

- As we continue to watch in a measure of disbelief and sorrow the unfolding events in Ukraine, let us **pray for the people of Ukraine**, millions of whom have been forced to make radical decisions for themselves and their families as to whether to flee or not. **Pray for the churches in Ukraine and in Russia** that they may bring comfort to those who have suffered needless loss of family members and may they share the transforming Gospel of Jesus in a time of desperate circumstances.
- 2. Let us continue to pray asking for God's intervention in the spread of Covid and its various strains across North America and all around the world. Ask God to intervene and eradicate this virus. Ask him to help public health officials, doctors, and government officials with wisdom and guidance. Ask him to heal the victims and comfort those who have lost loved-ones.
- Pray for Bishop Charlie Masters 3. (& Judy) as he leads ANiC. May God grant him all the health, strength, discernment and the passion he needs for this heavy responsibility. Pray for protection for him from illness and fatigue. Grant him Gospel zeal as he cares for the clergy and parishes in Canada and New England, especially in these last few months of his tenure as diocesan bishop. *** First Friday: We urge you to set aside the first Friday of each month as a day to pray and fast (if you are able) for our diocese (ANiC), the Anglican Church of North America, and the Anglican Communion worldwide.
- 4. Our diocese and province – Pray for the Anglican Network in Canada and all of our parishes across Canada and in New England. Pray for revival in our churches and their neighbourhoods. May great passion for the Gospel be a hallmark of each congregation. Pray for our primate, Archbishop Foley Beach (& Allison), as he gives godly leadership to the Anglican Church of North America (ACNA). Ask the Lord for great wisdom as he and the College of Bishops make strategic decisions around the growth of Gospel ministry. Pray also for him in

his strategic role as chairman of the Gafcon primates' council.

5. Pray for Bishop Stephen Leung (& Nona). Pray for health, protection, wisdom and vision and the ongoing ministry of AMMiC. Pray also for Bishop Dan Gifford (& Cathryn) as he serves as the temporary Bishop of the West, and ultimately to become our next diocesan bishop at Synod in November when Bishop Charlie retires. May the Lord grant both of these men of God the anointing of the Spirit for the fulfilling of their calling.

*****Collect for Pentecost:** Almighty God, on this day, through the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, you revealed the way of eternal life to every race and nation: Pour out this gift anew, that by the preaching of the Gospel your salvation may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

- 6. Pray for our **Electoral Nominating Committee (ENC)** as they seek the Lord's will concerning candidates for the office of suffragan bishop serving in western Canada. For more information on this highly important task, see the ANiC website: *anglicannetwork.ca/enc*
- Pray for Bishop Don Harvey

 (& Trudy) in his roles as ANiC's episcopal vicar and as senior chaplain to the ACNA College of Bishops. Pray for his continued health and vigour. Pray also for our retired bishops: Bishop Trevor Walters (& Dede), Bishop Ron Ferris (& Jan) and Bishop Malcolm Harding (& Marylou). Thank God for their fruitful ministries.
- ANiC's 5 Ministry Priorities Pray that God will use these five priorities to transform us and our parishes. Pray also for the leaders and their team around each priority: Bold witnesses (Scott Hunt); Biblically grounded (Canon George Sinclair); Loving children & youth into the Kingdom (Rev. Jeremy & Kimberley Graham); On mission (Canon Brian McVitty); and Planting & Growing Churches (Canon Alastair Sterne).

- 9. ANiC archdeacons, canons & all clergy – Pray for spiritual and physical protection and renewal as well as God's blessing upon their ministry. Pray also for their spouses & families that God would grant them safety and health in body, mind and spirit and may the Lord grant them grace upon grace as they pastor those under their care.
- 10. ANiC staff & volunteers in Burlington – Pray for strength for the tasks, faithfulness in service, and joy in the Lord. May the Lord grant physical healing to those in need and may God's blessing rest on ANiC as we seek to know, love and serve Him. Pray for ANiC's council, chancellor & registrar – Pray for wisdom and servant hearts as they serve ANiC. May they know God's leading, seek His will, and experience His joy.
- 11. Asian & Multicultural Ministries in Canada (AMMiC) – May God bless and prosper their ministry as they reach out to ethnic communities and new immigrants with the transforming Gospel of Jesus, and engage in planting new churches. For further prayer around this important ministry, AMMIC also produces their own monthly prayer calendar available on their website: ammic.ca
- 12. Pray for all our young church plants and new congregations that are in the process of getting established including: Resurrection in Rigaud, QC led by Jonathan Camiré; Messiah Kanata in Kanata, ON led by Rev. Daniel Avitan; St. Francis in Saskatoon, SK led by Jan Bigland-Pritchard; All Saints in Calgary, AB led by Rev. James Broadhead; St. Thomas in Summerland, BC led by Rev. Lars Nowén; and Highway Northshore in North Vancouver, BC led by Rev. Joe Pienaar.

