



**DIOCESE OF WEST MALAYSIA
PRAYER DIARY**

MARCH 2019



**A CALL
TO PRAY FOR
OUR DIOCESE
AND OUR
NATION MALAYSIA**

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1st – Sunday – 1st Sunday of Lent

LITURGIES:

We have not loved You with our whole heart, and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We have not forgiven others, as we have been forgiven. Have mercy on us, Lord. We have been deaf to Your call to serve, as Christ served us. We have not been true to the mind of Christ. We have grieved Your Holy Spirit. Have mercy on us, Lord.

PRAY FOR MALAYSIA: 2 Chronicles 7:14

Lord, we come to You with this prayer for our land Malaysia. You promised that when your people pray, humble themselves, and seek You, You will hear and answer. You even promise healing in the land. Lord, our land needs healing and we believe it starts with us. We humble ourselves before You right now. We are seeking Your face. We ask You to grant us a repentant spirit so we may be an instrument that ushers in Your blessing for this nation. Amen.

2nd – Monday – Chad, bishop, missionary, 672 William Henry Gomes, missionary to the Dayaks and Malay, 1902

DECLARATION FOR 2020:

- We as a Diocese declare that 2020 will be a year of Breakthrough for the Diocese, every church, every Clergy and every believer. Amen.
- We declare that in the year 2020, God will pour out His Spirit upon us. Amen.
- We declare that God will raise Prayer Warriors to stand in the Gap for our Diocese and for our country. Amen.

PRAY FOR MALAYSIA: Matthew 6:10

We pray for Your Kingdom to come, Your will to be done on earth as it is in heaven. We know Your will is for righteousness, salvation, and truth. We pray for these things to define our lives, our marriages, our homes, our communities, and our nation. We ask for Your church to be vessels that usher in Your Kingdom and fulfil Your will. Grant us, Your servants, success as we seek to glorify Your name. Amen.

BIRTHDAY: Rev. Canon Emeritus Dato' Dr. Yeoh Beng San

3rd – Tuesday

Healing Prayer: Father God, we come to you today in praise and worship. We come thanking you that this is truly the day the Lord hath made, and we will rejoice and be glad in it. Lord, today we open our spirits to you and give thanks for Your life - that fills every cell of our body and life. Lord, you revealed yourself to us as Jehovah-Rapha, the Lord our Healer. Lord you want to heal those who are sick and hurting today. Healing was purchased in the atonement and is available, just as salvation is available. We know today that Your will is to heal, so we pray with confidence.

Lord, we pray for those today who are fighting the Covid 19, cancer, diabetes, heart disease - and any other disease or sickness. We command these sicknesses to be cursed at the root in the name of Jesus. We pray for the healing balm of Gilead to flow in these diseased bodies. Where there is weakness, let strength arise. We call out to these dead bones and command them to live again. Everything that is not functioning properly, we say, "Be healed." Lord, may we stand firm on your Word, because it is the Truth. We know that the Truth will set us free.

Thank you for what you are doing in the spiritual realm for us. We honor you for the victory that is coming in the lives of those who are reading this prayer. Thank you, Lord. Amen

BIRTHDAY: Joaan Tan Nam Sun

4th – Wednesday**PRAY FOR GOD'S MERCY UPON OUR LAND:**

Holy Father, I humbly plead for Your underserved mercy upon our lives, our Diocese, our Churches and our Nation. Lord, help us come before You as Your children with repentant hearts. By Jesus' blood alone, we plead for Your merciful grace to revive and bless us once again. Amen.

THE MINISTRY OF PRAYER: Acts 6:2 "But we will devote ourselves to Prayer and to the Ministry of the Word."

- Lord Jesus, we banish the spirit of prayerlessness. May we be men and women of prayer.
- We pray for Prayer Gatherings to be uplifted in our Diocese and in our Church.
- We pray for overflow in miracles, healing and deliverance from the time vested in prayer.

5th – Thursday**PRAY FOR OUR BISHOP, THE RT. REV. DATUK NG MOON HING:**

- Pray that God's hand be upon him.
- Ask God to pour His Spirit of Discernment upon him.
- Pray for his health and protection.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:

- Pray for all churches, Missionary Districts, pray for every Clergy.
- Pray for the upcoming AGM, for wisdom in electing the new PCC, for understanding in the various plans for changes to the church building, and for the whole church as we look ahead to the coming year.

BIRTHDAY: Rev. Lee Kon Yim

6th – Friday**PRAY FOR OUR SUFFRAGON BISHOPS:**

- Pray for our suffragan Bishops Rt. Rev. Charles Samuel and Rt. Rev. Dr. Jason Selvaraj.
- Pray that the Bishops be anointed with holy boldness, courage and mountain-moving faith.
- Pray for their health and their families.

