week of May 1, 2011***

For those attending the Diocesan Leadership and Ministry Fair on May 7,

*Congregations in the Evanston Deanery:*

St. Elisabeth in Glencoe; St. David in Glenview; Holy Comforter in Kenilworth; St. Giles in Northbrook;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Jorge in Tabasco; St. Matthew Cathedral

***The week of May 8, 2011***

*Congregations in the Evanston Deanery:*

St. James the Less in Northfield; Holy Trinity in Skokie; St. Augustine in Wilmette; Christ Church in Winnetka;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

Santa María Virgen in Xalapa; Glory Church

***The week of May 15, 2011***

*Congregations in the Joliet Deanery:*

St. Joseph & St. Aidan in Blue Island; St. John the Evangelist in Flossmoor; St. Clement in Harvey; St. Edward and Christ in Joliet;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Juan Evangelista in Acayucan; St. James in Lathbior

***The week of May 22, 2011***

*Congregations in the Joliet Deanery:*

St. Paul in Kankakee; St. John in Lockport; Good Shepherd in Momence; St. Thomas in Morris;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Pedro in Veracruz; St. Peter in Wun-Kur

***The week of May 29, 2011***

*Congregations in the Joliet Deanery:*

Grace in New Lenox; Transfiguration in Palos Park; Holy Family in Park Forest; Grace in Pontiac Ministry at Pontiac Correctional Center;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

St. Michael and All Angels in Cancun; St. Andrew in Wadakona

***The week of June 5, 2011***

*Congregations in the Oak Park Deanery:*

St. Michael and All Angels in Berwyn; St. Helena in Burr Ridge; Our Saviour in Elmhurst; Grace in Hinsdale; Emmanuel in LaGrange;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Juan in Chogota; St. Mark in Jelhak

***The week of June 12, 2011***

*Congregations in the Oak Park Deanery:*

Grace in Oak Park; St. Christopher in Oak Park; Christ in River Forest; St. Paul in Riverside; All Saints in Western Springs;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

La Divina Providencia in El Camalotal; St. Peter in Geiger North

***The week of June 19, 2011***

Youth from our Diocese participating in the Episcopal Youth Event in the coming week,

*Congregations in the Rockford Deanery:*

United Campus Ministries at Northern Illinois University; Holy Trinity in Belvidere; St. Paul in DeKalb; St. Luke in Dixon; Grace in Freeport; St. Andrew's-in-the-Fields in Farm Ridge;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

Jesús de Nazaret near Tuxtepec; St. Barnabas in Geiger South

***The week of June 26, 2011***

Children, Youth and Staff participating in our Diocesan Summer Camp this week;

*Congregations in the Rockford Deanery:*

Grace in Galena which celebrates its 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary this year; St. Peter Chapel in Grand Detour; St. Paul in LaSalle; St. Chad in Loves Park; St. Anne in Morrison;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

La Santa Cruz in Oaxaca; St. Michael in Geiger Centre

***The week of July 3, 2011***

Children, Youth and Staff participating in our Diocesan Summer Camp this week;

*Congregations in the Rockford Deanery:*

St. Bride in Oregon; Christ Church in Ottawa; Emmanuel in Rockford; St. Anskar in Rockford;

*And in our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Marcos in Veracruz; Jarbanat Sub-Parish

***The week of July 10, 2011***

Children, Youth and Staff participating in our Diocesan Summer Camp this week;

*Congregations in the Rockford Deanery;*

St. Paul in Savanna; Grace in Sterling; Christ Church in Streator; St. Peter in Sycamore;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

La Ascención in Veracruz; St. John in Melut

***The week of July 17, 2011***

*Congregations in the Waukegan Deanery:*

St. Ignatius of Antioch in Antioch; St. Mary in Crystal Lake; St. Gregory in Deerfield; St. Andrew in Grayslake; Annunciation to Our Lady in Gurnee;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

La Transfiguración in Oaxaca; St. Michael in Paloch

***The week of July 24, 2011***

*Congregations in the Waukegan Deanery:*

Trinity in Highland Park; Church of the Holy Spirit in Lake Forest; Holy Family/Sagrada Familia in Lake Villa; St. Lawrence in Libertyville; St. Paul in McHenry;

*Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk:*

Holy Trinity in Oaxaca; St. Luke in Khor Adaar

***The week of July 31, 2011***

Youth and chaperones participating in the Diocesan-wide Mission Trip;

*Congregations in the Waukegan Deanery:*

Holy Apostles in Wauconda; Christ Church in Waukegan; Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe in Waukegan; St. Ann in Woodstock;

*Companion Dioceses in SE Mexico and Renk:*

San Andrés in Veracruz; St. Bartholomew in Thiangular

***The week of August 7, 2011***

*The Dioceses of Province Five:*

Intercessions are offered for the President of this province, The Rev. Alan James, Diocese of Southern Ohio; for the Synod of the province; and for the representatives of this diocese to the Synod;

