

Daily Prayer Diary

November 2021 – February 2022

SOMA works across the Anglican Communion for the transformation of individuals and churches and the healing of communities and their lands through the renewing power of the Holy Spirit through intercession and short-term mission teams.

To find out how you may be more deeply involved in intercession, please contact Kate Brankin at intercession@somauk.org or visit our website www.somauk.org.

+44 (0)7311 825415

info@somauk.org

SOMA UK National Director: Revd Richard Moy UK
UK Charity 279759

Receive a live prayer nugget every day via Twitter and Facebook.

 SOMAUK  SOMAUK  @SOMAUK1



November

- Mon 1** For National Director, Richard Moy, for the Spirit's wisdom and discernment in his role as vision bearer for SOMA UK.
- Tue 2** For the SOMA UK Trustees as they meet together; that they walk in step with the Spirit as they advise and make decisions.
- Wed 3** For SOMA Assistant Abraham Mendes da Costa, with thanksgiving for his gifts and experience.
- Thu 4** For SOMA Assistant Monique Reichberger, for wisdom as she interacts with SOMA Team members, Intercessors and supporters old and new.
- Fri 5** For opportunities to increase awareness of SOMA's mission and vision throughout UK churches.
- Sat 6** For Bishop Kosea and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Soroti, Uganda to take place.
- Sun 7** For SOMA International as new National Directors settle into their roles in South Africa, the UK and US.
- Mon 8** For National Director, Richard Moy travelling to Juba, South Sudan; for good conversations as he meets with Bishops and other church leaders over the coming days.
- Tue 9** For Episcopal Church of South Sudan Bishops as they participate in the Lambeth Conference Bishops' Conversations ahead of their Synod meeting.
- Wed 10** For SOMA UK Trustee Matt Beer, with thanksgiving for his involvement as a SOMA team leader.
- Thu 11** For the Episcopal Church of South Sudan's Synod as they begin their three day meeting today.

2

- Tue 23** Thanksgiving for SOMA Trustee Jenny Brown; for the clarity of thinking that she brings to the Trustees, and for her work with Christian Aid.
- Wed 24** For Team members eager to travel on mission; for comfort as they wait for the time when it is safe enough both to travel and to be received.
- Thu 25** For Bishop Vithalis and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Biharamulo, Tanzania to take place.
- Fri 26** For SOMA UK Trustee David Rowe, thanksgiving for his long association with, and continued contribution to, SOMA, and for his family.
- Sat 27** For Bishop Darlington and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Kagera, Tanzania to take place.
- Sun 28** Thanksgiving for Team member's families who release them for mission, despite their misgivings!
- Mon 29** For Finance Administrator, Steve Fincher, with thanksgiving for his dedication to the smooth running of the SOMA finances.
- Tue 30** For those going through a time of transition, that they clearly know the Lord's presence in the midst of change.

DECEMBER

- Wed 1** For SOMA Australia Director, Liz Rankin, her parish ministry, and for her family.
- Thu 2** For Team Leader Matt Beer, Pastor David and others discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Maasailand independent churches, Kenya to take place.
- Fri 3** For SOMA Trustee Treasurer Barry Hampson, with thanksgiving for his skill and knowledge, and for his family.

4

- Fri 12** For the Lambeth 2022 conference preparations and the online activities taking place in the run up to it.
- Sat 13** For Bishop Pontien and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Rutana, Burundi to take place.
- Sun 14** For good communication with Bishops and Diocesan staff as we gather information to share for prayer during this time of separation.
- Mon 15** For Archbishop Justin Badi Arama and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to the Province of South Sudan to take place.
- Tue 16** For Primates, Archbishops and Bishops as they lead the churches in their Provinces and Dioceses during the global Covid-19 pandemic; for wisdom and discernment in the messages they preach.
- Wed 17** Thanksgiving for the prophetic Call to SOMA to "care for the nervous system of the body of Christ".
- Thu 18** For distribution of the Covid-19 vaccine amongst the most vulnerable in the places less visited to which SOMA is called.
- Fri 19** For SOMA Trustee Merisa MacInnes and for her family.
- Sat 20** For Jolyon Trickey and his work with our sister organisation, ReSource, for the right contacts to work with as he builds a team to come alongside UK clergy.
- Sun 21** For Archbishop Moses and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Northern Bahr el Ghazal Internal Province, South Sudan to take place.
- Mon 22** For opportunities to encourage more churches to commit to being Parish Mission Partners; enabling more to be involved and encouraged in mission, intercession and giving.

