The Link

The Newsletter for St. Cyprian's Church, Lenzie
25th July 2021

We have worship in church and online at 10.30am.

The service will be streamed on Zoom. How to get into the streamed service is circulated by E.mail during the week, and is also posted on our website and other social media sites.

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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 link.

https://stcyprianslenzie.com

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

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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.

Please note, for the foreseeable future the Link – our weekly newsletter – will only be available online. If someone wants a paper version, we are happy to print one off and get it to you. Just contact the Rector.

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

Sunday 25th July

Anglican: The Scottish Episcopal Church.

Diocesan: Holy Name, Cumbernauld (Vacant; Ray Gascoigne). St. Matthew's, Possilpark (David Wolstenholme, Stuart Wood).

26th: SEC Youth groups across Scotland.

27th: Poorvoo Link: The Church of Ireland.

28th: The agricultural community.

29th: All those acting as carers for the elderly and infirm.

30th: Those experiencing major changes in their lives.

31st: Members of our Diocesan Synod meeting today on zoom.

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Please pray for these people: Bill Fergus; Barry Fergus; Peter Hemming; Barbara Fairlee, Rosa Revell and her sister; Shaunda Day, Justina Oguogu; Kennedy Fraser; Duncan and Shona Naysmith; Jean McLean and her mother; Jean Dick, Jean Kinnon, Margaret Conway; Susan Frost; Alan Paterson; Karen Rose; and those whose names are in the "Prayer Book" at the back of church.

Readings set for 25th July (Pentecost 9):

2Samuel 11: 1-15;	Psalm 14.
Ephesians 3:14-21;	John 6:1-21.

Collect: O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy, that with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

On Saturday 31st July at 7.30pm, Music at St.Cyprian's will be streaming a concert of traditional music recorded live at St.Cyprian's by Alastair Savage (fiddle) and Alice Allen (cello). The concert will be available via:
musicstcyprians.co.uk
and there will be an opportunity to make a donation if you wish. The concert will also be available to watch later.

Covid-19 restrictions have changed, as we move to level 0 restrictions. This will affect us in three possible ways.

The vestry is meeting on Sunday 25th July and my plan is that we will discuss these things then, and if there are significant changes we will implement them immediately after the meeting.

On the 28th July at 2.00pm we will be holding a memorial service for Pam Bently at St. Cyprian's. Sadly when Pam died it was at the height of the Covid-19 Pandemic, and there were severe restrictions on numbers who could attend her funeral – hence this memorial service.