

St.Cyprian's Link 4th May 2014

3rd Sunday of Easter

Services today: 9.15am – Eucharist 10.30am – Eucharist

Hymns today are from The Source

We also have Holy Communion on Thursday Morning at 10.00am, followed by Tea or Coffee for everyone who would like to join us.

Prayers

ANGLICAN

Anglican Church of Kenya: The Most Revd Dr Eliud Wabukala, Primate and Archbishop of All Kenya

DIOCESAN

St.Michael and All Angels, Helensburgh (David Cook); St Mungo's, Alexandria (Kenny Macaulay, Alison Jones)

DAILY PRAYERS

5th Queen Elizabeth 11 and all the Royal Family 6th Thanksgiving for the gift of Holy Communion 7th The Bishop's Staff Group 8th Christian writers 9th Development Team for Worship and Liturgy (James Milne) 10th The work of Save the Children

Lent Boxes

Would anyone who took a lent box home for the Yorkhill Children's Charity please return it as soon as possible. It may be left at the back of the church or placed in the collection plate. Thank you.

Christian Aid Coffee Morning

Wednesday 14th May 2014 St Cyprian's Church Hall Beech Road Lenzie 10am - 12noon Adults £2 Children 50p Christian Aid Registered Charity No. SC039150

Please see Eileen if you can help. Donations of home baking for the Tea Room will be much appreciated.

Please also remember in your prayers:

Margaret Conway;
Daphne Fraser;
Cynthia Frost, Susan
Frost; Kirsty Kilday;
Eric and Sheila Oakes;
Mark Parry;
Alan Paterson;
Doreen Rendell; Karen
Rose; Geoff Scobie;
Jack Smith; and for all
those in the "Prayer
Book" at the back of
the church.

Car Boot Sale

Saturday 17th May
10.00-1.00pm
Cars and Tables £10.00
Contact 776 3866 to book
or email
carboot@
stcyprianslenzie.com



BOOK LAUNCH

Les's newest book

"Up the Crow
Road"

Saturday 17th May
11.00am
St Cyprian's

Mother's Union

The next meeting is on Wed $14^{\rm th}$ May at 7.30pm in the hall. Jane Meek will be giving a talk and demonstration of Pilates. All Welcome.

ACTS Discussion and Study Group

WHERE THE HELL IS GOD

Richard Leonard SJ

7 afternoon studies in St.Ninian's on Tuesdays from May 6th at 1.00pm

7 evening studies in Harestanes Community Centre also on Tuesdays from May 6th at 7.30pm

Please speak to Mary if you would like the book

If you would like to get something into the Link next week please let Kathryn have it before teatime on Wednesday – 578 0734 or email kathryn.potts2@ntlworld.com

Hymn: 276 Jesus Christ is risen today

Collect

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy gladdened the Disciples with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such knowledge of his presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life and serve you continuously in righteousness and truth; 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. Amen

Acts 2:14a,36-41

Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed the multitude, "Let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified."

Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, "Brothers, what should we do?" Peter said to them, "Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him." And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, "Save yourselves from this corrupt generation." So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added to their number.

Psalm 116:1-3, 10-17

I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my supplication, because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.

The cords of death entangled me; the grip of the grave took hold of me; I came to grief and sorrow.

Then I called upon the Name of the Lord: "O Lord, I pray you, save my life."

How shall I repay the Lord for all the good things he has done for me?

I will lift up the cup of salvation and call upon the Name of the Lord. I will fulfil my vows to the Lord in the presence of all his people. Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his servants.

O Lord, I am your servant; I am your servant and the child of

your handmaid; you have freed me from my bonds.

I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving and call upon the Name of the Lord

I will fulfil my vows to the Lord in the presence of all his people, In the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Hallelujah!

1 Peter 1:17-23

If you invoke as Father the one who judges all people impartially according to their deeds, live in reverent fear during the time of your exile. You know that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your ancestors, not with perishable things like silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without defect or blemish. He was destined before the foundation of the world, but was revealed at the end of the ages for your sake. Through him you have come to trust in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are set on God. Now that you have purified your souls by your obedience to the truth so that you have genuine mutual love, love one another deeply from the heart. You have been born anew, not of perishable but of imperishable seed, through the living and enduring word of God.

Gradual: 284 Jesus is Lord

Luke 24:13-35

On the first day of the week, two of Jesus' followers were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. And he said to them, "What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?" They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, "Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?" He asked them, "What things?" They replied, "The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him.

But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this. it is now the third day since these things took place. Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him." Then he said to them, "Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?" Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures. As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. But they urged him strongly, saying, "Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over." So he went in to stay with them. When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?" That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. They were saying, "The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!" Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

Offertory: 979 The head that once was crowned with thorns (Red Bk 141)

Communion: 4 Alleluia Alleluia

Prayer after Communion

Living God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in all his redeeming work; who is alive and reigns now and for ever.

Hymn: 948 Rejoice the Lord is King (Red Bk 139)