



Prayers for June 2022

Our Prayer this month is for a desire for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit - upon us, our friends and the Church, and in thanksgiving for the Platinum Jubilee of Elizabeth the Queen.

1. ***Novena Day 6.*** 1 Peter 3:4 Rather, your beauty should be that of your inner self, the unfading beauty of a gentle, a quiet spirit, which is of great worth in God's sight. We pray for all who live in Conghurst Lane, Ridsen, Foxhole Lane. In our Deanery, we pray for the parish of Headcorn and The Suttons, and for the Vicar, Revd Fiona Haskett.
2. ***Novena Day 7.*** Come Holy Spirit, may Your anointing Spirit seep into every area of our lives, that we might reveal Your love. Amen. Today, we give thanks for start of the 4 days of celebrations and thanksgiving for the reign of Elizabeth our Queen. We remember in prayer today those who live in Cowden Lane and Horns Road.
3. ***Novena Day 8.*** *When people turn away, God welcomes. When we are tempted to judge, God calls us to love. Amen. We give thanks for the dedicated witness of your servant, Elizabeth our Queen in times of joy and in seasons of affliction.* We pray for the people living in Delmonden Lane, and North Hill Road, and remember the parishes of Etchingham and Hurst Green.
4. ***Novena Day 9.*** *Come Holy Spirit, blow upon us and cause us to be moved by the strength of Your presence. Amen. We thank you, God, for the work of your Spirit in the dedicated service offered by Elizabeth our Queen.* We pray for the ministry in and from the St Laurence Parish Office. We pray for all living in Red Oak and Hensil Lane.
5. ***PENTECOST SUNDAY.*** *Creator God, may we be guided by the Holy Spirit in all we do. Help us to live out our faith, seeing diversity as a gift, not a barrier. Amen. Today in our Church Service, we give you thanks, Loving Lord that you have given Elizabeth our Queen a heart to serve people, and have kept her devoted in this service beyond all who were before her: encourage us by her example to serve one another. Amen.* Bless all the doctors, nurses and staff who work at Benenden Hospital and the Hawkhurst Cottage Hospital. We pray for families who live on The Moor and in The Chestnuts.
6. *Please Lord, fill us afresh with your Holy Spirit, so we can bear fruit for you. Amen.* We pray for all shops and businesses in the High Street, and in our village. We pray for all living on Horns Corner and Horns Hill.
7. *Please Lord, fill us afresh with your Holy Spirit, so that we can be empowered to use your precious gifts to serve the world you love. Amen.* We pray for all living on Moor Hill, Talbot Road and The Hawthorns; Stream Lane and Hastings Road. Bless and guide the Queen and all members of the Royal family

8. *A spiritual gift is given to each of us so we can help each other. 1 Corinthians 12:4-5,7.* We remember in our prayers all living in All Saints Road, Smugglers, Smugglers Mews and Dickens Way.
9. *Lord, give us the gift of discernment to see the world through your eyes. Amen.* We pray for the parishioners of Trinity Church, Sissinghurst and with St Mary's Frittenden and the Vicar, Revd. Pete Deaves.
10. *Holy Spirit, give us the gift of helping, that we may show love and kindness to everyone we meet. Amen.* We pray for the families living in Barretts Road and Hartenoak Road.
11. *Thank you Lord, for the gifts of the Spirit; give us the grace to appreciate each other's gifts and work together to use them in Your service. Amen.* We pray for all who live in Tongswood Drive and Whites Lane and for the parish of Goudhurst and Kilndown, and the Vicar Revd. Rachel Robertson.
12. *Father God, inspire and empower us through the power of the Holy Spirit to be bold in our prayers for your world. Amen.* We pray for all who live in Cranbrook Road and Sandrock Cottages. We pray for the parish of St Dunstons, Cranbrook in an interregnum.
13. *Thank you for the gifts you have given each one of us. Give us a fresh confidence to step out in faith, trusting in Your loving guidance, dear God. Amen.* Bless and guide those living in Fairview and Northgrove Road. We pray for all who worship in the Parish of Marden and the Vicar, Revd. Nicola Harvey.
14. *May his Spirit of love cause us to walk in his statures, so that we can keep his judgments, and do them. Ezekiel 37:27* We pray for those living in Gills Green and Wellington Cottages, Tubs Lake and those living in Bedgebury. We pray for all members of the Methodist Fellowship in Hawkhurst.
15. *Help us Lord to value human beings, to be patient and kind and to treat other people as ourselves. Amen.* We pray for all who worship and serve in the Roman Catholic Church of St Barnabas and for Father Patrice. Bless those living in Gingerbread Lane and The High Street.
16. *As we give thanks for the Fruit of Your Spirit, we ask for your help not to envy, not be boastful; not to act improperly or selfishly, not to keep a record of wrongs. Amen.* We pray for those living in Gunther Court, Hartnokes and Basden Cottages, and also for the parishes of Ticehurst and Flimwell and the Vicar Rev Ashley Evans.
17. *We give thanks for the gifts of joy, peace, patience and hope. Amen.* We pray for those who live in Copthall Avenue, Fieldways and Church Walk. We pray for all who worship in the Baptist Church in our village, and for the Minister Revd. Ben Gotts and his family.
18. *Let the peace of God, which surpasses every thought, guard our hearts and our minds in Christ Jesus. Let that peace fix our mind's attention on the right things. Phillipians 4:7* We pray for all who live in Mercers, Lorenden Park and Highgate Hill, and Herschel Place.
19. **Father's Day.** *For all who are fathers, and father figures, we ask for wisdom and humility in the face of the task of parenting. Give them the strength to do well by their*