PRAYER: God, help our church to walk in a manner worthy of the calling You have given us. Help us in all our interactions with one another to have humble and gentle hearts. Grant us patience for one another, bearing with one another in love. Grant this church unity. May we walk humbly with You, God, allowing You to show us our wrongs. Amen.

BIRTHDAY: Hon. Ev. Umah Kuppusamy

7th – Saturday**PRAY FOR THE ARCHDEACONS:**

- Ven. Dr. Stephen Soe of Upper North, Ven. John Kennady of Lower North, Ven. Eddie Ong of Upper Central, Ven. Stephen Chan of Middle Central (New Archdeaconry covering Selangor & Federal Territory of Putra Jaya), Ven. Charles Fraser of Lower Central, Ven. Edward M. John of Southern and Rev. Canon Jacob George John of Eastern.
- Pray that the Archdeacons be anointed with holy boldness, courage and mountain-moving faith.
- Pray for their health and their families.

PRAYER FOR MALAYSIA: Isaiah 6:1

Oh Lord, we need to see You as You truly are, not as what others say You are. Let Your people see You high and lifted up! Let us see You as holy. Let us understand Your nature, character and sovereignty. Let us know Your word. Sweep across Malaysia and reveal Yourself like never before. Let us know You, God! Amen.

BIRTHDAYS: Hon. Dss. Ruth Ong and Hon. Dss. Datin Dulcie Abraham

8th – Sunday – 2nd Sunday of Lent

LITURGIES:

We confess to You, Lord, all our past unfaithfulness: the pride, hypocrisy, and impatience of our lives. We confess to You, Lord. Our self-indulgent appetites and ways, and our exploitation of other people. We confess to You, Lord. Our anger at our own frustration, and our envy of those more fortunate than ourselves. We confess to You, Lord.

MH 370 : Malaysia Airlines Flight was a scheduled international passenger flight that disappeared on 8th March 2014 while flying from KL to Beijing. Pray for God's peace for the family members of those aboard MH 370.

9th – Monday

DECLARATION FOR 2020:

- We as a Diocese declare that 2020 will be a year of Blessings for the Diocese, every church, every Clergy and every believer. Amen.
- We declare that in the year 2020, God will do a New Thing (Isaiah 43:19) in our Diocese. Amen.
- We declare that many will rise to Pray in our Diocese. We declare that the Spirit of Prayer will be poured upon every believer in our Diocese. Amen.

PRAYER FOR CLERGY & PEOPLE: Almighty and everlasting God, from whom cometh every good and perfect gift; Send down upon our Bishops, and other Clergy, and upon the Congregations committed to their charge, the healthful Spirit of thy grace; and, that they may truly please thee, pour upon them the continual dew of thy blessings. Grant this, O Lord, for the honour of our Advocate and Mediator, Jesus Christ. Amen. (1928 Book of Common Prayer)

10th – Tuesday

PRAY FOR OUR DIOCESE AND OUR CHURCHES:

- Pray that God's people would unite in praying for all who are in authority, that revival will take place in our Diocese and Churches.
- Pray that God will raise up an army of prayer warriors who are willing to persevere in prayer and wage war on their knees.
- Pray for a spirit of prayer to spread like a wildfire across our land and Diocese until every church becomes a house of prayer.

PRAY FOR OUR CLERGY:

- Pray that every Clergy will minister in the grace and power of the Holy Spirit.
- Pray that God will strengthen, renew, replenish and refresh every Clergy.
- Pray that God will reward our Clergy for good in all their faithful service.

BIRTHDAYS: The Rt. Revd. Tan Sri Dr. Lim Cheng Ean and the Rt. Revd. Dr. Datuk S. Batumalai

11th – Wednesday

THE OFFICERS OF THE DIOCESE:

- *The Chancellor – Lay Canon Andrew Khoo. The Registrar - Mr. D. Raja Singam, The Secretary - Mr. David Joseph, The Treasurer - Mr. Kingsley Yuen. The Bishop's Chaplain – Rev Fred David.

Ask God to...

- Give the Standing Committee wisdom to make good decisions
- Let the Standing Committee seek out Godly counsel before they make decisions

PRAY FOR CHURCH GROWTH: Luke 24:49

Father, in the Name of Jesus, we come before You right now and pray for spiritual growth in Your church. We ask that the wind of the Holy Spirit will fall upon every church and every congregation. Father clothe us with power from on high in all that we do for Your Kingdom and for the growth of Your church, this we ask in Jesus Name. Amen.

