

Prayer Diary 2026	
1	<b>The Naming and Circumcision of Jesus</b> Goodes Court
2	The parish churches of Therfield and Kelshall, Therfield Chapel
3	Roman Way First School Melbourn Baptist Church
<p><b>Hear the word of the Lord, you nations; proclaim it in distant coastlands:</b>  <b>'He who scattered Israel will gather them and will watch over his flock like a shepherd.'</b>  <i>Jeremiah 31, 10</i></p>	
4	Taize Service
5	<b>Twelfth Night</b> Kennedy Court Market Hill Surgery; Royston Health Centre
6	<b>THE EPIPHANY</b> Ministry Leadership Team – Steven, John, Jamie, Emma, Reg, Jim, Andy and Rob
7	Evangelical Church
8	St Mary's Primary School
9	<b>Birthday of Catherine, Princess of Wales (1982)</b> Royston Hospital
10	Melwood Grange
<p><b>"Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen one in whom I delight; I will put my Spirit on him, and he will bring justice to the nations."</b> <i>Isaiah 42, 1</i></p>	
11	<b>The Baptism of Christ (by John the Baptist in the River Jordan)</b> <b>Plough Sunday : beginning of the agricultural year</b>
12	St Thomas' Catholic Church Addenbrookes and Lister Hospital
13	<b>St. Kentigern (Mungo), missionary to Scotland &amp; Cumbria, 603</b> Icknield Walk First School
14	Parishes Churches of Bassingbourn and Whaddon
15	Mary Barfield House

16	Parishes of Barley, Barkway and Reed
17	Choir, Junior Choristers
<p><b>The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world! John 1, 29</b></p>	
18	<b>Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins</b> King James Academy
19	Methodist Churches in Royston and villages
20	Collingwood Court
21	Church Wardens and all those who are welcoming at services
22	Foodbank
23	URC churches - Bassingbourn, Buntingford, Great Chishill and Melbourn Ashwell
24	Tannery Drift First School,
<p><b>For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. 1 Corinthians 1, 18</b></p>	
25	<b>The Conversion of St. Paul</b> Churches Together Lunch and Service at Methodist Church
26	<b>Titus &amp; Timothy, Companions of Paul</b> St George's Care Home
27	<b>Holocaust Memorial Day</b> Trinity Life Church
28	Emergency services – police, ambulance and fire
29	Studlands Rise First School
30	Local Councils – Town and District
31	Roysia Surgery

### Mission Focus – Serving In Mission (SIM)

*Serving In Mission is an international mission organisation with more than 3,000 cross-cultural mission workers, connecting people and churches in 70+ countries. It not only sends people from the UK to share the gospel as part of multi-ethnic teams in a wide range of strategic ministries, but also has mission workers from other nations serving cross-culturally in the UK.*

[sim.co.uk](http://sim.co.uk)

### Prayer for the community

Living God,  
Draw us deeper into your love;  
Jesus our Lord,  
Send us to care and serve;  
Holy Spirit,  
Make us heralds of good news.  
Stir us, strengthen us, teach and inspire us to live your love  
with generosity and joy,  
imagination and courage;  
for the sake of your world and in the name of Jesus. Amen.

## Church Prayer Diary January 2026



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 18<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> January