



ST. CYPRIAN'S LINK

Sunday 21st June
Trinity 3

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.

Many thanks to everyone who helped at the Car Boot Sale yesterday. Our next Car boot sale comes up pretty quickly on the 11th July.

As a drought continued for what seemed an eternity, a small community of farmers were in a quandary as to what to do. Rain was important to keep their crops healthy and sustain the way of life of the townspeople. As the problem became more acute, a local minister called a prayer meeting to ask for rain. Many people arrived. The minister greeted most of them as they filed in.

As the minister walked to the front of the church to officially begin the meeting he noticed most people were chatting across the aisles and socializing with friends. When he reached the front his thoughts were on quieting the attendees and starting the meeting. His eyes scanned the crowd as he asked for quiet. He noticed an eleven year-old girl sitting quietly in the front row. Her face was beaming with excitement. Next to her, poised and ready for use, was a bright red umbrella.

The minister smiled as he realized how much faith she possessed. No one else in the congregation had brought an umbrella. All came to pray for rain, but the little girl had come expecting God to answer.

PRAYERS

ANGLICAN: The Diocese of Olympia (Province IX, USA) and their Bishop, Rt Rev Gregory Rickel.

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

Daily Prayers

22nd: All sufferers of Multiple Sclerosis.

23rd: Love, Peace and Joy within marriage.

24th: The gospel, the good news of God's love.

25th: Night Shift workers in hospitals and care homes.

26th: Christian Peacemakers reducing violence in conflict zones

27th: All those who doubt their faith.

Please remember in your prayers: Margaret Conway; Beryl Tavener; Daphne Fraser; Cynthia Frost, Susan Frost; Kirsty Kilday; Eric and Sheila Oakes; Mark Parry; 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.

Saturday 27th June:

Strawberry Tea,

from 2 – 4.00pm.

A tea which coincides with a special birthday for the Rector.



Invitations are available in church..... No tickets (and no presents) – but please make a donation on the day to the church in memory of a lost youf.