



ST. CYPRIAN'S CHURCH LINK

SUNDAY 12TH NOVEMBER 2023

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY (PENTECOST 24)



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

The service will be a Sung Eucharist incorporating the Act of Remembrance with a two minute silence at 11am. We welcome back the Bishop Gregor as our preacher and celebrant.

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

Introit 292 Eternal Father strong to save

Gradual O God of love, O King of peace
- on separate sheet

Offertory 99 O God our help in ages past

Communion 126 The King of love my shepherd is

Recessional 192 Praise my soul the King of heaven



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

ANGLICAN Igreja Anglicana de Mocambique e Angola

DIOCESAN St Augustine's, Dumbarton (Heller González)

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

Daily Prayers

13th The governments of the UK

14th Fuel Bank Foundation

15th Staff and patients in hospitals, hospices and nursing homes

16th SEC Diocese of Edinburgh (Bishop John Armes)

17th Diocesan Architect (Rebecca Cadie)

18th Diocesan Surveyor (Elliott Glenesk)

Please also pray for these people: Agnes Rose; Bill Ferguson; 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 15th 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 is on the Mission to Seafarers' website - <https://www.missiontoseafarers.org/at-church/knitting/hat-patterns>

The completed hats can then be sent to : Freepost RUAT-JRGK-YXEB, The Mission to Seafarers, Flying Angel Cellar Club, 53 Mill Dam, South Shields, Tyne and Wear NE33 1EQ

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.

Dates for Your Diary

Today

2pm: Remembrance Service at Woodilee War Memorial

Next Sat, 18th November

10am - 12.30pm Christian Aid Advent Coffee Morning at St. Mary's Church Hall, Cowgate, Kirkintilloch

Music @ St. Cyprian's

The next concert in our Winter Series will be on **Saturday 2nd December at 7.30pm.**

The artists will be 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. The booklet with the programme for the 2023/24 Winter Season is available in church or as a download from the website.

Joint Advent Study group with St James the less, Bishopbriggs

Wednesdays 22nd and 29th November and 6th and 13th December at 7pm

We're planning to base the study 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.

Here are some words from the back cover: A series of reflections inspired by the Bible considers why we need to wait, what it feels like to be someone who waits, what happens when we lose patience or hope, and why God may want us to get better at waiting.

The book is £9.99 on Amazon for a new paper copy or £7.99 for a kindle version (cheaper second hand paperbacks may be available). Paul (Hindle) can get the paperbacks quickly with Amazon Prime if you wish.

Paul Watson says, "I think it will be a great way of journeying through Advent and placing our own experience within the broader Christmas story".

The plan is to hold the meetings on Zoom unless there is a demand for it to be in person here or in Bishopbriggs. Also it's not too late to move to an afternoon slot if that would suit people better.

Interim Priest in Charge

The Revd. Canon Paul Watson, Rector of St James the Less, Bishopbriggs has agreed to take 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.