### St. Cyprian's Church Link

# SUNDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2024 - MOTHERING SUNDAY (FOURTH OF LENT)

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

The service is a Sung Eucharist and we welcome back the Revd Sally Gorton as our celebrant and preacher.

Hymns from Hymns Ancient & Modern (NS) (Red Book)

Introit To God be the Glory (Words

overleaf)

Gradual 126 The King of love my shepherd is
Offertory 117 Praise to the holiest in the height
Communion 271 Bread of heaven on Thee we feed
Recessional 203 O Praise ye the Lord, praise him in





Please join us for a celebration of two 100<sup>th</sup> birthdays in the Hall after the service.

**ANGLICAN** The Church of the Province of Uganda **DIOCESAN** Holy Trinity, Ayr (Martyn Trembath, Patsy Thomson)

St Oswald's, Maybole (Liz Crumlish)

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

#### **Daily Prayers**

- 11th Worldwide crop producers and providers of food
- 12<sup>th</sup> Lay Representatives, Alternate Lay Representatives and members of Regional Councils
- 13<sup>th</sup> The people of Bangladesh
- 14th Grameen Caledonian College of Nursing
- 15<sup>th</sup> The Dean (Reuben Preston)
- 16<sup>th</sup> Porvoo Link: The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Lithuania

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; Bishop Kevin; and those whose names appear in the Prayer Book at the back of the church.

If you would like to get something into the Link for next Sunday, please let Paul Hindle know on 0141-776 3237 or e-mail link@stcyprianslenzie.com by teatime on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2024

### Music @ St. Cyprian's

We hope you enjoyed last night's virtuoso concert. The next concert in our Winter Series is in four weeks on Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> April 2024, at 7.30pm.

The concert is entitled Virtuoso Clarinet. Young local clarinettist Raj Bhaumik with Claire Haslin, keyboard present a programme with something for everyone.

There is more information about the concert on the website, musicstcyprians.co.uk and on Facebook. We know it will be another great evening. Tickets: Adult: £12.50, Children: free.

#### **Mothering Sunday**

Today we celebrate Mothering Sunday and the long lives of our two centenarians whose birthdays were this past week. Come and celebrate on this their special day.

Everyone welcome.

#### **Lent Study**

The meetings take place on **Wednesdays at 7pm on Zoom**. The next section to read by Mar 13<sup>th</sup> is chapters 19-23. We will each share three things that strike us from these chapters. For the last week we'll read chs 24-28 by Mar 20<sup>th</sup>. Matthew is chosen as there is a good mix of teaching and action and each section has some of each. It is amazing what can strike us when we read many familiar stories one after the other as happens in these chapters. Feel free to come to as many studies as you can manage - they are each complete in themselves.

#### **Thursday Morning Worship**

On Thursday at **10am**, we'll have a *Service of the Word* in the Choir Vestry. Please come along.

There will be refreshments as usual after the service.

Everyone is welcome. Please enter via the church door.

## Bishop's Lent Appeal in aid of the Friends of the Holy Land

Lent boxes are available in church and more information about the charity is in the magazine and online.

#### **Mothers' Union Meeting & Prayer Space**

Our Mothers' Union branch will meet on Wednesday (13<sup>th</sup> March) at 7.30pm. We'll be looking at the reflections in the MU Lent Calendar and trying them out.

Our MU Diocese holds a Prayer Space on the second Thursday of the month at 12 noon and 8pm on Zoom. This month's is this Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> March. Please join us for midday prayers at 12 noon and compline at 8pm. Everyone welcome. The Zoom link is in the weekly Link email.

#### Not getting our Link Email?

Please sign up on our website at stcyprianslenzie.com. The signup form only needs your first name and email address.

Keep up to date!

#### **Lent Resources**

Our Diocesan Environmental Group (DEG) has created a series of resources for use during this season. It is called *Consider Creation* and is available on the diocesan website via bit.ly/ConsiderCreation.

#### **Interim Priest in Charge**

The Revd. Canon Paul Watson, Rector of St James the Less, Bishobriggs, 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.