

THE BRITISH ISLES, 1689-1870

The ‘Analytical list of particular occasions’ in *National Prayers* volume 1, amended as follows:

- ^A additional occasion, with new code, as given in *volume 2*
- ^R re-coding of an occasion, to accommodate an additional occasion or observance
- * occasions ordered/encouraged from London for observance in the overseas colonies
- † occasions commonly observed in colonies by order/encouragement of the authorities within these territories

Precise dates, details of circumstances and texts can be found in *volume 2*.

1689–E1	[†]	thanksgiving days	William of Orange’s intervention in defence of protestantism
1689–E2		prayers	for William of Orange
1689–S1		thanksgiving days	William of Orange’s intervention in defence of protestantism
1689–E3		fast days	declaration of war against France
1689–S2		fast days	campaign in Ireland, defence of protestantism, good weather and a good harvest
1690–E1		monthly fast days & daily prayers	during William III’s military campaign in Ireland
1690–S1a	^A	fast day	for parliament and for military and naval campaigns
1690–S1b	^R	fast days	William II’s military campaign in Ireland
1690–Ir1		monthly fast days	during William III’s military campaign
1690–E2		prayers	during William III’s military campaign in Ireland
1690–S2		thanksgiving days	victory at the battle of the Boyne
1690–Ir2		weekly fast days	during naval and military campaigns against the Jacobites
1690–E3a	^A	thanksgiving day	victories in Ireland
1690–S3		thanksgiving days	victories in Ireland
1690–E3b	^{R†}	thanksgiving day	victories in Ireland
		thanksgiving prayers	for William III during the war with France
1690–Ir3		thanksgiving day	victories in Ireland
		thanksgiving prayers	for William III during the war with France
1691–S1		fast day	repentance following the restoration of presbyterianism
1691–E1		thanksgiving prayers	after William III’s return from Holland
1691–E2		monthly fast days & daily prayers	during military campaigns against the Jacobites and France
1691–S2		monthly fast days	during military campaigns against the Jacobites and France
1691–E3		prayers	during the naval campaign against the French fleet
1691–Ir1		monthly fast days	during military campaigns against the Jacobites
		daily prayers	for the navy
1691–Ir2		thanksgiving days	military victories against the Jacobites
1691–E4		thanksgiving prayers	William III’s return from the war in Flanders
1691–EIr		thanksgiving day	William III’s return from the war in Flanders, and victories in Ireland
1691–S3		thanksgiving day	William II’s return from the war in Flanders, and victories in Ireland

1692-E1	prayer	during William III's military campaign in Flanders
1692-E1r1	monthly fast days & daily prayer	during William III's military campaign in Flanders
1692-E2	prayer	during naval campaign against the French fleet
1692-S1	monthly fast days	during William II's military campaign in Flanders
1692-E3 †	thanksgiving prayers	naval victories at the battles of Barfleur and La Hogue
1692-S2	thanksgiving days	naval victories at the battles of Barfleur and La Hogue
1692-E4	thanksgiving prayers	discovery of a plot against William III, and his return from military campaign
1692-E1r2	thanksgiving days	naval victories at Barfleur and La Hogue, discovery of a plot against William III, and his return from military campaign
1692-S3	thanksgiving days	discovery of a plot against William II, and his return from military campaign
1693-E1r1	monthly fast days and daily prayer	during William III's military campaign in Flanders
1693-S1	monthly fast days	during William II's military campaign in Flanders
1693-E1	prayers	during the naval campaign against the French fleet
1693-E2	thanksgiving prayer	William III's safety during the battle of Landen
1693-E1r2	thanksgiving days	William III's return from military campaign
1693-S2	thanksgiving days	William II's return from military campaign
1694-E1r	fast days & daily prayer	during William III's military campaign in Flanders
1694-S1	fast day	lack of repentance and during William II's military campaign in Flanders
1694-E1	fast days	during William III's military campaign in Flanders
1694-E2	thanksgiving prayers	William III's return from military campaign
1694-S2	thanksgiving days	William II's return from military campaign
1694-E3	thanksgiving days	William III's return from military campaign
1694-E4	prayers	illness of Mary II
1695-S1	fast days	death of Mary II
1695-S2	fast day	divine assistance during the war against France
1695-E1r1	fast days & daily prayer	William III's military campaigns in Flanders
1695-E1r2 †	thanksgiving days	victory at Namur
1695-S3	thanksgiving days	victory at Namur
1695-E1	thanksgiving prayers	William III's return from military campaign
1695-E2	fast days	a new parliament
1696-S1	fast days	discovery of a plot against William II, and fear of French invasion
1696-E1r1 *	thanksgiving days	discovery of a plot against William III, and failure of intended French invasion
1696-E1	prayers	during William III's military campaign in Flanders
1696-S2	fast days	divine assistance during the war with France
1696-E1r2	fast days & daily prayer	during William III's military campaign in Flanders
1696-S3	fast days	food shortages and bad weather
1696-E2	thanksgiving prayers	William III's return from military campaign
1697-S1	fast day	famine, mortality and threat of invasion
1697-E1	fast day	divine blessing on William III and his dominions
1697-E2	prayers	during William III's military campaign in Flanders
1697-S2	fast day	divine blessing on William II's military campaign and on the harvest