*****Collect for Trinity Sunday:** Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

13. ANiC's New England congregations:

Holy Trinity (Marlborough, MA) Christ the True Vine Anglican Mission (Marlborough, MA) All Saints' (Rutland, VT) Christ the Way Anglican Mission (Moosup, CT) Emmanuel - Chinese (Boston, MA)

14. ANIC congregations in the Atlantic Provinces:

St Stephen the Martyr (St John's, NL) Resurrection (Halifax, NS) Good Samaritan (St John's, NL) Christ the King (Sussex, NB) All Saints (Bonavista, NL) St. Matthew's (Gander, NL)

15. ANIC congregations in the Ottawa area:

St Luke's (Pembroke) Messiah (Ottawa) St Peter & St Paul's (Ottawa) Grace (Mississippi Mills) Eternal Hope (Carleton Place) Messiah (Kanata)

16. ANiC congregations in Quebec:

Emmaus (Montreal) St Timothy's (Montreal) St James (Lennoxville) Resurrection Church (Rigaud) **recent**

17. ANiC congregations in Ontario:

St Aidan's (Windsor) St Aidan's at River's Bend (Belle River) Cornerstone Anglican Church (Sarnia) New Life (Sturgeon Falls) The Gate (Iron Bridge) Church of the Good Shepherd (Sault Ste Marie) church project

18. ANiC congregations in Ontario:

St Hilda's (Oakville) St Peter by the Park (Hamilton) St George's (Burlington) Epiphany (Hamilton) Good Shepherd (St Catharines) St Jude (Guelph) St Barnabas Anglican Mission ((Wilsonville)

19. ANiC congregations in Greater Toronto and eastern Ontario: St Chad's (Toronto) Celebration Church (Barrie) Christ the King (Toronto)

New Song (Port Perry) Living Waters (Kingston) St James Fellowship (Trenton) St Stephen Anglican Fellowship (Napanee)

20. ANiC congregations in Saskatchewan & Manitoba: Resurrection (Brandon, MB) St Bede's (Kinosota, MB) Redeemer (Dauphin, MB) Saint Saviour's (Lloydminster SK) St. Francis Anglican Worship Community (Saskatoon, SK)

21. ANiC congregations in Alberta:

Grace Anglican (Calgary) Christ the King (Edmonton) Good Shepherd - Cantonese (Calgary) Living Water (Athabasca) All Saints (Calgary) **new**

22. ANIC congregations in the Fraser Valley & Interior of BC:

Ascension (Langley) Resurrection (Kelowna) Saint Matthew's (Abbotsford) Christ Church (Kelowna) Church of the Holy Cross (Abbotsford) Bulkley River (formerly Houston and Smithers) St. Thomas (Summerland) **new**

23. ANIC congregations in the Vancouver area:

St John's (Vancouver) St. Thomas Mission (UBC, Vancouver) (merged with Sojourn Church) St John's (Richmond) St Peter's Fireside (Vancouver) St Andrew's (Delta)

24. Anglican Explorers - Pray for the fruitfulness of this ANiC church seeding and planting initiative led by Bishop Ron Ferris and Rev. Geoff Chapman as they seek to match church planters with seed groups and planting opportunities across the country.

25. ANiC congregations in the Vancouver area:

St Matthias and St Luke (Vancouver) Good Shepherd Richmond – Chinese All Nations – Japanese St John's – Sudanese (Surrey) Good Shepherd Vancouver – Chinese St Timothy's (North Vancouver) St Simon's (North Vancouver) Highway Church (north shore Vancouver) **recent**

26. ANiC congregations on Vancouver Island & Sunshine Coast:

Open Gate Church (Victoria) Church of Our Lord (Victoria) Christ's Church (Oceanside) The Table (Victoria, Saanich Peninsula) Christ the Redeemer (Pender Harbour)

- 27. Pray for the **Anglican Relief and Development Fund Canada** (ARDFC) and its latest project as it is partnering with the **Anglican Church in Cambodia** to expand a safe hostel for girls in the suburbs of Phnom Penh, Cambodia.
- 28. Please pray for **Gafcon**, **our global family of authentic Anglicans** standing together **to retain and restore the Bible to the heart of the Anglican Communion**. Pray for the fulfillment of their God-given mandate: "Gafcon works to guard and proclaim the unchanging, transforming Gospel through biblically faithful preaching and teaching which frees our churches to make disciples by clear and certain witness to Jesus Christ in all the world."

Pray also for the highly important **GAFCON IV conference** to be held **April 16-23, 2023** in Kilgali, Rwanda. These gatherings of orthodox Anglicans from all around the world have proven to be both a great encouragement and of strategic importance to the proclamation of the transforming Gospel of Jesus.

- 29. Pray for the millions of refugees and internally displaced people worldwide. Pray for persecuted Christians, especially in Islamic, communist and war-torn lands. Pray especially for the millions of refugees fleeing from the horror of the war in Ukraine, and for the church and the people of Afghanistan.
- 30. Our nations are deeply divided internally and increasingly polarized. The Church worldwide needs to reflect on the Scriptural promise below and see the responsibility that we have "those who are called by My Name" to seek the Lord, to repent of our wicked ways, asking him to mercifully hear from heaven, forgive our sin and heal our lands. (Chronicles 7:14)