

# ST. CYPRIAN'S CHURCH LINK

## SUNDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2024

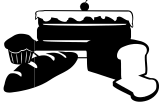
### PENTECOST 7

Today we have a

### Service of Confirmation

We welcome Bishop Kevin  
for this special service.  
All you need for the service  
is in the service booklet.

This marks a major event in the lives of two of our young people, Seren Strong and Kester Mba. We pray for and support them at this wonderful time.



Please join us in the hall after the service for more celebration with cake and lunch.

**ANGLICAN** The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean  
**DIOCESAN** St Oswald's, King's Park (Alison Mathew)  
St Ninian's, Pollokshields (Verity Brown, Kenneth Roach,  
Eamonn Rodgers)

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

#### Daily Prayers

- 8<sup>th</sup> The work of Cancer Research UK
- 9<sup>th</sup> Those affected by extreme poverty
- 10<sup>th</sup> New Stobhill Hospital
- 11<sup>th</sup> SEC Diocese of Moray, Ross and Caithness (Bishop Mark Strange)
- 12<sup>th</sup> The work of the Glasgow City Mission
- 13<sup>th</sup> The Mission to Seafarers

**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; Jean Hindle; the Ferry family 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](mailto:link@stcyprianslenzie.com) by teatime on **Wednesday this week.***

#### 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](mailto:paulrobertwatson@gmail.com) in case anyone needs visiting or pastoral care.

#### Thursday Morning Worship

On Thursday at **10am**, we'll have a *Service of the Word* led by one of our Worship Leaders 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.

#### Vacancies for Diocesan Secretary and Treasurer

As announced at Diocesan Synod, both these roles will become vacant before the yearend. Most of the work they currently do will in future be undertaken by Kim Schmulian, the new full-time Diocesan Administrator, but there is still a requirement for the Diocese to fill both posts.

Expressions of interest in these posts are now invited. To find out more, please contact Paul Hindle or Mary Boyd, who have more information to share.

#### Ken Ferry RIP

Ken died last Tuesday morning after a progressively developing illness. He and Eileen have been longstanding members of the Congregation. He's not been well for some time and moved fairly recently to a care home. Our sympathy and prayers are with Eileen and the rest of the family at this sad time.

#### Funeral arrangements

Ken's funeral will take place at St. Cyprian's on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2024 at 12.15pm. This will be followed by a short committal service at 1.45pm at Daldowie Crematorium.

#### Bishop's Retirement

As previously notified, Bishop Kevin retires at the end of August. This may well be his last visit to St Cyprian's (at least on a Sunday). Although a presentation was made to him at the wonderful Celebration Service in St Mary's Cathedral last Saturday (29<sup>th</sup> June), there is still an opportunity to send gifts if you so desire. Details were published in the May/June magazine, but there was a problem with the bank details. Please use these:

Sort code: 83-41-00 Account Number: 00162089  
Account name: DIOCESE OF GLASGOW AND GALLOWAY  
Please use BishopK and your surname as reference, and also email [iolanthe Stack](mailto:iolanthe@glasgow.anglican.org) at [iolanthe@glasgow.anglican.org](mailto:iolanthe@glasgow.anglican.org) to confirm a donation has been sent.

#### Acting Bishop Announced

When Bishop Kevin retires on 31 August 2024 it can be confirmed that, in accordance with Canon 4, the College of Bishops has the Rt. Revd. Andrew Swift as acting Bishop of Glasgow and Galloway until Bishop Kevin's successor is installed next year. He will take up this role from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2024. Bishop Andrew is currently Bishop of Brechin, a role that he will continue to hold. Bishop Andrew has worshiped with us in the past when he had a boat moored at Kirkintilloch Marina.

#### CyprianLife for July and August 2024

The magazine is out now. If you didn't get it last week, please collect your copy and take one or two to share with your friends.