1697–E3	thanksgiving prayers	William III’s return from military campaign, and the peace treaty of Ryswick
1697–EIr †	thanksgiving days	peace treaty of Ryswick
1697–S3	thanksgiving day	preservation of William II and the peace treaty of Ryswick
1698–S1	fast days	bad weather, and fears of a poor harvest and famine
1698–S2	fast day	bad harvest and dearth
1699–S1a ^A	prayers	for success of the Darien scheme
1699–S1b ^R	fast day	continued dearth and the persecution of continental protestants
1699–EIr	fast days	divine blessing on William III and his dominions, and for persecuted continental protestants
1699–S2	thanksgiving day & prayers	good harvest and William II’s return from Flanders, and in response to disease, sinfulness, disrupted trade and the persecution of continental protestants
1699–S3 ^A	prayers	assistance for the Darien colony
1700–S1	fast day	dearth, high mortality, commercial failures, fire in Edinburgh, and sinfulness
1700–S2	fast day	failure of the Darien scheme
1701–EIr1	fast days	a blessing on parliament, preservation of protestantism and peace
1701–S1	fast day	dearth, failure of the Darien scheme, fire in Edinburgh and sinfulness
1701–S2	fast day	fire in Edinburgh, and sinfulness
1701–EIr2	fast days	French threats to the kingdoms and to protestantism, and for divine blessing on parliament
1702–E1	prayers	during the war of Spanish succession
1702–EIr1	fast days	after the outbreak of the war of Spanish succession
1702–S	fast day	war, drought and sinfulness
1702–EIr2 *	thanksgiving days & thanksgiving prayers	naval and military victories in Spain & the Low Countries, & recovery from illness of Prince George
1703–E1	fast day	British and allied military and naval campaigns
1703–S	fast day	lack of repentance for sins
1703–E2	prayers	violent storms
1704–EIr1	fast days	violent storms, and military and naval campaigns
1704–S1	fast days	bad weather and threats to the harvest
1704–E	thanksgiving prayer	victory at the battle of Donauwörth
1704–EIr2 *	thanksgiving days	victory at the battle of Blenheim
1704–S2	thanksgiving day	military victory
1705–EIr1	fast days	British and allied military and naval campaigns
1705–S	fast days	defence of protestantism, preservation of Queen Anne, conduct of the war & the session of parliament
1705–EIr2 *	thanksgiving days	victories in the Low Countries
1706–E1	fast day	British and allied military and naval campaigns
1706–E2	thanksgiving prayer	victories at Ramillies and in Spain
1706–S1	fast days	defence of protestantism, preservation of Queen Anne, conduct of the war and negotiation for a treaty of union with England
1706–E3	thanksgiving prayer	victories in Brabant and Spain
1706–EIr1 *	thanksgiving day	victories at Ramillies and in Spain
1706–S2	thanksgiving day	victories in the Low Countries and in Spain
1706–E4	thanksgiving prayer	victory at the battle of Turin
1706–S3	fast days	parliamentary debates on the treaty of union
1706–EIr2	thanksgiving day	British and allied victories during the year

