

ST. CYPRIAN'S CHURCH LINK

SUNDAY 26TH NOVEMBER 2023

CHRIST THE KING (LAST AFTER PENTECOST)



Today we have worship in church and online at 10.30am (see website for online access).

The service will be a Sung Eucharist and we welcome back the Revd Dr Kevin Francis as our preacher and celebrant.

Hymns from Hymns Ancient & Modern N.S. (Red book)

Introit	163	Angel voices ever singing
Gradual	139	Rejoice the Lord is King
Offertory	172	Glorious things of thee are spoken (omit v3)
Communion	249	Take my life (all verses)
Recessional	207	Praise to the Lord, The Almighty



Please join us for a chat and refreshments in the Hall after the service.

ANGLICAN The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
DIOCESAN All Saints, Jordanhill (Sydney Maitland)

St Cyprian's Congregation and Vestry for the Vacancy and the process of finding a new Rector

Daily Prayers

- 27th Thanksgiving for living fellowship
- 28th Porvoo Link: The Church in Wales
- 29th Key workers who provide our essential services
- 30th The people of Scotland

DECEMBER 2023

- 1st MND Scotland and those suffering from Motor Neurone Disease
- 2nd For all those living with HIV and AIDS

Please also pray for these people: Agnes Rose; Bill Fergus; Rosa Revell and her sister; Sheila and Shaunda; Ruth Mitchell; Kennedy Fraser; Duncan Naysmith; Jean McLean and her mother; Jean Dick; Margaret Conway; Susan Frost; Alan Paterson; Karen Rose; Tom and Lynda; Val Fallon; and all those recently bereaved.

If you would like to get something into the Link for next Sunday, please let our Paul Hindle know on 0141-776 3237 or e-mail link@stcyprianslenzie.com by teatime on Wednesday 29th November 2023

Thursday Morning Worship

Worship using the *Liturgy of the Word* is at 10am in the Choir Vestry. It is followed by refreshments, to which everyone is welcome. Please enter via the church.

With winter just around the corner, the **Mission to Seafarers** are low on knitted hats. They have gloves and scarves, but knitted hats are urgently needed.

The pattern and other details are on the website - <https://www.missiontoseafarers.org/at-church/knitting/hat-patterns>

Many thanks for your help with this.

CyprianLife for December/January

Please collect your copy from the table in church.

Glasgow City Mission

Following on from our last Mothers' Union meeting, Jack Geddes has come back with a list of what the Mission is looking for just now: gloves, boxer shorts, shaving foam, razors and deodorants. Please contact Maxine if you have any you can give.

FLOWER FESTIVAL 2024 CALENDAR

The calendar of photographs taken at the Flower Festival is now available. It is priced at £8 per copy including an envelope. It would make a great Christmas present. All profits go to support the work of St. Cyprian's.



16 Days of Activism

This campaign against the scourge of Domestic Abuse started yesterday (Saturday 25th November) and goes on till 10th December. There will be prayers in the 10.30am service. You can see more about the campaign in the magazine and at www.mothersunion.org.



Music @ St. Cyprian's

The next concert in our Winter Series will be next Saturday, 2nd December, at 7.30pm with the McOpera String Quintet with their *Seasonal Strings*.

The running order is on the website along with a bio of each member. It certainly looks like it will be another great evening. There are more details at musicstcyprians.co.uk and on Facebook.

Joint Advent Study group with St James the less, Bishopbriggs continues this week

Wednesdays 29th November
and 6th and 13th December at 7pm on Zoom

The study is based on the book, *The Meaning is in the Waiting: The Spirit of Advent* by Paula Gooder. It looks in turn at the waiting of Abraham and Sarah, the Prophets, John the Baptist and Mary. It is just 125 pages long and is very accessible to read.

The book is £9.99 on Amazon for a new paper copy or £7.99 for a kindle version. The Zoom link is in the Link email. Please subscribe on our website if you don't currently receive it or contact link@stcyprianslenzie.com.

Interim Priest in Charge

The Revd. Canon Paul Watson, Rector of St James the Less, Bishopbriggs has taken on this role. He can be contacted on 07943 026773 or by email on paulrobertwatson@gmail.com in case anyone needs visiting or pastoral care.