12th – Thursday

PRAY FOR OUR DIOCESE:

- Father, release the spirit of prayer upon our Diocese.
- Father, let the bond of unity be strengthened amongst the Clergy, Leaders and Members in our Diocese.
- Lord, frustrate the schemes and strategies of the evil one against our Diocese.

PRAY FOR EVERY CONGREGATION IN OUR DIOCESE:

- Pray that believers will be united in our worship of God, fellowship with one another, and ministry to the community.
- Ask God to help believers confront and remove issues and problems that threaten this unity.
- Pray that believers throughout the church will grow in relationship with Christ as they follow the path of discipleship.

13th - Friday

PRAYER : Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son. Amen

PRAY FOR THE MISSION SCHOOLS:

- Pray for all the Mission Schools in our Diocese.
- Pray for Christian principals and teachers who care for the interest of the students and to impact the lives of their students.
- Students in Christian schools to be moulded by Christian values.
- Schools will have Christian Fellowship and Christian activities
- That students be well grounded in the Word that they will not be tempted to seek other religions.

14th – Saturday

A PRAYER FOR REPENTANCE: Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all; we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we, from time to time most grievously have committed by thought, word and deed against Thy Divine Majesty, provoking most justly they wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous upon us; the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us most merciful Father; for Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake. Forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever serve and please Thee in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Thy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PRAY FOR OUR DIOCESE:

- That God will build our Diocese and His name will be glorified.
- That God will keep, guard, and protect our Diocese from the evil one.
- That our Diocese will be a beacon of light in our nation.

15th – Sunday – 3rd Sunday of Lent

PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP: Lord, make us free...free with eyes not focused upon ourselves; free with ears open to hearing Your Word; free with hands reaching out; free with hearts no longer chained by what we possess, but bound, instead, by what we can share. Yes, Lord, make us free...free to worship; free to be extravagant with thankfulness; free to break open the costliest oil upon Your feet; free to love as love really is, in Jesus; name. Amen.

DIOCESAN THEME 2020:

- Diocesan Theme 2020 – 'Blowing The Trumpet'.
- Pray for the Diocesan Theme Coordinator – Rev. Matthew Chay and his team.

16th – Monday**PRAY FOR OUR CLERGY, DEACONESSSES, LAY LEADERS, LAY PASTORS & EVANGELIST:**

- Pray that God's mighty hand will be upon each one of our Leaders.
- Pray that they will hear God's voice clearly through the Holy Spirit
- Pray that our leaders will be protected by the Blood of the Lamb.

PRAY FOR THE DIOCESE OF WEST MALAYSIA:

- Pray that our Heavenly Father will Revive, Refresh and Renew the Diocese unleashing the power of the Holy Spirit upon us.
- Pray for each and every person in our Diocese, that our Lord may empower us to follow in His footsteps and do His will in all things.
- Pray for the Holy Spirit to transform and use us to reach others and make disciples of Jesus Christ.

17th – Tuesday – Patrick, bishop, missionary, patron of Ireland, c460**PRAY FOR OUR DIOCESE:**

- Father God, let there be oneness and unity in our Diocese.
- Father God, build your church. We come against every agenda of the enemy against our Diocese.
- Father God, strengthen the faith of each member in our Diocese to do the work of ministry.

CHURCH UNITY:

- Pray for every deep seeded root of bitterness in our churches to be removed
- Pray that we the people will learn to forgive and to forget as Christ has done for us.
Pray and ask God to help us to let go of all hurt and offence that has been inflicted on one another of this church.

18th – Wednesday**THE CHURCH****The clergy**

- Pray for the men and women of God as they meditate and prepare to deliver the Word to the masses.
- Pray for a spirit of wisdom and understanding of the Word.
- Pray that they will not speak words from their own understanding, but to rely on the leading of the Holy Spirit.

The congregation

- Pray for those who attend church (or don't attend church).
- Pray that the Word will touch and change their lives.
- Pray that all hindrances by the evil one will be broken, that they will hear the message and be saved.

19th – Thursday – Joseph of Nazareth

PRAYER: God our Father, who from the family of your servant David raised up Joseph the carpenter to be the guardian of your incarnate Son and husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary: give us grace to follow him in faithful obedience to your commands; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

PRAY FOR OUR CLERGY, DEACONESSSES, LAY LEADERS, LAY PASTORS & EVANGELIST:

- Praise and thank God for the clergy who answer the call to ministry and work so hard for the building and extension of God's Kingdom.
- Pray for the spiritual, emotional, and physical well-being of our Clergy.
- Pray for our Seminarians that they will be fully empowered by the Holy Spirit as they prepare for their ministry in our Diocese. Amen.

