

St. Cyprian's Church, Lenzie

# LINK

19<sup>th</sup> March 2017 – Lent 3.

#### Collect

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life, may we always thirst for you, the spring of life and source of goodness; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## **Prayer after Communion**

God of our pilgrimage, we have found the living water. Refresh and sustain us as we go forth on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

# Services today:

9.15am – Eucharist 10.30am – Eucharist 3.00pm – 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 by teatime on Wednesday evenings. Thanks.

Please note – clocks change – go forward, next Weekend!

**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March** – our next concert, featuring Sarah Harrington on Cello and Stephen Adam on Piano. Tickets at £10 (including refreshments) are available from the Boyds, or pay on the door. Please take tickets to sell on to others who might enjoy the evening.

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March – Mothering Sunday, with our Mother's Union taking a large part within our service.

Why not make your Mothering Sunday special by bringing your family and friends to church to celebrate special relationships?

### **PRAYERS**

**ANGLICAN:** The Diocese of Mbale (Uganda): The Rt Revd Patrick Gidudu (Bishop)

**DIOCESAN:** St. Augustine's, Dumbarton (Kenny Macaulay, Liz O'Ryan); St. Bride's, Kelvinside (Kevin Francis, Kenneth Roach)

## **Daily Prayers**

20<sup>th</sup>: An End to Terrorism

21<sup>st</sup>: The people of Bangladesh

22<sup>nd</sup>: Grameen Caledonian College of Nursing

23<sup>rd</sup>: A forgiving spirit.

24<sup>th</sup>: Thanks for the Eucharist.

25 th: Rejoice in the free salvation in Jesus.

Please remember in your prayers: Nancy Hogg; Glennis Tavener; Bryan Owen; Donald Gow; Jean Kinnon, Gill Inglis; Margaret Conway; Susan Frost; Kirsty Kilday; Alan Paterson; Doreen Rendell; Karen Rose; Geoff Scobie; Grace Joss and those in the "Prayer Book" at the back of the church.

Please particularly pray at this time for our Bishop Gregor Duncan following his recent stroke.

## **Upcoming Dates:**

Saturday 1st April – our first carboot sale of the year.

**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> April** - We will be joined by Audrey O'Brien Stewart who is the diocesan Missioner, to help us "launch" our Mission Action Plan.

We invite everyone to "do something a bit different" for Lent. Why not join us on Thursday mornings through Lent in the Choir Vestry, from 11.00 - 12.00am, for a chance to reflect on, and create, a set of Stations of the Cross for our Easter worship.

You don't need no talent! You don't need to be a "spiritual" type – this is for everyone. Come and join us!

This year's Bishop's Appeal is for the Scottish Refugee Council. If you would like to support the appeal, please take a collection box from the back of church.

Our Rector has just produced a new book, called, matching the dignity he brings to his office: "Stuff and Guff!" What is it – its collected things he has written about a lot of random stuff!

The difference is what to pay for it. It is Free BUT.....

The idea is you pay what you want for it. If you want a guideline, you might pay £3 for it. However, you are welcome to take a copy, free. You can pay what you want. Even more – you can give ANYTHING for it – a cake, a black spot, a Ferrari – think of something strange. Any proceeds the book makes will come to St. Cyprians Church. The first thing to do – just take one!!!! For nothing......