

Prayers

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By Julia

Dear Lord

We thank you for the gift of nature in our wonderful world. We are grateful to Sir David Attenborough showing casing and educating ourselves on the wonders of our world for many years. Let mankind use this education to preserve nature and wild life in its natural habitat for generations to come, whether at home where greedy developers wish to tread or in the wider world.

Ashdon is truly part of your wonderful world with trees abundant and peaceful byways. Let secret gardens remain undiscovered and shared with the few!

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our Prayer**

We pray for Dominic Burchall & Charlotte Horrigan, Jack Vestey & Isabella Pardoe being married here next Saturday, May they have happy and joyful lives together and that they will be guided with your help and love.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our Prayer**

Bless the Diocese of Saffron Walden and the Team Ministry who are all having to undertaking extra work whilst Jeremy is on his sabbatical. Guide Romey in her work, here at All Saints and Hadstock. Also Bren at ABC and Vicky taking services there.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our Prayer**

Democracy has been challenged in our local elections this week and many hard working ordinary people have given time to ensure that this process has been carried out lawfully and cheerful. We have to remember that we are lucky to be able to demonstrate our democratic freedom without malice and risk.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our Prayer**

We pray for those that are unwell, whether this be physical or mental frailty. We also remember those recently bereaved and friends who anniversary falls at this time, John Double (nine years ago today) and John Bartram our neighbour and friend in May 2020.

**Merciful Father, accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.
Amen**