1707–EIr1	fast day	British and allied military and naval campaigns
1707–EIr2	thanksgiving day & prayers	union of England and Scotland, and prayers for the British and allied naval campaigns
1708–1	fast day	British and allied military and naval campaigns
1708–S1	fast day	threat of Jacobite and French invasion
1708–E1	thanksgiving prayers	failure of attempted Jacobite and French invasion of Scotland
1708–S2	thanksgiving day	failure of attempted Jacobite and French invasion
1708–Ir	thanksgiving day	failure of attempted Jacobite and French invasion of Scotland
1708–E2	thanksgiving prayer	victory at the battle of Oudenarde
1708–2 ^R	thanksgiving days	failed Jacobite and French invasion attempt, and victory at the battle of Oudenarde
1708–E3	thanksgiving prayer	British and allied victories during the year
1709–1	thanksgiving days	British and allied victories at Lille, Ghent and Bruges
1709–S	fast days	bad weather and dearth, and for success in the war
1709–E1	prayers	British and allied forces
1709–E2	thanksgiving prayer	victory at the battle of Malplaquet
1709–2	thanksgiving day	victory at the battle of Malplaquet
1710–1	fast days	British and allied military and naval campaigns
1710–S	fast day	sinfulness, and for success in the war
1710–E	thanksgiving prayer	victory at the battles of Almenara and Saragossa
1710–ES	thanksgiving day	British and allied victories during the year
1711–S	fast days	war, fears of plague and sinfulness
1711–ES	fast day	British and allied military and naval campaigns
1712–ES	fast days	peace negotiations, and British and allied military and naval campaigns
1712–S ^A	prayers & fast days	defence of presbyterian principles
1713–1 [†]	thanksgiving days	peace treaty of Utrecht
1715–1 [†]	thanksgiving days	accession of George I, and frustration of Jacobite hopes
1715–S	fast days	fears of a Jacobite invasion
1715–E	prayers	successful resistance to the Jacobite rebellion
1716–1 [†]	thanksgiving day	suppression of the Jacobite rebellion
1717–S	fast days	threatened Jacobite invasion and rebellion
1720–EIr	prayers	during the threat of plague
1720–1	fast days	averting the spread of plague from the continent
1721–1	fast day	to avert the spread of plague
1722–S	fast days	fears of Jacobite invasion
1723–1	thanksgiving day	end of the threat of plague
1725–S	fast days	persecution of continental protestants
1726–S	fast day	sinfulness, ingratitude for mercies, growth of catholicism and persecution of continental protestants
1734–S	fast day	sinfulness, secession in the church and possible British involvement in the war of Polish succession
1735–S	fast day	sinfulness, and possible British involvement in the war of Polish succession
1737–E	prayers	illness of Queen Caroline
1740–1	fast day	outbreak of war against Spain
1741–E	prayers	during war with Spain
1741–1	fast day	military and naval campaigns
1741–S	fast days	during famine and war
1741–2	fast day	military and naval campaigns
1742–1	fast day	military and naval campaigns

