

**st. cyprians church**

# Link

**sunday 4<sup>th</sup> Dec**



**We have worship in church today at 10.30am.**

**Hymns today at 10.30am are from Hymns Ancient and Modern 27, 484, 177, 28. At Communion: 143**

The service at 10.30am will also be streamed on Zoom. The access codes for the zoom stream are circulated by E.mail during the week, and are also posted on our website.



On Thursday mornings we have worship at 10.00am, with refreshments after, to which everyone is welcome – in the choir vestry – please enter by the main church door.



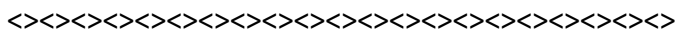
If you would like to get something into the Link please let our Rector Les Ireland know on 0141-776 3866 or e-mail rector@stcyprianslenzie.com by teatime on Wednesday evenings.

**Sunday 4th December**

**Anglican:** The Episcopal Church of Jerusalem and the Middle East.

**Diocesan:** Holy Trinity, Motherwell; St. Andrew’s, Wishaw (Richard Kilgour, Charles Sargent.

- 5<sup>th</sup>: Those affected by visual and/or audio impairment.
- 6<sup>th</sup>: Poorvoo link: Latvian Evangelical Lutheran church abroad.
- 7<sup>th</sup>: “Woman’s Aid”, helping those affected by domestic abuse.
- 8<sup>th</sup>: Mother’s Union.
- 9<sup>th</sup>: The National Meningitis Trust.
- 10<sup>th</sup>: Success of the 16 days of Activism against Gender Based violence, which ends today.



Please pray for the family and friends of Mike Frost whose funeral was this past week.

Please pray for the family and friends of Canon John Woodley who has just died.

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

**Today 4<sup>th</sup> December – Church AGM at about 12.15pm. Everyone welcome.**

(This is also on zoom – using the same link as for the service earlier).

**Today 4<sup>th</sup> December – 7.00pm – Concordia, the local ecumenical choir run by our own Mary Boyd, presents “Advent Praise” at St. David’s Memorial Park Church.**

**Advent “Activity” - Re-envisioning the Nativity.**

1.30 – 2.45pm on Monday afternoons 28<sup>th</sup> November, 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> December. In the choir vestry. Everyone welcome to join us – more info please ask the Rector.

This is the advanced notice for our Christmas Services:

- Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> December:** Carol Service – 6.30pm.
- Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> December:** 5.00pm: Christingle Service. 11.30pm: Midnight Communion.
- Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> December:** 10.30am: Family Communion Service.

“Into this world, this demented inn in which there is absolutely no room for him at all, Christ comes uninvited.” – Thomas Merton.

**ACTS – the local Churches Together group, is organising a series of “Warm Spaces” at various churches in Kirkintilloch and Lenzie this winter, to provide warmth and something to eat for those who may be struggling. Could you volunteer, either on a regular basis, or occasionally as needed? This is a great initiative. If you can help, or simply want to know more, please talk to Mary Boyd who is our rep for this.**