

**An Anglican – Lutheran Cycle of Prayer
January 8, 2012 to February 26, 2012**

Introduction

The Joint Anglican-Lutheran Commission has designed this cycle for use in Canadian Anglican and Lutheran congregations and communities in Sunday liturgies throughout the year.

For each Sunday there are intentions for specific dioceses/synods/groups in **both** The Anglican Church of Canada and the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada.

One of the characteristics of the Christian community throughout the ages has been our commitment to pray for the whole world but especially for our Christian sisters and brothers in churches closely linked to our own. Anglicans and Lutherans in Canada are accustomed to praying for the Anglican Communion and the Lutheran World Federation, so it is appropriate for us to pray for our immediate Anglican and Lutheran neighbours.

Prayer cycles can be overwhelming and 'crowded' pieces of liturgies. Care needs to be exercised in setting a context – we are intentionally, as churches in 'full communion', holding each other in prayer – some words of explanation may be needed to set this cycle of prayer in context.

In using this Cycle of Prayer congregations may wish to pray regularly by name

- for Bishop Irving, the parishes and clergy in the Diocese of Saskatoon
- for the Diocesan and Synodical Bishops in whose region the congregation is located
- for the Diocesan and Synodical Bishops in the Worldwide Anglican Communion, and
- for the Dean of the Lutheran conference and for the Anglican Archdeacon and/or Regional Dean in whose region the congregation is located.

Cycle of Prayer

<i>8 Jan 2012</i>	DIOCESAN	Bishop David and Joan Irving
	ACC	The Parish of Humboldt and the Rev. Wayne and Janet Sturgess
	ELCIC	The Director and Staff of Partnerships of the Anglican Church of Canada
		The Assistants to the Bishop and the Staff of the Eastern Synod
<i>15 Jan 2012</i>	DIOCESAN	Bishop David and Joan Irving
		Lintlaw/Endeavour Parish and the Rev. Quenton Little and Martha Cowie Little
	ACC	The Executive Director and Staff of the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund
	ELCIC	The Executive Director and Staff of Canadian Lutheran World Relief
<i>22 Jan 2012</i>	DIOCESAN	Bishop David and Joan Irving
		QuillView Parish and the Very Rev. Glen and Jennifer Burgomaster
	ACC	The Archbishop, People and Clergy of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada
	ELCIC	The Dean, Council and Congregations of the Ottawa – St

Lawrence Conference of the Eastern Synod

29 Jan 2012	DIOCESAN	Bishop David and Joan Irving The Parish of Greater Watrous, the Rev. Canon Colin Clay, the Rev. Alex and Shelley Parsons
	ACC	The Provincial Synod of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada
	ELCIC	The Dean, Council and Congregations of the Toronto Conference of the Eastern Synod
5 Feb 2012	DIOCESAN	Bishop David and Joan Irving The Battle River Parish, the Rev. Peter and Debbie Norman
	ACC	The Bishop, People and Clergy of the Diocese of Central Newfoundland
	ELCIC	The Dean, Council and Congregations of the Hamilton – Niagara Conference of the Eastern Synod
12 Feb 2012	DIOCESAN	Bishop David and Joan Irving The Parish of Biggar and the Rev. Mark Kleiner
	ACC	The Bishop, People and Clergy of the Diocese of Eastern Newfoundland and Labrador
	ELCIC	The Dean, Council and Congregations of the Kitchener – Waterloo Conference of the Eastern Synod
19 Feb 2012	DIOCESAN	Bishop David and Joan Irving The Parish of Lloydminster and the Rev. Canon Michael Stonhouse
	ACC	The Bishop, People and Clergy of the Diocese of Fredericton
	ELCIC	The Dean, Council and Congregations of the London Conference of the Eastern Synod
26 Feb 2012	DIOCESAN	Bishop David and Joan Irving Meridian Parish and the Local Lay Ministry Team
	ACC	The Bishop, People and Clergy of the Diocese of Montréal
	ELCIC	The Dean, Council and Congregations of the Georgian Bay Conference of the Eastern Synod