BIRTHDAY: Hon. Dss. Puspathai Nathan

20th – Friday

PRAYER: Lord, what the enemy means for evil against our church, we believe You can use for good. Remind our hearts of this. When we are being attacked and crushed from all sides, remind us of Your faithfulness to use everything for Your good and Your glory. May we not fear but trust in Your provision for our church family. May we not only be readers of Your Word, but believers and doers. Increase our faith, Lord. Amen.

PRAYER GATHERING: Pray for the Prayer Gathering on the 28th March at St. Katherine's Church, Kajang from 10am – 1pm.

- Pray that our Churches be more intentional about prayer
- Pray that our Churches make Prayer an integral part of the programs of the church
- Pray for more people to come together to pray for our Diocese and our Country.

21st – Saturday – Thomas Cranmer, Archbishop, Reformation martyr, 1556

THE CHURCH TRIUMPHANT:

Thank God, for the life of all faithful people who have served God and have gone to be with the Lord. Those who have quietly served in our churches and have blessed so many people. Remember and thank God for all Bishops, Priests, and Church Workers who gave their life for the full-time ministry. Remember and pray for their family members.

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO MOURN:

O God, who brought us to birth, and in whose arms, we die, in our grief and shock contain and comfort us; embrace us with your love, give us hope in our confusion and grace to let go into new life; through Jesus Christ. Amen.

22nd – Sunday – 4th Sunday of Lent – Mothering Sunday

PRAYER: We beseech thee, O Lord, pour thy grace into our hearts; that, as we have known the incarnation of thy Son Jesus Christ by the message of an angel, so by his cross and passion we may be brought unto the glory of his resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

EVERY CONGREGATION IN OUR DIOCESE:

- Pray that believers will be united in our worship of God, fellowship with one another, and ministry to the community.
- Ask God to help believers confront and remove issues and problems that threaten this unity.
- Pray that believers throughout the church will grow in relationship with Christ as they follow the path of discipleship.

23rd – Monday

PRAY FOR OUR CLERGY:

- Pray for a fresh divine anointing on all our Clergy's ministry. Pray that God's working will be powerfully evident both in their personal life and the spiritual life of the congregation.
- Pray for spiritual unity among the spiritual leadership of the church (elders, deacons, PCC, etc.).
- Pray that the enemy will not be allowed to create divisions, strife, or misunderstanding among the church leaders.

PRAY FOR ALL CHURCHES IN OUR DIOCESE:

- Pray that our churches would receive God's direction and vision.
- Pray that each congregation gets nourished from the substance of His word.
- Pray that our churches become real Disciples of Christ who are learning and growing.

24th – Tuesday**PRAY FOR OUR DIOCESE:**

- Father, reveal to us your agenda and plan for the next level of the Diocese of West Malaysia.
- Father, release the spirit of prayer upon our Diocese.
- Father, let our Clergy and Leaders follow your leading and anoint their eyes to see beyond the natural.

PRAY FOR OUR CLERGY, DEACONESSES, LAY LEADERS, LAY PASTORS & EVANGELIST:

Lord Jesus, we lift up our Clergy, Deaconesses and Lay Pastors to You. Keep them from losing heart when the ministry gets tough. Help them prove faithful with the things You have entrusted to them. Teach them Your ways so that they know You and find favour with You. Amen.

25th – Wednesday – Annunciation of Our Lord to the Blessed Virgin Mary

PRAYER: We beseech thee, O Lord, pour thy grace into our hearts; that, as we have known the incarnation of thy Son Jesus Christ by the message of an angel, so by his cross and passion we may be brought unto the glory of his resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER WARRIORS:

- Pray that more in our Diocese will come forward to pray and uphold our Diocese and Nation.
- We pray for our church prayer meetings to be uplifted and Your name to be glorified.
- We pray for overflow in the miraculous. Overflow in healing, in testimonies from time vested in prayer.

BIRTHDAYS: Dss. Chan Ooi Fong and Rev. Timothy Charles Boswell Philips

26th – Thursday**PRAY FOR OUR CLERGY, DEACONESSES, LAY LEADERS, LAY PASTORS & EVANGELIST:**

- Pray for our leaders. Pray that every obstacle or objection be removed from their path.
 - Pray that God's anointing will be with them as they preach the sermons.
- Pray for their families. Pray and cover them with the Blood of Jesus.

