

Archbishop
Josiah: “What is
‘Thy Kingdom
Come’ ?
Give me a one
sentence
definition”





**A Global wave of prayer in
which we encourage
Christians to pray that
friends, families, communities
and countries should come to
know Jesus Christ**

Archbishop
Josiah: “No one
has put it like
that to me
before. I can
get on board
with that”





THY KINGDOM COME

21st May – 31st May 2020



Churches, families and individuals across the world, from South Sudan to South Korea, Australia to Austria, participated in Thy Kingdom Come.



**Maori:
relevant
for
Mission in
Aotearo,
New
Zealand**



South Australia

**“This is the
most exciting
communication
I’ve ever had
from the
Anglican
Church”**



500

‘Prayer-warriors’ will receive daily local messages for prayer during TKC

Sri Lanka



Bishop
Francisco

‘I am writing to
all my clergy
encouraging
them to get
involved in Thy
Kingdom Come’

Brazil





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yesterday he came home.”

THE RESOURCES

Via the web site -Thy Kingdom Come

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Revolutionary Prayer

Thy Kingdom Come

Acts 1:14

Relevant Planning



The kingdom of God is at hand

Luke 10:9



**WHAT'S
THE STORY
SO FAR?**



Scope of Thy Kingdom Come so far

- A **movement** of prayer – led by the Holy Spirit.
- In 2016 100,000 Christians pledged to pray.
- By 2017 more than half a million had pledged to pray from more than 85 countries. Every Diocese in the Church of England was involved.
- 2018 :114 countries were involved
- By 2018 more than 65 denominations and traditions were involved.
- 2018 saw us delighted to be in formal partnership with the Methodist church



2019

- God's blessings are so exciting
- More than 2 million Christians in 172 countries took part
- TKC endorsed by the Pope and commended by Her Majesty the Queen
- The app was downloaded thousands of times in 100 countries, more than double 2018

Key issues

- Embedding the desire to pray in the ordinary life of the church
- Helping everyone to access a way of praying that suits them
- Praying as you can , where you can and how you can
- Praying with expectation that God will act
- Making this a missional priority