1743–E	thanksgiving prayer	victory at the battle of Dettingen
1744–1	fast day	military and naval campaigns
1745–1	fast day	naval and military campaigns against Spain & France
1745–E	prayers	during the Jacobite rebellion
1745–2 †	fast day	naval and military campaigns, and the Jacobite rebellion
1746–E	thanksgiving prayers	victory at the battle of Culloden
1746–S	thanksgiving day	defeat of the Jacobite rebellion
1746–EIr †	thanksgiving day	defeat of the Jacobite rebellion
1747–1	fast day	naval and military campaigns against Spain & France
1748–1	fast day	naval and military campaigns against Spain & France
1748–E	prayers	during the cattle plague
1749–1	thanksgiving day	peace treaty of Aix la Chapelle
1750–E	prayers	earthquakes in London
1756–1 †	fast day	Lisbon earthquake, and the fleets and armies during tensions with France
1756–S	fast day	outbreak of Seven Years War with France
1757–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1758–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1758–E1	thanksgiving prayer	victory at the battle of Krefeld
1758–E2	thanksgiving prayers	capture of Louisburg
1758–Ir	thanksgiving prayer	victories
1758–S	thanksgiving days	good harvest and military victories
1759–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1759–E1	thanksgiving prayer	end of cattle plague
1759–E2	thanksgiving prayer	victory at the battle of Minden
1759–Ir1	thanksgiving prayer	victory at the battle of Minden
1759–E3	thanksgiving prayers	capture of Quebec and other victories in Canada
1759–Ir2	thanksgiving prayer	capture of Quebec and other victories in Canada
1759–2 *	thanksgiving day	capture of Quebec, other naval and military victories and an abundant harvest
1759–E4	thanksgiving prayers	victory at the battle of Quiberon Bay
1760–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1760–EIr	thanksgiving prayers	capture of Montreal and surrender of French forces in Canada
1761–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1761–E	thanksgiving prayers	capture of Pondicherry, Belle Ile and Dominic, and victory at the battle of Villinghausen
1762–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France & Spain
1762–E1	thanksgiving prayers	capture of Martinique
1762–EIr ^R	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince George
1762–E2 ^R	thanksgiving prayers	capture of Havannah
1763–1 *	thanksgiving day	peace treaty of Paris
1763–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Frederick
1765–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince William
1766–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Charlotte
1767–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Edward
1768–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Augusta
1770–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Elizabeth
1771–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Ernest
1773–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Augustus
1774–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Adolphus
1776–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Mary

1776–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns in the war of American independence
1777–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Sophia
1778–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns in North America
1779–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France, and in North America
1779–E1	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Octavius
1779–E2	prayers	during the war
1780–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France, and in North America
1780–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Alfred
1781–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France, Spain and the Dutch Republic, and in North America
1781–E	prayers	during the war
1782–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France, Spain and the Dutch Republic, and in North America
1782–E	thanksgiving prayers	victory at the battle of the Saintes
1783–S	prayers	after bad harvest, and hope of a better one
1783–E	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Amelia
1784–1	thanksgiving day	peace treaty of Paris
1786–E	thanksgiving prayers	failure of an attack on George III
1788–S	thanksgiving day	anniversary of the 1688 revolution
1788–1	prayers	during George III’s illness
1789–1 *	thanksgiving prayers	George III’s recovery from illness
1789–2	thanksgiving day	George III’s recovery from illness
1793–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns in the French revolutionary war
1794–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1795–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1795–2	thanksgiving prayers	failure of an attack on George III
1796–E1 ^R	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Charlotte, daughter of the prince of Wales
1796–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1796–E2 ^R	thanksgiving prayers	abundant harvest
1797–Ir	thanksgiving day	failure of attempted French invasion
1797–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1797–E1	thanksgiving prayers	naval victory at the battle of Cape St Vincent
1797–E2	thanksgiving prayers	naval victory at the battle of Camperdown
1797–2	thanksgiving days	naval victories
1798–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1798–EIr ^R	thanksgiving prayers	naval victory at the battle of the Nile; Ir: included references to naval victory at the battle of Tory Island
1798–2 †	thanksgiving day	victory at the battle of the Nile, and defeat of the attempted invasion and rebellion in Ireland
1799–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1800–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1800–EIr	thanksgiving prayers	failure of an attack on George III
1801–1 †	fast days	dearth, and the naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1801–2	thanksgiving prayers	George III’s recovery from illness
1801–EIr	thanksgiving prayers	abundant harvest

