

St. Cyprian's Link

The Weekly Newsletter for
St. Cyprian's Church, Lenzie
10th May 2020

Services – All services cancelled until further notice. The church building is closed for the time being.

Each Sunday we are creating a short special online service. It should be available on Sundays. The easiest way to “find” it is to go to the front of our website and simply click on the panel.

<https://stcyprianslenzie.com>

We also send out an E.mail round-robin each Sunday with the link to the service in the E.mail. The E.mail will also contain information on how to access the Scottish Episcopal Church weekly streamed service.

The video will also be on social media, particular our facebook page, as well as other local facebook pages.

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.

Many people took boxes for the Bishop's Lent Appeal. Normally the boxes would be returned to our church, the money put together and the church send off a cheque. This year – a bit different! If you want you can wait until later in the year to return the boxes, after the church re-opens. However we are being recommended to open the boxes ourselves, count the money, then send a cheque to our church – see opposite – but please make it clear it is for the Bishop's Appeal.

PRAYERS

ANGLICAN: The Anglican Church of Kenya: The Most Revd Jackson Ole Sapit, Primate and ArchBishop of all Kenya.

DIOCESAN: St Columba's Largs (Gordon Fyfe); St Ninian's Prestwick (Jane Ross).

11th: The work of Christian Aid

12th: Christian Aid volunteers struggling through the pandemic.

13th: The Scottish Bible Society.

14th: Anne Dyer – the Bishop of Aberdeen and Orkney.

15th: The work of Marie Curie Cancer Care.

16th: Thanksgiving for the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Please pray for: Duncan and Shona Naysmith; Jean McLean and her mother; Beryl Scott, Jean Dick, Pam Bently; Jean Kinnon, Margaret Conway; Susan Frost; Alan Paterson; Doreen Rendell; Karen Rose; and those whose names are in the “Prayer Book” at the back of church.

If there are people you would like included in our prayers or on our prayer list, please let the Rector know.

Many thanks to everyone who has made donations in lieu of putting envelopes in our collection plate. We would like to encourage everyone to continue to give through the current crisis – we may not have access to our building, but still have bills.....!

Perhaps the easiest way to give is to send a check to “St. Cyprian's Church, Beech Rd, Lenzie, G66 4HN.

Through these difficult times we are keen that people don't feel isolated or in need. If you need any help, or simply want to chat to someone, feel free to phone the Rector at any time on 0141 776 3866.

Readings: Acts 7:55-60
Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16
1Peter 3:13-22
John 14: 15-21

Collect: Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life. Give us grace to love one another and walk in the way of his commandments, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.