

# St. Cyprian's

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The Weekly Newsletter for  
St. Cyprian's Church, Lenzie  
- 2<sup>nd</sup> December

## Advent SUNDAY

Services today  
9.15am – Eucharist  
10.30am – Eucharist

I (as in Les the Rector) am the speaker at the Diocesan Advent Quiet day on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December at St. Ninian's, Castle Douglas. I already have one "hitch-hiker", but if anyone is interested in coming along, let me know!

We'll be back well before the concert that evening.

### PRAYERS

**ANGLICAN:** The Reformed Episcopal Church of Spain and their Bishop: The Rt Rev Carlos Lopez-Lozano.

**DIOCESAN:** St. Bride's, Hyndland (Kevin Francis); St. Andrew's, Milgavie (Andrea Hagenbuch, Frazer Gold).

#### Daily Prayers

3<sup>rd</sup> : Thanksgiving for living fellowship

4<sup>th</sup>: The rejection of discrimination & stigmatisation

5<sup>th</sup>: The people of Finland

6<sup>th</sup> : The continuing refugee crisis

7<sup>th</sup>: East Dunbartonshire "Spirit of Christmas.

8<sup>th</sup> : "Women's Aid", helping those affected by domestic abuse.

**Please remember in your prayers:** Robert Hay, Olive Hay, Matt Whitaker, Peter Mundy; Jean Dick, Ashley Craddock, Pam Bently; Jean Kinnon, Margaret Conway; Susan Frost; Alan Paterson; Doreen Rendell; Karen Rose; Grace Joss and those in the "Prayer Book" at the back of church.

We have Holy Communion on Thursday Morning at 10.00am, followed by Tea or Coffee: everyone welcome.

**if you would like to get something into the Link please let our Rector Les Ireland know on 0141-776 3866 or e-mail rector@stcyprianslenzie.com by teatime on Wednesday evenings. Thanks.**

Congratulations to everyone who helped at our Christmas Fair. This year we made just over £1950.

Sunday December 2<sup>nd</sup> & Monday December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 7,00pm.

### "Praise at Advent" with Concordia.

A programme of readings and music including Schubert's Mass in G.

Sunday – St. David's Memorial Park Church.

Monday: Carmelite Monastery, Waterside Rd.

### ***Our next Concert is on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December, and features Eriska in concert, 7.30pm.***

***(Eriska: "award winning folk group, combining traditions to create a fresh style of Scottish Music". If you want to know what they sound like check them out on Utube – sounded good to me!!!!)***

***Tickets - £10 for adults, free for young people.***

Glennis Taverner says: I am ordering tickets for Aladdin on 12th January at 6.30pm at Campsie Memorial Hall Lennoxton. Would people let me know asap if they would like to come.

Our Annual General meeting is next Sunday - 9<sup>th</sup> December after our service at about midday. Please pick up a copy of our annual report and read pre meeting.

***During Advent we normally have a "Preparing for Christmas" activity. This year we have something in mind – for Monday afternoons.***

***If you are free, why not join us on any or all of 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> December, 1.15pm – 3.00pm, for a time of fun, creativity, and fellowship?***

What we need – even if you can't come – paint (coloured emulsion or water based paint) – if you have any half-empty tins and paint brushes, from the smallest to the biggest.....

Our Christmas Magazine is out! Let's get it out to as many people as possible. Just take some, pass them on to family and friends. It's a great magazine, and deserves a wide reading!!!!