1802–1 †	thanksgiving days	peace treaty of Amiens
1803–EIr1	thanksgiving prayers	discovery of the Despard conspiracy
1803–EIr2	prayers	Napoleonic war
1803–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France
1804–EIr	thanksgiving prayers	George III's recovery from illness
1804–1 †	fast days & thanksgiving prayers	naval and military campaigns against France, and George III's recovery from illness
1805–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1805–EIr	prayers	daily prayers during the war
1805–2 †	thanksgiving day	victory at the battle of Trafalgar
1806–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1807–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1808–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1809–1	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1809–2 †	thanksgiving prayers	jubilee of George III
1810–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1810–2	prayers	illness of George III
1810–3	thanksgiving prayers	abundant harvest
1811–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1812–1 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1812–EIr	prayers	illness of George III
1812–2 †	thanksgiving prayers	victories in Spain and Portugal, especially at the battle of Salamanca
1813–1	prayer	for the prince regent
1813–2 †	fast days	naval and military campaigns against France and its allies
1813–3 †	thanksgiving prayers	victories in Spain, especially at the battle of Vittoria
1813–4	thanksgiving prayers	abundant harvest
1814–1 †	thanksgiving day	British and allied victories against France
1814–2 †	thanksgiving day	peace treaty of Paris
1815–1 †	thanksgiving prayers	victory at the battle of Waterloo
1816–1 †	thanksgiving day	peace treaty of Paris
1817–1	thanksgiving prayers	failure of an attack on the prince regent
1820–1	thanksgiving prayers	recovery of George IV from illness
1830–1	prayers	illness of George IV
1830–2	prayers	popular disturbances
1831–1	prayers	threat of cholera
1832–1	prayers	cholera epidemic
1832–2 †	fast days	cholera epidemic
1832–3	thanksgiving prayers	for places free, or freed, from cholera
1832–EIr	thanksgiving prayers	abundant harvest
1833–E	thanksgiving day	end of cholera outbreak
1835–S	day of humiliation	sinfulness and the shortcomings of the church
1837–1	prayers	illness of William IV
1840–S	services of humiliation & prayer	crisis in the church

1840-1	†	thanksgiving prayers	failure of an attack on Queen Victoria
1840-2	†	thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Victoria
1841-S1		day of humiliation, thanksgiving & prayer	sinfulness, shortcomings, mercies and peace within the church
1841-S2		monthly prayers	divisions within the church
1841-1		thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Edward
1842-1		thanksgiving prayers	failure of an attack on Queen Victoria
1842-S		day of humiliation	divisions in the church and distress in the country
1842-2		thanksgiving prayers	abundant harvest
1843-1		thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Alice
1844-1		thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Alfred
1846-1		thanksgiving prayers	victories near the Sutlej river
1846-2		thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Helena
1846-3		prayers	famine in Ireland and Scotland
1846-Ir		prayers and day of humiliation	famine
1847-1		fast day	famine in Ireland and Scotland
1847-S		prayers	famine in Ireland and Scotland
1847-2		thanksgiving days	abundant harvest
1848-1		thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Louise
1848-2		prayers	Chartist demonstrations
1848-S		days of humiliation	economic distress
1849-1		prayers	cholera epidemic
1849-2	†	thanksgiving day	end of the cholera epidemic
1850-1		thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Arthur
1853-1		thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Leopold
1854-S		prayers	likelihood of war against Russia
1854-1	†	day of humiliation/fast	military and naval campaigns in the Crimean war
1854-2		thanksgiving prayers	abundant harvest
1855-1	†	day of humiliation/fast	military and naval campaigns in the Crimean war
1855-2		thanksgiving prayers	British and allied victories in the Crimean war, especially the capture of Sebastopol
1856-1	†	thanksgiving day	peace treaty of Paris
1857-1		thanksgiving prayers	birth of Princess Beatrice
1857-S		prayers	revolt in India
1857-2	†	day of humiliation/fast	military campaign in India
1859-1		thanksgiving prayers	suppression of the revolt in India
1860-S		thanksgiving day	tricentenary of the Scottish Reformation
1864-1		thanksgiving prayers	birth of Prince Albert Victor, son of prince of Wales
1865-1		prayers	cattle plague and averting a cholera epidemic averting cattle plague, and a cholera epidemic
1866-ES		days of humiliation	cattle plague
1866-2		prayers	averting a cholera epidemic, and cattle plague
1866-3		thanksgiving prayers	end of cholera and cattle plague
1868-1	†	thanksgiving prayers	Ir: end of cattle plague failure of attack on the duke of Edinburgh and success of Abyssinian expedition
1870-Ir	A	prayers	reconstitution of the Church of Ireland
1870-E		prayers	Franco-Prussian war