

**INTERCESSIONS FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING**  
**SUNDAY 16<sup>th</sup> JULY 2017**  
**5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**  
**PROPER 10**

Pray for the leadership for the Anglican Communion, for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury and for the Church in Ontario (Ontario, Canada): George Bruce; Coadjutor Bishop: Michael Oulton, his priests and people.

In our own Diocese we pray for Alan, Bishop of St Albans and for his Suffragan Bishops Michael and Richard.

Pray for St Albans Cursillo as it continues to encourage and enliven people in their Christian life. Pray for the Parish of Bramfield (Hertford and Ware) and the community they serve.

Pray for the congregations of St Peter's, St Stephen's, St Mark's and St John the Baptist churches and for Fr Chris, Fr Tristan, Fr Eugene and Rev Nick Wheeler and all lay people leading worship in the team churches.

Pray for the peace of the world that in all places of strife and oppression a way forward in peace will be found.

Remembering the thousands of refugees and displaced persons give thanks for all the organisations which bring aid to these people and all who work tirelessly for peace.

Remember all victims of violence, especially those who are suffering on account of their Christian witness.

Remember all places in the world suffering from the effects of wild fires – Portugal and British Columbia.

Within our own community, pray for our fellow Christians, giving thanks for our unity as we journey on together; for the work of Churches Together for Chipping Barnet, for Hope Corner, Barnet Churches Action and the staff at the centre that they will continue to be a beacon of light in Barnet.

Pray for schools, colleges and universities preparing for the summer holidays.

Pray that all in our community who are suffering in mind, body or spirit, at this time, will His healing power. Prayers are asked for the following in our community – Casey Rooney, Maureen Daly, Trevor and Megan Bainbridge, and Gladys Graves.

In the sure and certain hope of the Resurrection to eternal life, commend to God's merciful compassion all who have recently died. Pray for all families bereaved at this time; all whose anniversaries fall at this time. May they all rest in peace and rise in glory.