

St. Mark's Prayer Calendar for July 2026

Tell the praise of him who called you out of darkness into light, broke the fetters that enthralled you, gave you freedom, peace and sight: tell the tale of sins forgiven, strength renewed and hope restored, till the earth, in tune with heaven, praise and magnify the Lord.

CP 628.3 (C.A. Arlington 1872-1955)

Wed 1

Into the second half of the year with all the enthusiasm of summer, varmth, and holidays ahead.



Thu 2

Pray for our friends across the 'pond' and the things they are involved with in other countries.

Fri 3

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by your governance, that your Church may joyfully serve you in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Collect

Sat 4

Independence Day which will be celebrated wherever there are Americans, so we are very aware of it.

SUN 5 *5th after Trinity*

May we all in whatever vocation or ministry we find ourselves serve God in holiness and truth.

Mon 6

Pray for all who live in **THE WREKIN** and **WHITBY CLOSE**. Pray also for all at Our Lady Help of Christians.

Tue 7

Pray for the children who are about to start their summer holiday if they haven't already, may they benefit from being in other situations away from home and school.

Wed 8

Give thanks for our church library, kept in good shape by Jacqui Nicol and Sally Turner.

Thu 9

Give thanks for the recent Deanery visit by our bishop, Paul, at Christ Church, Cove, for his vision for the diocese.

Fri 10

Pray for those who have recently lost a dear family member or good friend. May they find solace eventually.

Sat 11

Pray for our service tomorrow. Give thanks for those making the coffee and for those who sometimes provide cakes.

SUN 12 *6th after Trinity*

Lord, you lead us to the living water. Refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey.

Mon 13

Pray for all who live in **CUNNINGTON ANDREWARTHA ROADS**. Pray for the planning permissions that come before the council, may they be wise in these cases.

Tue 14

Give thanks for all who help you get through the week, helping or just being around.

Wed 15

Give thanks for the new addition to our church interior executed by Christina Fane-Gladwin, a handsome and expressive St. Mark.

Thu 16
Pray for those who suffer in the heat we have had who must be longing for cooler days.

Fri 17
Give thanks for the people who man the church on Friday mornings when the church is open and who also clean.

Sat 18
Give thanks for Dianna's ministry among us and for healing of her broken arm.

SUN 19 *7th after Trinity*
Graft in us the love of your name, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same.

Collect

Mon 20
This week we pray for all, who live in **SOUTHAMPTON STREET**. Pray for all at the Methodist Church.

Tue 21
Give thanks for holidays where we may rest and have a change from 'the daily round'.

Wed 22 *Mary Magdalene*
Mary was healed by our Lord and called to be a witness of the resurrection and then sent to tell the apostles. God be praised!

Thu 23
We give thanks for the many saints we have as examples from all walks in life.

Fri 24
We give thanks for the very settled summer weather we enjoyed last month. It is always cool in church.

Sat 25 *James, Apostle*
Give thanks for the calling of James to follow Jesus even unto death.

SUN 26 *8th after Trinity*
Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things: my the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life.
Post Communion Prayer

Mon 27
Remember this week all who live in **OSBORNE** and **PARISH ROADS** Pray for all at the Baptist Church, and for the former baptist minister and wife's visit to our services.

Tue 28
Pray for those in public office, for the scrutiny they are subjected to. May their integrity protect them.

Wed 29
Give thanks for the examples we have in the bible of good roll models to aspire to, but also those not to follow as warnings.

Thu 30
Give thanks for Barbara Albany and Felicity Milne for all they did when they came to church.

Fri 31
Pray for Brenda Reeves in her daily life and her family in all they do.