PRAY FOR OUR DIOCESE:

- Father, release your power, might, strength and ability upon every member of our Diocese.
- Father, let the bond of unity be strengthened amongst the Clergy, Leaders and Members in our Diocese.
- Lord, frustrate the schemes and strategies of the evil one against our Diocese.

27th – Friday – Province of SEA Prayer & Fasting**PROVINCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIA**

- Pray for the Archbishop of the Province of South East Asia – Rt. Rev. Datuk Melter Jiki Tais – Bishop of Sabah.
- Pray for a special anointing to be poured upon our Archbishop as he leads the Province of SEA.
- Pray for all the Dioceses in the province: Diocese of West Malaysia, Diocese of Kuching, Diocese of Sabah, and the Diocese of Singapore.
- Thank God for all the clergy, deacons and deaconesses, lay pastors and evangelists who work hard to spread the Gospel and draw people to Christ.
- Pray for an outpouring of the Spirit on all the churches, may there be a revival in the land.

BIRTHDAY: Rev. Miles Toulmin

28th – Saturday

PRAYER GATHERING: Pray for the Prayer Gathering on the 25th April at Sunway Damansara Anglican Centre, Petaling Jaya from 10am – 1pm.

- Pray that our Churches be more intentional about prayer
- Pray that our Churches make Prayer an integral part of the programs of the church
- Pray for more people to come together to pray for our Diocese and our Country.

PRAY FOR THE SUNDAY SERVICES IN ALL OUR CHURCHES:

- Pray that God will bless and grant great anointing on each and every Clergy in our Diocese.
- Ask God to speak to every heart – the unsaved, the discouraged, the hopeless, the sick etc.
- Give God praise and thank Him for answered prayers.

29th – Sunday – 5th Sunday of Lent

PRAYER: God of compassion, whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary, shared the life of a home in Nazareth, and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself. Strengthen us in our daily living that in joy and in sorrow we may know the power of your presence to bind together and to heal; THROUGH Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE CHURCH: Pray for the Diocese of West Malaysia: Matthew 16:18

- Pray that God will pour afresh His Spirit upon DWM and that we experience God's great power.
- Pray that God will infuse us with a passion for evangelism. That we are inspired to share Jesus to capture a lost world for Him.
- Pray for growth in our numbers to expand God's Kingdom.

30th – Monday

COMMIT THE THIS YEAR TO THE LORD:

- Heavenly Father, We as the Diocese of West Malaysia commit this year - 2020 into Thy Hands. May it be a year we the Leaders and members live and grow in Thy presence, In Jesus name. Amen.
- We as a Diocese declare by faith that 2020 shall be a year of total restoration, total victory and full breakthrough, in Jesus' name. Amen.
- We as a Diocese decree that from the beginning to the end of 2020, we shall be like tree planted by the riverside that bears fruit in its season, whose leaves does not wither. Whatever we do will prosper, in Jesus' name. Amen.

PRAY FOR REVIVAL, RENEWAL, REFRESHING

- Ask God to bring deep conviction of sin, spiritual brokenness, a holy fear of God and repentance among His people.
- Pray for God to bestow spiritual hunger in His people and draw them to fervent prayer.

Pray that God will bring loving unity in our churches and a deep harmony between our churches.

BIRTHDAYS: Rev. Luke Choy Ah Lek and Rev. Steven Raj

31st – Tuesday

THE CHURCH

Prayer to pursue Peace: Romans 14:19

Father God, You desire peace and unity and encouragement for our Diocese and body of believers. Help us, Lord Jesus, to pursue what makes for peace and for building one another up. To pursue the things You will lead to peace and unity. Give us discerning hearts to know Your will and give us the courage to be obedient. Lord Jesus, we know that without You and Your Holy Spirit in dwelling each of us, we cannot do any of these things. But, with You and for Your glory, grant our body peace and unity. Amen.

PRAYER OF SELF DEDICATION:

Almighty and eternal God, so draw our hearts to thee, so guide our minds, so fill our imaginations, so control our wills, that we may be wholly thine, utterly dedicated unto thee; and then use us, we pray thee, as thou wilt, and always to thy glory and the welfare of thy people; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen. (Book of Common Prayer, Protestant Episcopal Church in the USA.)

Dear Friends,

WE ARE CALLED TO PRAY

The battles we are facing as the Church are on a cosmic, universal level.

God is calling for a steadfast spirit in warfare.

This battle can only be won on our knees through prayer.

Kindly inform others of this Prayer Diary.

Together let us Worship and intercede for our

Diocese and our country Malaysia.

The next issue is for the month APRIL 2020.

Kindly email your request to

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by **15th MARCH 2020**

Thank You and God Bless,

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Jesus is Lord