



Harvest Festival

The church will be decorated on
Wednesday 26th September
at 9.30am. Please see page 16 of the
September "Cyprian Life."

On **Sunday 30th September**, there will be a Harvest
Thanksgiving Service at the 10.30 Eucharist, with a "bring
and share" lunch in the hall after the service. Watch for
the list at the back of the Church 2 weeks prior to 30th
for donations of food.

All proceeds from the retiral collection will go to the
"Glasgow City Mission"

Pet Blessing Service

This year the Pet Blessing Service will be on
Saturday 29th September at 11am in the
church. Bring along your dogs, cats, goldfish or rabbits, to
celebrate the life of Francis of Assisi (4th October) and
all of God's creatures.

Kathy Dunsmore from Cats Protection, Glasgow Branch,
will give a short address during the service
Pet treats and refreshments will be available in hall after
the service. All welcome.



WELCOME TO ST CYPRIAN'S SCOTTISH EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday 16th September 2012

The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity *St. Cyprian's Patronal Festival*

We welcome all visitors and invite you to join us
for coffee after the service.

10.30am - Sung Eucharist
3.00pm - Afternoon Service

Hymns today can all be found in the Red book

INTROIT: 96 Bright the vision that delighted

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

COLLECT : St. Cyprian of Carthage, Bishop and Martyr, 258

Almighty God, who gave to your servant Cyprian boldness to confess the
Name of our Saviour Jesus Christ before the rulers of this world, and
courage to die for this faith: Grant that we may always be ready to give a
reason for the hope that is in us, and to suffer gladly for the sake of our
Lord Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

To put a notice in the Link, please call Kathryn on
0141 578 0734 or email kathryn.potts2@ntlworld.com
before 6.00pm on Wednesday. Thank you.

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COLLECT FOR THE DAY

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the Gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one god, now and for ever.

FIRST READING: Proverbs I. 20-33 (Audrey Groom)

Wisdom cries out in the street; in the squares she raises her voice.

At the busiest corner she cries out; at the entrance of the city gates she speaks: 'How long, O simple ones, will you love being simple?

How long will scoffers delight in their scoffing and fools hate knowledge?

Give heed to my reproof; I will pour out my thoughts to you;

I will make my words known to you. Because I have called and you refused, have stretched out my hand and no one heeded, and because you have

ignored all my counsel and would have none of my reproof,

I also will laugh at your calamity; I will mock when panic strikes you,

when panic strikes you like a storm, and your calamity comes like a whirlwind, when distress and anguish come upon you. Then they will call upon

me, but I will not answer; they will seek me diligently, but will not find me.

Because they hated knowledge and did not choose the fear of the Lord,

would have none of my counsel, and despised all my reproof,

therefore they shall eat the fruit of their way and be sated with their own devices. For waywardness kills the simple, and the complacency of fools de-

stroys them; but those who listen to me will be secure and will live at ease, without dread of disaster.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 126.1-6

Response:- The Lord has done great things for us.

When the LORD restored the fortunes of Zion, we were like those who dream. Then our mouth was filled with laughter, and our tongue with shouts of joy; **R**

Then it was said among the nations, 'The Lord has done great things for them.' The Lord has done great things for us, and we rejoiced. **R**

Restore our fortunes, O Lord, like the watercourses in the Negeb.

May those who sow in tears reap with shouts of joy. Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed for sowing, shall come home with shouts of joy, carrying their sheaves. **R**

SERVICES and EVENTS

SUNDAY 16th September the 15th Sunday after Trinity

	10.30am Patronal Festival Eucharist for Cyprian
	3pm Afternoon Service in the Choir Vestry
Monday 17th	Ninian of Whithorn, Bishop, c 430
Thursday 20th	10am Holy Communion in the Choir Vestry
Friday 21st	Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist
Saturday 22nd	12.00noon Holy Name Cumbernauld Golden Jubilee

Sunday 23rd September the 16th Sunday After Trinity

	9.15am Holy Communion (Said, with Reserved Sacrament)
	10.30am Sung Eucharist. Celebrant Revd Bryan Owen
Thursday 27th	Holy Communion in the Choir Vestry
Saturday 29th	Michael and all Angels
	11.00am Pet Blessing Service. Speaker Kathy Dunsmore from Cats Protection. Pet treats and refreshments in the hall after the service

Revd Les Ireland

Revd Les Ireland will be Licensed as Priest in Charge of St.Cyprians on Remembrance Sunday

November 11th at 2.00pm

We anticipate a number of guests both from the south and locally and there will be a Reception

in the Hall after the Service

Please keep this date free to welcome Les and Lucy as they come to join us here in Lenzie.

Yorkhill Children's Foundation

Yorkhill Children's Foundation is looking to recruit NEW VOLUNTEERS! We are looking for friendly, reliable volunteers to help with our collection. Would you be able to spare a couple of hours occasionally to help out? If so, please call Alison Reade on 0141 201 6917.

OFFERTORY: 163 Angel Voices ever singing

COMMUNION: 261 Once only once and once for all (omit vs 7)

POST COMMUNION PRAYER: Lord, by the example of your martyr Cyprian and by the sacrament we have received, make us strong in the Spirit so that we may offer faithful witness to the truth of your Gospel. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

BLESSING

RECESSIONAL: 305 For all the Saints

DISMISSAL

THIS WEEK IN PRAYER

For your Prayers this week:

In the Anglican cycle of prayer we are asked to pray for the Church of the Province of Uganda: The Most Revd Henry Orombi Archbishop of Uganda & Bishop of Kampala. In our own Diocese St Margaret of Scotland, Newlands (Scott Robertson, Maggie McTernan, Archie Linnegan).

Daily Prayers

- 17th For strength to carry our faith to others in worship
- 18th For strength and stamina in carrying out God's work
- 19th For "Fairtrade" producers in Africa and elsewhere
- 20th Peace and understanding between different beliefs
- 21st For love and good fellowship between us all
- 22nd For strength to make person

Please also remember in your prayers:

Margaret Conway; Bob Emmet; Susan Frost; Kirsty Kilday; Brian MacDonald; Eric and Sheila Oakes; Prim Parry; Alan Paterson; Doreen Rendell; Derek Rose; Sheila Shaw; Jack Smith; Emily Stanczyk and for those in the "Prayer Book" at the back of the church.

May God keep them all in His care.

EPISTLE 2 Corinthians 4.7-15 (Kathryn Potts)

But we have this treasure in clay jars, so that it may be clear that this extraordinary power belongs to God and does not come from us. We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed but not driven to despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be made visible in our bodies.

For while we live, we are always being given up to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus may be made visible in our mortal flesh. So death is at work in us, but life in you.

But just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—'I believed, and so I spoke'—we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God..

GRADUAL: 308 For all Thy Saints O Lord

GOSPEL: John 17:11-19

And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one. While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves. I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. I am not asking you to take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the evil one. They do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. As you have sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. And for their sakes I sanctify myself, so that they also may be sanctified in truth.