

JANUARY

For the ministries and leadership of the **Massachusetts Council of Churches**, including :

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FEBRUARY

African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church

Boston District
Rev. Jacqueline King, Presiding Elder

United Church of Christ

Southern New England Conference
Rev. Donald Remick, Transitional Interim Conference Minister

Indian Orthodox Church

Northeast American Diocese
His Grace Metropolitan Zachariah Mar Nicholovos



MARCH

Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

Northeast Region
The Rev. Thaddaeus Burwell Allen, Acting Transitional Regional Minister

Unitarian Universalist Association

New England Region
Mr. Woullard Lett, Regional Lead

The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Boston

His Eminence Sean Cardinal O'Malley, Archbishop of Boston

APRIL

The Salvation Army

Massachusetts Divisional Headquarters
Major David B. Davis, Divisional Commander

African Methodist Episcopal Church

New England Conference
Presiding Prelate Rev. Gregory G.M. Ingram
Presiding Elder Rev. Jocelyn Hart Lovelace

Assemblies of God

Southern New England Ministry Network
Superintendent Nick Fatato



MAY

Church of God in Christ

MA First Jurisdiction
Bishop Dr. Samuel B. Hogan, Sr., Jurisdictional Prelate

Armenian Church of America, Eastern Diocese

The Very Rev. Fr. Daniel Findikyan, Primate
Archbishop Vicken Aykazian,
Diocesan Legate and Ecumenical Director

The Evangelical Covenant Church

East Coast Conference
The Rev. Howard Burgoyne, Superintendent



JUNE

American Baptist Churches of Massachusetts

The Rev. Mary Day Miller, Executive Minister

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Springfield

The Most Rev. Mitchell T. Rozanski, Bishop

Independent churches in the state of Massachusetts and their leadership

JULY

Christian Methodist Episcopal Church

Seventh Episcopal District
Bishop James B. Walker, Presiding Prelate
New York-New England District
Presiding Elder Frederick Belcher

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Worcester

The Most Rev. Robert J. McManus, Bishop

The Coptic Orthodox Church

Diocese of New York and the Northeast
His Grace, Bishop David



AUGUST

The Church of the New Jerusalem

(**Swedenborgian**),
Massachusetts Association

The Religious Society of Friends

New England Yearly Meeting
Bruce Neumann, Presiding Clerk
Noah Baker Merrill, Secretary



SEPTEMBER

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Fall River

The Most Rev. Edgar M. daCunha, Bishop

The Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

Synod of the Northeast
Rev. Dr. Harold Delhagen, Synod Leader

The United Baptist Convention

New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and
Massachusetts
Rev. Samuel Campbell

OCTOBER

The Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts

The Rt. Rev. Alan Gates, Bishop Diocesan
The Rt. Rev. Gayle Harris, Bishop Suffragan

Melkite Diocese of Newton

Bishop Nicholas J. Samra, Eparchial Bishop



NOVEMBER

Episcopal Diocese of Western Massachusetts

The Rt. Rev. Douglas John Fisher, Bishop

Greek Orthodox Metropolis of Boston

His Eminence Metropolitan
Methodios of Boston, Presiding Hierarch

The Mar Thoma Church

Diocese of North America and Europe
Rt. Rev. Dr. Isaac Mar Philoxenos
Diocesan Bishop



DECEMBER

United Methodist Church

New England Conference
Bishop Sudarshana Devadhar

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

New England Synod
Bishop James Eric Hazelwood

This monthly prayer calendar includes by name churches that are members of the Massachusetts Council of Churches, and churches that have an established relationship with others through the Council. Your prayers for reconciliation are invited for all Christian congregations in and beyond the Commonwealth. For an online copy of the 2020 prayer calendar, visit the council's website at www.masscouncilofchurches.org, under the "Resources" tab.

A PRAYER FOR UNITY

*Lord Jesus,
you continue to pray that your disciples may be one
in a unity of Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
We your people long to be one in you.
May your prayer for unity open the hearts
and minds of all Christians.*

*Guide us, Lord, in your way,
that we may be one in the Apostles' teaching,
fellowship, breaking of bread and prayer,
to the glory of your name.*

We remember especially this day

----- Name of Church & Leader -----

Bless them and their congregations.

*We give thanks for the spiritual gifts
that these sisters and brothers in Christ
share with all your people.*

*Remind us that these ministries
are for your whole church in your whole world.*

*May the God of peace give us peace
at all times in all ways.*

*This we pray in the name of the One who calls us to
be one, Your Son our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.*

ECUMENICAL PRAYER CALENDAR 2020

*Christian individuals and
congregations
within and beyond the
Commonwealth
are invited to pray regularly
for each other,
for Christian unity,
and for human community.*



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