PRAYER DIARY WEEK BEGINNING 18 JUL

As well as all of the great issues surrounding us all due to the Covid 19 Crisis also pray more locally for those around us in our communities – our neighbours, those with whom we share our lives and on whose we work we depend. Perhaps we might focus on an intent a day in addition to all our private and corporate national concerns:

7th After Trinity	For those to be baptised this summer - for Paige & Elliot baptised today at 1 and 2 pm, their families & godparents
Mon 19 Jul	The staff of our Medical Centres. For Audrey Thorley RIP laid to rest today, her loved ones family and friends
Tue 20 Jul	Give thanks for Clive Jones RIP interred today. For our continued vaccine roll out and all volunteers
Wed 21 Jul	For local students, pupils, teachers and staff as our schools break up for Summer
Thu 22 Jul St Mary Magdalene	Remember those suffering from long covid locally, for their effective diagnosis and treatment
Fri 23 Jul	Remember Abi and David to be married in SS P&P's today. For all those travelling at this time.
Sat 24 Jul	For all those for whom the lifting of restrictions is a cause of rightful anxiety and concern

Almighty God hear the prayers of your people for those with whom we share our lives and on whose work we depend. Be with those who mourn, the lonely, anxious or distressed and grant your grace and strength to all whose work is essential or places them at risk. This we ask through Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our needs before we ask and our ignorance in asking; have compassion on our weakness, and give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

A prayer for all those affected by coronavirus Keep us, good Lord,

under the shadow of your mercy. Sustain and support the anxious, be with those who care for the sick, and lift up all who are brought low; that we may find comfort knowing that nothing can separate us from your love in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.