children and by You. Amen. We pray for all the schools in our village, for the Headteachers, Staff and pupils and in particular for the Hawkhurst Church of England Primary School. We pray for all those living in Murton-Neale Close and Camerons. We also pray for all living in Oakfield and Theobalds.

20. *Nurturing God, thank you for those who have nurtured us. May we, in turn, be channels of love to your broken world. Amen.* We pray for all living on Slip-mill Lane, Slipmill Road and Sobers Lane. Pray for the parishes of Ewhurst and Bodiam and the Rector Canon Christopher Irvine.
21. *Jesus said: 'The Kingdom is within you.'* Thank you Lord, for the closeness of your kingdom. Amen. We pray for all living in the area of Queens Road, Park Cottages and Dunlop Court.
22. *Loving Lord, may our lives and actions speak of your kingdom to all those we meet. Amen.* We pray for those who live in Copthall Avenue, Fieldways and Church Walk.
23. *Loving Lord, may we lead those we meet to you, so that they may change as they experience your values, and become part of your kingdom themselves. Amen.* We pray for all living in Queens Close and Hammonds.
24. *We pray to you, Lord, to strengthen and use us to build your kingdom on earth. Amen.* We bring to you in our prayers today, all living in Western Road and School Terrace, Rye Road and Highfield Close. We pray for the parish of Staplehurst, and the Vicar Revd Silke Tezlaff.
25. *Father God, join our hearts together as one, that our unity may reflect kingdom values and the perfect love of our Saviour and Lord. Amen.* We pray for all living in Oaklands Road and Tates. We pray for all living in Winchester Road, Woodbury Road and Vale Road.
26. *We pray this Sabbath day for the worship in our churches throughout the world. May heaven resound with our praise and worship. Amen.* We keep in prayer those living in, Ockley Road, Barretts Green and Norris Close.
27. *We pray for all church leaders, that they would remember they serve you, Father God, and are called to be our shepherds. Amen.* We pray for all living in Attwater Lane and Potters Lane. We pray for Revd. David Commander, Rector of the Benefice of Benenden and Sandhurst, and Revd. Ylva Blid-Mackenzie, the Assistant Priest and all the parishioners.
28. *We pray for every church member, that they would reflect how Jesus lived. Oh that we could be like him! Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer. Amen.* We pray today for all living in Herschel Place, Woodham Close, Birchfield Grove and all new homes in our village. We keep in prayer the residents of Water Lane and Gun Green.
29. We pray for Justin Welby, our Archbishop, Right Reverend Rose Hudson-Wilkin, the Bishop of Dover and Stephen, Archdeacon and acting Diocesan Secretary, Andrew, Archdeacon of Maidstone. We pray for the work and ministry of the Anglican Consultative Council.

30. We pray for our Vicar and Area Dean of the Weald Deanery, Fr Rodney Dreyer and his family. We also pray for our Churchwardens, and all the members of our PCC. We remember all the members of our fellowship who live outside the parish.

***Let us continue to prayer "Thy Kingdom Come" until it does.
Come Holy Spirit: gift us with yourself***