



# St. Cyprian's Link

**Sunday 29th November**  
– *Advent Sunday*

**Services today:**  
**9.15am – Eucharist**  
**10.30am – Eucharist**

*We also 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 Les know on 0141-776 3866 or e-mail [rector@stcyprianslenzie.com](mailto:rector@stcyprianslenzie.com) by teatime on Wednesday evenings. Thanks.

Advanced Notice: on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December we are having a Bishop's Visitation. We are currently putting a programme together – if you would like to invite him to something, or have ideas for the programme, please have a word with the Rector. The programme to dates:

12.15pm – Eucharist, with the Bishop Celebrating and preaching.  
1.00pm: Shared lunch for everyone – please bring something to add to the Buffet.....  
2.30pm: The Bishop will be doing various visits.  
4.00pm: Tea with a group of Church members  
6.00pm: Meeting with the MAP group.  
7.30pm: Meeting informally with the Vestry.

## PRAYERS

**ANGLICAN:** West Malaysia (South East Asia) and their Bishops the Rt Rev. Ng Moon Hing; The Rt Rev Charles Samuel; The Rt Rev Jason Selvaraj.

**DIOCESAN:** St. Ninian's, Portpatrick; All Saints' Challoch with the Whithorn Fellowship; St John the Evangelist Stranraer (Michael Hills).

### Daily Prayers

23<sup>rd</sup>: For Patients and Staff in hospitals, hospices and nursing homes.

24<sup>th</sup>: For kindness of heart and a generous caring nature.

25<sup>th</sup>: For the people of the Church of Ireland.

26<sup>th</sup>: For the people of Scotland and the Scottish Government.

27<sup>th</sup>: For all those working in postal and courier services.

28<sup>th</sup>: For the work of the Mission Aviation Fellowship.

**Please remember in your prayers:** Brian Owen, Gill Inglis; Glennis Taverner, Margaret Conway; Daphne Fraser; Cynthia Frost, Susan Frost; Kirsty Kilday; Eric and Sheila Oakes; Alan Paterson; Doreen Rendell; Karen Rose; Geoff Scobie; Jack Smith; Grace Joss and for all those in the "Prayer Book" at the back of the church.

Please pray for the Families and Friends of Jack Smith and Dorothy Paterson, who have just died.

*During Advent over recent years we have done something "off the wall" to add to our church decorations. Two years ago we had the "Frankenstein Monster Crib Scene." Last year we had our alternative advent candles. We have a different idea this year.....*

*Why not come along on a Thursday afternoon 1.30pm – 3.00pm during Advent – 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec, 10<sup>th</sup> Dec, and 17<sup>th</sup> Dec to help – everyone is welcome, we would love to see you. (We have had to choose those dates because they are the only regular slot which I have free every week).*

"We are in Advent. We remember that a woman held in her arms a child, and that child was God. If we remember that, then we are givers of peace, we are lovers of the Beloved. We own him through love. And he owns us! the most extraordinary thing in the world is that God loves you and me!" -- Catherine de Hueck Doherty

## ADVENT SUNDAY PRESENTATION with CONCORDIA

***This Evening – Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> November at St. David's  
Memorial Park Church.***  
***Tomorrow – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> November at the Carmelite  
Monastery on Waterside Rd.***

Both evenings start at 7.00pm.

*Concordia is the local ACTS group Choir, including a number of members of our church who are part of it.*