

# ST. CYPRIAN'S CHURCH

# LINK

## SUNDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> MARCH 2025

## THIRD SUNDAY OF

## LENT

*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 473** I come with you to meet my Lord

**Gradual 231** O for a closer walk with God

**Offertory 211** Through the night of doubt and sorrow (omit \*3)

**Communion 271** Bread of heaven, on thee we feed

**Extroit 214** Guide me, O thou great Redeemer



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

**ANGLICAN** Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America  
**DIOCESAN** Acting Bishop Andrew and our Bishop-elect Nick Bundock

Holy Trinity, Motherwell; St Andrew's, Wishaw (Vacant)

**St Cyprian's Congregation and Vestry** for the Vacancy and the process of finding a new Rector especially for the Vestry as we are now into the phase of discerning who amongst the applicants to be our Priest in Charge may be suitable.

### Daily Prayers

24th Porvoo Communion: Latvian Evangelical Lutheran Church Abroad

25th Christians throughout the world

26th The Salvation Army

27th The Richmond Fellowship

28th Mothers and children

29th Mothers' Union

**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 Bladon; Helen Kerr; Gavin 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](mailto:link@stcyprianslenzie.com) by teatime on Wednesday this week.*

### April 2025 CyprianLife

Deadline is today. Please pass items to the editor ASAP.  
It's a one month issue this time

### Thursday Morning Worship

On Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March 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.

### Bishop's Lent Appeal for Refuweege

The Lent appeal this year aims to support the outstanding work undertaken by Refuweege, a Glasgow-based charity that offers a warm welcome and vital support to refugees and asylum seekers arriving in Scotland. Their work is grounded in kindness, dignity, and a deep commitment to ensuring that everyone arriving in Scotland feels not just safe but truly at home.

More details about their work can be found on Refuweege's website. Bishop Andrew encourages all members and friends of churches in the Diocese to support this appeal. There are Lent boxes in church.

### Vacancy News

Applications are now closed and the Vestry, Dean and Acting Bishop are considering the applications received and preparing to interview the most suitable candidates. Let's all pray for the right decisions in the process.

### 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.

### Music @ St Cyprian's

The next concert will be **next Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> March**, at the usual time, 7.30pm.

The concert will feature the Lee-Horváth Duo, who are Katrina Lee on violin and Alina Horváth on piano.

To find out more, please visit [musicstcyprians.co.uk](http://musicstcyprians.co.uk) where you will find a fuller description and links to their YouTube videos.

Tickets are the usual £12.50 for adults and children are free.

We hope to see you there!

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