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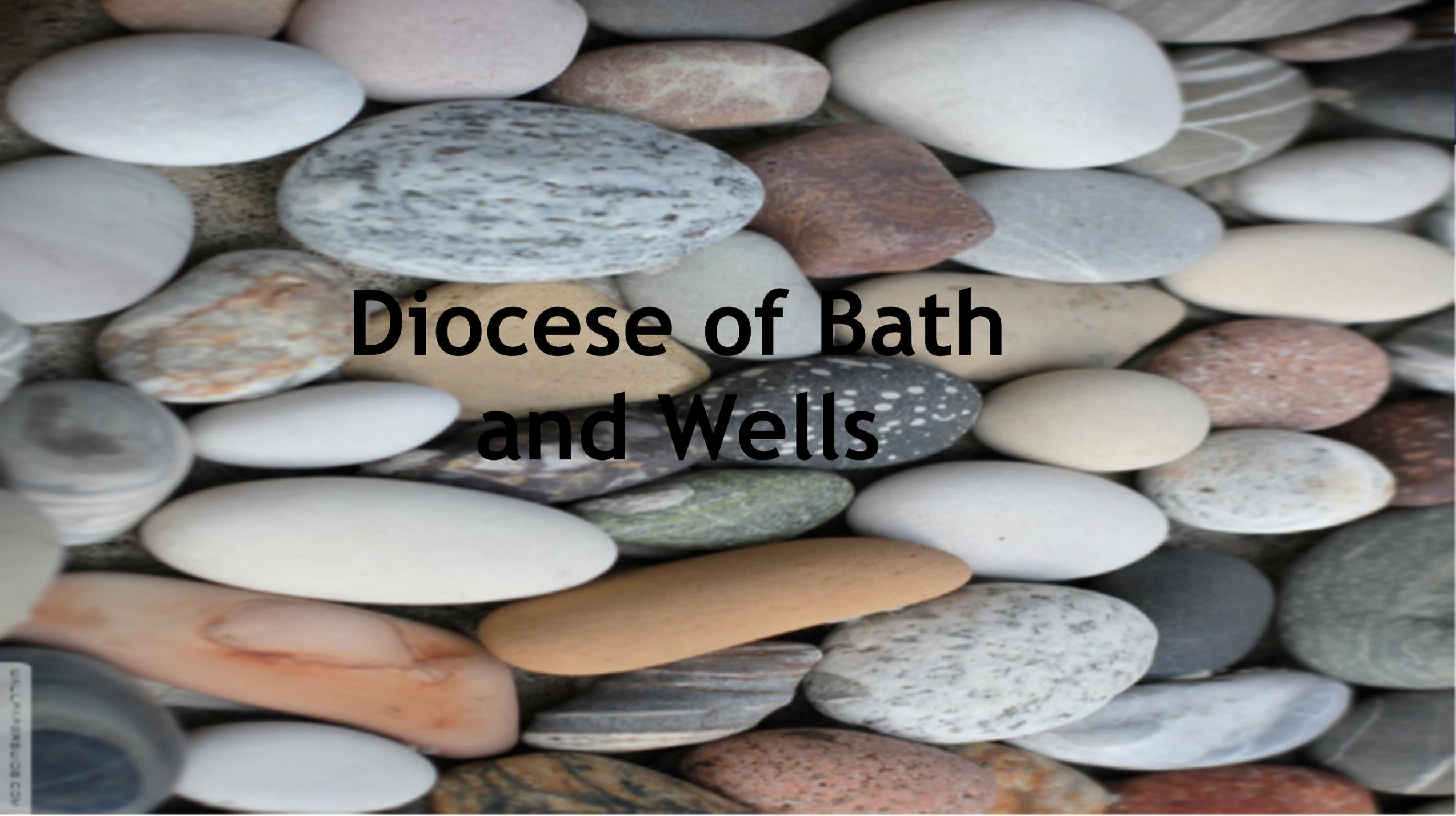
Be free to be who you are

- What gives your prayer life energy?
- Resources on <https://www.thykingdomcome.global>



What suits you best ?

- Active
- Action
- Words
- Creativity
- Silence



Diocese of Bath and Wells

Deuteronomy 32:4

The Rock, his work is perfect, and all his ways are just. A faithful God, with-out deceit, just and up-right is he;

Loving Father, in the face of Jesus Christ your light and glory have blazed forth. Send your Holy Spirit that I may share with my friends [here, name your friends] the life of your Son and your love for all. Strengthen me as a witness to that love as I pledge to pray for them, for your name's sake. Amen.



IDEAS ABOUT PAINTING STONES

- Paint the name of someone you are praying for
- Paint a landscape of your community as you pray
- Paint an image that represents prayer
- Paint your family
- Paint a word for your community such as; hope, love, joy, peace, comfort...
- Paint whatever reminds you to pray during TKC
- Paint a bible verse



**I am a special prayer rock
This is what I do
You put me on your pillow
Until the day is through.
Turn back the covers
Climb into bed, WHOMP
Your special prayer rock
will hit you on the head.
Then you will remember
Get up and say your
prayers**



**Just dump me on the floor
Till morning, I'll be there.
You'll get up in the morning
CLUNK! I'll stub your toe
So you will recall, my friend
Your morning prayers you
know.
Back upon your pillow
When your bed is made.
Your clever little prayer rock**



A dark blue world map is centered on the image. Numerous bright, multi-pointed stars in shades of yellow and white are scattered across the map, with a higher concentration in the North Atlantic and Europe. The text "Light up the world in prayer" is overlaid in white, bold, sans-serif font across the center of the map.

Light up the world in prayer