*And our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

***The week of August 14, 2011***

*The Dioceses of Province Five:*

Springfield; Missouri; Milwaukee; Fond du Lac

*And our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

***The week of August 21, 2011***

*The Dioceses of Province Five:*

Quincy; Indianapolis; Northern Indiana; Eau Claire

*And our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

**The week of August 28, 2011**

*The Dioceses of Province Five:*

Southern Ohio; Ohio; Michigan; Eastern Michigan

*And our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

**The week of September 4, 2011**

*The Dioceses of Province Five:*

Northern Michigan; Western Michigan; Chicago

*And our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

**The week of September 11, 2011**

Our bishops and all other bishops attending the House of Bishops Fall Meeting this week;

*The following bodies of the Episcopal Church:*

The General Convention; The House of Bishops; The House of Clerical and Lay Deputies; The Executive Council

**The week of September 18, 2011**

*Diocesan Agencies:* Bishop & Trustees; Commission on Ordained Ministry; Deaneries, Diocesan Council, Diocesan Foundation, Episcopal Charities & Community; and Standing Committee

*And agencies in our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

**The week of September 25, 2011**

Junior High youth and Youth Ministers attending NEW BEGINNINGS this weekend;

*Commissions of Diocesan Council:* Congregational Support; Christian Formation; Evangelism; Ordained Ministry; Peace & Justice; Stewardship; and Unity

*And ministries in the Diocese of SE Mexico and Renk*

**The week of October 2, 2011**

*Offices at the Episcopal Church Center:*

Office of the Bishop; Finance & Administration; Transition Ministry and Congregational Development; Christian Formation, Youth, Campus and Young Adult Ministries; Pastoral Care; Development & Communication; Building Department;

*And offices in our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

**The week of October 9, 2011**

*Diocesan Task Forces, Committees and Ministries on:* AIDS; Alcohol and Drugs; Archives; Deacon's Council; Global Ministry; Liturgy & Music; Suicide Prevention; Youth Council

*And for our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Youth Ministry in the Diocese of Renk*

**The week of October 16, 2011**

*Diocesan Task Forces, Committees and Ministries on:* Aging; Anti-Racism; Asian-Americans, Black Congregations; Hispanic Ministry; People with Disabilities;

*And for ministries in our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Mothers' Union in the Diocese of Renk*

**The week of October 23, 2011**

*Diocesan Task Forces, Committees and Ministries on:* Sustainability; Communications; Ecumenical & Interfaith Relations; Energy; Hunger; Lay Ministry; and Retired Clergy

*And for ministries in our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

**The week of October 30, 2011**

*Diocesan Institutions and Organizations:* Bishop's Associates; Brotherhood of St. Andrew; Chicago Episcopal Cursillo; Daughters of the King; Episcopal Church Women; Faith Alive; Fresh Start; National Cathedral Association

*And for ministries in our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

**The week of November 6, 2011**

*Diocesan Institutions and Organizations:* Episcopal Peace Fellowship; Jubilee Centers; Seabury-Western Theological Seminary; St. Augustine College; St. Augustine Center for Native Americans; Jubilee Centers; and the Union of Black Episcopalians

*And for organizations in our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Geiger Primary School and Renk Bible School in the Diocese of Renk*

***The week of November 13, 2011***

High School Youth and Youth Ministers attending HAPPENING this weekend;  
Clergy and lay delegates attending our Diocesan Convention on November 18 and 19;  
*And for our relationship with our companion Dioceses of Renk, Sudan and SE Mexico*

***The week of November 20, 2011***

Intercessions and thanksgivings are offered today for the clergy of our Diocese: our Bishops, Priests and Deacons, and their ministries in parishes, as well as our clergy in specialized ministries such as chaplaincies, teaching and hospice care

***The week of November 27, 2011***

*Organizations of Episcopal Charities & Community Services:* Bishop Anderson House; Cathedral Counseling Center; Cathedral Shelter; Lawrence Hall; The Church Home at Montgomery Place; Primo Center for Women & Children; The Julian Year Program  
*And for organizations of our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

***The week of December 4, 2011***

*Organizations of Episcopal Charities & Community Services:* Ravenswood Community Center; Shelter Care Ministries; St. Gregory's Episcopal School; St. Leonard's Ministries; St. Mary's Services; Youth Guidance;  
*And for organizations of our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk*

***The week of December 11, 2011***

*For the ecumenical relationships between the churches in full Communion with the Episcopal Church:* the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; Church of North India; Church of South India; Church of Pakistan; Church of Bangladesh; the Old Catholic Churches; the Philippine Independent Church; the Mar Thoma Syrian Church of Malabar; and the Moravian Church in America, Northern and Southern Provinces.

***The week of December 18, 2011***

At this time of general rejoicing, the congregation is called upon to pray for those who, in the words of the Prayers of the People, Form VI (BCP p. 392) "are the victims of hunger, fear, injustice and oppression or are in danger, sorrow or any kind of trouble and for those who minister to the sick, the friendless and the needy."

***The week of December 25, 2011***

On this last Sunday of the year, intercessions will be offered for the congregation, for the clergy and wardens and for all others in leadership positions with particular petitions for wisdom and guidance in the year to come.