3

- Sat 4** For clarity for National Director Richard Moy and others as they decide when teams may be able to travel as borders reopen.
- Sun 5** For SOMA UK Patron, Bishop David Williams, thanksgiving for his commitment to the people and places to which SOMA is called, and to advocating for SOMA.
- Mon 6** For SOMA Assistant Abraham Mendes da Costa, for wisdom in his communications with SOMA Team members, Intercessors and supporters old and new.
- Tue 7** For SOMA South Africa National Director, Eben Grobbelaar and for his family.
- Wed 8** For Archbishop Masimango and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Goma, DR Congo to take place.
- Thu 9** For Chair of the SOMA International Board, Most Revd Dr Justin Badi Arama, as he speaks for SOMA and in his leadership role in the Episcopal Church of South Sudan.
- Fri 10** For Team Leader Patrick Whitworth, Archbishop Ezekiel and others discerning the right time for the postponed mission to the Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan to take place.
- Sat 11** For the SOMA office; for the smooth running of equipment enabling our communications with Team members, Intercessors and inviting Bishops.
- Sun 12** For Bishop Sospeter and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Kibondo, Tanzania to take place.
- Mon 13** For National Director, Richard Moy, as he connects with Bishops, SOMA Team members, Intercessors and supporters.
- Tue 14** For Bishop Paisible and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Musinga, Burundi to take place.

5

- Wed 15** For Team members currently unable to travel, that this may be a time of learning lessons that will be invaluable in future missions.
- Thu 16** For Archbishop Masimango and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Kindu, DR Congo to take place.
- Fri 17** For SOMA Assistant Monique Reichberger, with thanksgiving for her gifts and experience.
- Sat 18** For SOMA Intercession Co-ordinator Kate Brankin's work, alongside Archbishop Justin Badi Arama, in the Episcopal Church of South Sudan; thanksgiving for this communication link with ECSS.
- Sun 19** Thanksgiving for those individuals and churches who support SOMA UK financially – enabling us to bless the "places less visited"
- Mon 20** Thanksgiving for the clear, continuing, prophetic Call to SOMA to "care for the nervous system of the body of Christ".
- Tue 21** For Keith Chua, Treasurer of SOMA International.
- Wed 22** For all involved in the planning of the SOMA International Board meeting; for discernment of the right time and place to hold it as travel restrictions ease.
- Thu 23** For SOMA Trustee Lesley Cooper; with thanksgiving for her commitment to SOMA intercession, and for her family.
- Fri 24** For Christians around the world unable to meet in person due to Covid-19 restrictions and health issues; that they continue to feel part of the Church family.
- Sat 25** **Christmas Day**, thanksgiving for the Incarnation – the ultimate pattern for cross-cultural mission.

6

- Sun 26** For National Director, Richard Moy, his wife Nicola and their children.
- Mon 27** For continued financial provision to enable SOMA to minister in the “places less visited”, particularly during this time of restricted travel.
- Tue 28** For Team Leader Kate Brankin, Archbishop Samuel, Bishop Moses and others discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Western Equatoria Internal Province, South Sudan to take place.
- Wed 29** For Parish Mission Partner All Saints, Merriott; Rectors Julia and Bob.
- Thu 30** For Christopher Landau, Director of SOMA's sister organisation ReSource.
- Fri 31** For Bishop Bertin and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Manono, DR Congo to take place.

JANUARY

- Sat 1** For National Director, Richard Moy, for wisdom in his role as leader and vision bearer.
- Sun 2** For safety and protection for those in places where Covid precautions are scarce and life necessitates daily visits to busy markets.
- Mon 3** For Parish Mission Partner St Jude's Plymouth, with thanksgiving for their commitment to sending Team members, prayer and intercession, and finance for SOMA.
- Tue 4** For all involved in the writing, proofing and printing of the next edition of our *SHARING* newsletter and *Daily Prayer Diary*.
- Wed 5** For SOMA Trustee Treasurer Barry Hampson and for his family.

7

- Thu 6** Thanksgiving for SOMA Intercessors, their commitment to listening and sharing what the Spirit might be saying to those we have and plan to visit.
- Fri 7** For Bishop Bertin and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Manono, DR Congo to take place.
- Sat 8** For those eagerly waiting for a SOMA mission in their diocese; for patience as worldwide travel restrictions ease.
- Sun 9** For Verité, SOMA's publisher and printer, their designers Pete and Karen, staff, and director Chris Powell.
- Mon 10** For SOMA US Director, Kyle Bradley, and for his family.
- Tue 11** For SOMA Assistants Abraham Mendes da Costa and Monique Reichberger, for clear communication as they work together.
- Wed 12** For Chair of the SOMA International Board, Most Revd Dr Justin Badi Arama, as he speaks for SOMA and in his leadership role in the Episcopal Church of South Sudan.
- Thu 13** For church leaders that SOMA have ministered amongst in the past, that they continue to put into practice those things the Lord taught them.
- Fri 14** Thanksgiving for the many registered Team members, their faith and commitment to travelling to the “places less visited” as the Lord calls them.
- Sat 15** For SOMA Parish Mission Partners St Mary's, Marlborough and St George's, Preshute.
- Sun 16** For Bishop Paisible and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Musinga, Burundi to take place.
- Mon 17** Thanksgiving for SOMA Administrator Anita Long, for her gifts and experience.

