



Ordinations 2026 Prayer Card



Please pray for all those to be ordained, and especially those to be ordained in the Diocese of Leicester this Michaelmas.

*God our Father, Lord of all the world,
through your Son you have called us
into the fellowship of your universal Church:
hear our prayer for all your faithful people
that in their vocation and ministry
each may be an instrument of your love,
and give to your servants soon to be ordained
the needful gifts of grace;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.*

Pray also for their families, friends and all those who will support them.

Pray for the communities where they will serve their curacy, for their training incumbents and context supervisors.

Pray too for Angela Sheard, who will be leading the ordination retreat, Bishop Martyn, who will be ordaining on Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning, and Bishop Luke Irving-Capel, the Bishop of Richborough, who will be ordaining on Saturday evening, and for Bishop Saju as he preaches at all three services.

Pray too for more vocations to all kinds of ministry as we are Shaped By God Together.

What is God's plan for you?

<https://www.churchofengland.org/life-events/vocations>

**To be ordained Priest
on Saturday 3rd October 2026**

Michael (Mike) Chaldecott	<i>Bottesford, Muston, Redmile, Barkestone and Plungar</i>
Ralph Chamberlain	<i>Newbold De Verdun, Barlestone, Kirkby Mallory and Peckleton</i>
Joshua (Josh) Crick de Boom	<i>The Martyrs</i>
Michal Kmet	<i>Scraptoft and Saint Chad</i>
Sneha Ninan	<i>Rothley</i>

**To be ordained Deacon
on Sunday 4th October 2026**

John Andrews	<i>St Anne's, St Paul's & St Augustine's, Leicester</i>
Paul Armstrong	<i>Lutterworth with Cotesbach & Bitteswell</i>
Henry Booth	<i>Benefice of Leicester Forest East and Braunstone Town with Thorpe Astley</i>
Jacob Godsell	<i>Emmanuel Loughborough</i>
Chris Judson	<i>Bottesford, Muston, Redmile, Barkestone and Plungar</i>
Cameron Lewis	<i>Benefice of Groby and Ratby</i>