

ST. CYPRIAN'S CHURCH LINK

SUNDAY 2ND FEBRUARY 2025

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

Today we have a Sung Eucharist in church and online at 10.30am (see website for online access). We welcome back the Revd David Cameron as our preacher and celebrant.

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

Introit 346 Christ is the world's true light

Gradual 238 Blest are the pure in heart

Offertory 249 Take my life, and let it be

Communion From heaven you came (service sheet) 114

Recessional 180 Thou, whose almighty word



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

ANGLICAN The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia

DIOCESAN Acting Bishop Andrew and our Bishop-elect Nick Bundock

All Saints, Jordanhill (Sydney Maitland)

St Cyprian's Congregation and Vestry for the Vacancy and the process of finding a new Rector especially now we have begun to advertise

Daily Prayers

3rd Diocesan Property Committee

4th Christian Stewardship

5th Episcopalians in isolated parts of the country

6th All young couples on their journey through life together

7th The Aberlour Child Care Trust

8th Safety for all young adults, at home and abroad

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 Dick; Margaret Conway; Susan Frost; Alan Paterson; Karen Rose; Tom and Lynda; Val Fallon; Jean Hindle; Ann Hemming; Peter Blaydon; Helen Kerr; and those who are named 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 this week.

February & March 2025 CyprianLife

If you didn't get it last week, please pick up your copy and perhaps take one for someone else who may be interested in what's going on at St Cyprian's.

If they run out, we can print more today.

Thursday Morning Worship

On Thursday at **10am**, we'll have a said Service of the Word in the Choir Vestry led by one of our Worship Leaders. There will be refreshments as usual after the service. Everyone is welcome.

Please enter via the Church door.

Collect for Thursday

O God, through our human frailty,
we cannot stand firm:
give us strength and protection,
that, with your help,
we may overcome all difficulties;
through Jesus Christ, our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, world without end.

Vacancy News

If you didn't see the info in last weeks Link, the Vacancy section of our website has been created and is available at stcyprianslenzie.com/vacancy/. The advert went in the Church Times paper for the last two Fridays and on their website since a week ago Friday. It's also on the Vacancy pages of the Diocese and Province and in the latest issue of Inspires Online. Let's all pray that we have a successful search.

Interregnum Prayer

Heavenly Father, we thank you for the ministry of our previous rectors, and we pray for your presence and blessing upon them.

We ask now that you will help us to share responsibility, grow in faith, love one another, care for those in need, reach out to others and welcome newcomers.

Lord Jesus, guard and grow our church as we serve you together in this period without a Rector.

Please guide those who are seeking the right priest for us, and those who are seeking the right church for their ministry, that together we may discover your way for the future and see your kingdom grow. Amen.

Girl Guiding Fundraising Concert

Next Saturday (8th February) at 7pm there is to be a fundraising concert featuring the Bearsden Fiddlers at Clydebank Town Hall to help with the rebuild of their centre at Catterburn. Tickets £10 - see Maxine or online.

Kirkintilloch Rotary Charity Burns Supper

Also next Saturday (8th February) at 6.30 for 7pm at the Glazert Country House Hotel - Lennoxton. Cost - £38 per person - all proceeds to go to the End Polio Now campaign. See Glennis for details and tickets.

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.