

St. Cyprian's Link

THE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FOR St. CYPRIAN'S CHURCH, LENZIE.

4th February 2018
– Epiphany 5

Services today

9.15am – Eucharist

10.30am – Eucharist

3.00pm – Eucharist at Lilyburn

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 our Rector Les Ireland know on 0141-776 3866 or e-mail rector@stcyprianslenzie.com by teatime on Wednesday evenings. Thanks.

Our next Concert is on Saturday 10th February, 7.30pm, and will feature a "Mcopera Trio" – tickets available in church.....

Today - 4th February – our vestry meets at 12 midday.

Wednesday 14th February is Ash Wednesday. We have a special service at St. Cyprian's at 7.30pm, which includes the imposition of ashes.

If you cannot make the Ash Wednesday service, there will be the opportunity to receive the imposition of ashes at our service 10am on Thursday morning.

PRAYERS

ANGLICAN: The Anglican Church of Burundi, The Most Revd Martin Nyaboho, Archbishop of Burundi and Bishop of Makamba.

DIOCESAN: St. John the Evangelist (Wilhelmina Nesbitt); St. Bartholomew's, Gourcock (David Stoter).

Daily Prayers

5th: Thanksgiving for companions on the journey of faith.

6th : Our Christian Neighbours.

7th : St. Cyprian's Vestry.

8th: Purity in all our loving relationships.

9th: The Aberlour Child Care trust.

10th: Our Primus: Rt. Rev. Mark Strange, Bishop of Moray, Ross and Caithness.

Please remember in your prayers: Jean Dick, Matthew Whittaker; Pam Bently; Donald Gow; Jean Kinnon, Margaret Conway; Susan Frost; Alan Paterson; Doreen Rendell; Karen Rose; Grace Joss and those in the "Prayer Book" at the back of the church.

Saturday 17th February.

10am – 1pm: Our Rector (in his role as Diocesan Healing Advisor) will be running a "Healing workshop" in his role as diocesan healing advisor, at St. Serf's Church, Shettleston. Everyone welcome.

This year's Bishop's Lent Appeal is for MND Scotland. MND – Motor Neuron Disease. Bishop Gregor says:

I have decided that this year's Appeal will be for MND Scotland in memory of our late Diocesan Secretary, Chris Zochowski who died from Motor Neurone Disease earlier this year.

In 1981, MND Scotland was founded by John Macleod, a 32 year old Strathclyde police officer, who had Motor Neurone Disease (MND). Together with his wife, Peigi, their family and friends, they started the charity to help those with MND in Scotland.

At the time John was diagnosed, services were limited and health professionals had little or no knowledge of the condition. John's aim was to help change this and the Scottish Motor Neurone Disease Association was born.

You can visit the MND Scotland website for further information: <http://www.mndscotland.org.uk>

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In the next week we will have collection boxes available in church for people to take, put in change etc, and return just after Easter.