8

- Tue 18** For SOMA UK Trustee Matt Beer, with thanksgiving for his commitment to encourage younger people to become involved in cross-cultural mission with SOMA.
- Wed 19** For Bishop Pontien and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Rutana, Burundi to take place.
- Thu 20** For opportunities to share the work of SOMA with churches and individuals, enabling more to get involved as Team members and Intercessors.
- Fri 21** For SOMA Intercession Co-ordinator Sue, with thanksgiving for her discernment as she shares messages between team and Intercessors.
- Sat 22** For continued discernment of the right places for SOMA missions as travel restrictions allow movement of teams and delegates.
- Sun 23** For Archbishop Masimango and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Kindu, DR Congo to take place.
- Mon 24** Thanksgiving and blessing for those who give financially to enable SOMA to minister in the places less visited and to assist our invaluable overseas Team members.
- Tue 25** For SOMA's regional representative in Singapore, Joel Leow.
- Wed 26** For SOMA Trustee Jenny Brown and for her work with Christian Aid.
- Thu 27** For the many women who rise early and sleep late to ensure food is provided and prepared for family and church gatherings; for their protection as they continue to visit crowded markets during the Covid-19 pandemic.

9

- Fri 28** For Bishop Darlington and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Kagera, Tanzania to take place.
- Sat 29** For Chair of the SOMA UK Trustees Patrick Whitworth, for his ministry, writing, and for his family.
- Sun 30** For those involved in the preparations for the Lambeth 2022 conference.
- Mon 31** For Team Leader Matt Beer, Pastor David and others discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Maasailand independent churches, Kenya to take place.

FEBRUARY

- Tue 1** For SOMA UK Trustee David Rowe, thanksgiving for his long association with, and continued contribution to, SOMA, and for his family.
- Wed 2** For Bishop Vithalis and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Biharamulo, Tanzania to take place.
- Thu 3** For Archbishop Justin Badi Arama and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to the Province of South Sudan to take place.
- Fri 4** For SOMA International Advisers, with thanksgiving for their encouragement and insight.
- Sat 5** For Kate Brankin co-ordinating regular communications to SOMA Intercessors and updating the Daily Prayer Diary for our website, Twitter, PrayerMate and Facebook.
- Sun 6** For intercession co-ordinators worldwide: Rose-Marie Tasker-Edwards, Geoffrey, Debbie, Pam.
- Mon 7** For SOMA Trustee Merisa MacInnes and for her family.

10

- Tue 8** For Archbishop Masimango and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Goma, DR Congo to take place.
- Wed 9** For all involved in planning the Lambeth 2022 conference and SOMA's participation in intercessory prayer before, during and after it.
- Thu 10** For those working as ReSource Ministers with our sister organisation ReSource amongst “little, local and ordinary” churches in the UK.
- Fri 11** Thanksgiving for the lasting friendships made between delegates and Team members at SOMA missions.
- Sat 12** For opportunities to encourage more churches to commit to being Parish Mission Partners; enabling more to be involved and encouraged in mission, intercession and giving.
- Sun 13** For Parish Mission Partner St Stephen's, Twickenham; with thanksgiving for their commitment to supporting SOMA financially, in prayer, and by sending team members.
- Mon 14** For SOMA Administrators Abraham Mendes da Costa and Monique Reichberger in their communications with bishops and SOMA Team members, Intercessors and supporters.
- Tue 15** For The Most Rev Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury and leader of the worldwide Anglican Communion; for continued wisdom in his leadership. Thanksgiving for his support of SOMA.
- Wed 16** Thanksgiving for the many life-changing moments that have taken place during SOMA missions.
- Thu 17** For SOMA Trustee Lesley Cooper; with thanksgiving for her involvement in, and contribution to, SOMA missions.

11

- Fri 18** For SOMA's sister organisation ReSource as they face the challenges of ministry in the UK.
- Sat 19** For Intercession Coordinator Kate Brankin, for discernment in her communications with Intercessors and Team members.
- Sun 20** For Team Leader Patrick Whitworth, Archbishop Ezekiel and others discerning the right time for the postponed mission to the Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan to take place.
- Mon 21** For SOMA Ireland Director, Henry Blair, and for his family.
- Tue 22** Thanksgiving for those individuals and churches who support SOMA UK financially; enabling us to bless the “places less visited”.
- Wed 23** Christ Church W4 in London, the home church of our National Director, Richard Moy, his family and his assistants Abraham and Monique.
- Thu 24** For Bishop Sospester and those discerning the right time for the postponed mission to Diocese of Kibondo, Tanzania to take place.
- Fri 25** For SOMA New Zealand's National Director, Andrew Allen-Johns, and for his family.
- Sat 26** For Chair of the SOMA UK Trustees Patrick Whitworth, with thanksgiving for his involvement as a SOMA team leader.
- Sun 27** Thanksgiving for the clear, continuing, prophetic Call to SOMA to “care for the nervous system of the body of Christ”.
- Mon 28** For Parish Mission Partner All Saints Weston, Bath, for more opportunities for the congregation to “catch the SOMA vision” and for more to be involved in missions as Team members and Intercessors.

12