



# ANGLICAN CHURCH OF PAPHOS



Saint Stephen's, Tala



Aya Kyriaki, Kato Paphos



Saint Luke's, Prodfomi, near Polis

## 30 JUNE 2024

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

### SUNDAY SERVICES

<b>8.15 am</b>	<b>Aya Kyriaki</b>
Sung Eucharist	Revd Paul
<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Joint ACP Service Saint Stephen's</b>
Holy Communion	Revd Paul

### BIBLE READINGS

2 Samuel 1,17-27  
Psalm 130:1-7  
1 Corinthians 12:12-30a  
Mark 5:21-43

### COLLECT FOR THE DAY

*Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people, that in their vocation and ministry they may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. AMEN.*

## 7 JULY 2024

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

### SUNDAY SERVICES

<b>8.15 am</b>	<b>Aya Kyriaki</b>
Sung Eucharist	Revd William
<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Saint Luke's</b>
Morning Worship	Ray Elliott
<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Saint Stephen's</b>
Holy Communion	Revd Paul
<b>6.00 pm</b>	<b>Aya Kyriaki</b>
Holy Eucharist	Revd William

### BIBLE READINGS

2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10  
Psalm 48:1-13  
2 Corinthians 12:2-10  
Mark 6:1-13

### COLLECT FOR THE DAY

*Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. AMEN.*

**WELCOME** We give you a warm welcome to the Anglican Church of Paphos - especially if you are a visitor. Please introduce yourself to Paul or one of our churchwardens or one of our service leaders - we'd love to get to know you. If you are visiting, be sure to sign your name in the visitors book. Refreshments are served after all of our services - you are very welcome to join with us.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO BISHOP SEAN** On his enthronement at Saint Paul's Cathedral, Nicosia on Saturday 22 June 2024. Several members of the parish, including Revd's Paul and Andrew, attended this event and many watched online. The service can still be viewed on the Diocesan website. Bishop Sean's 'charge' to the Diocese is well worth reading and can be downloaded here <https://www.cypgulf.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/06/Charge-FINAL-min.pdf>

**JOINT COMMUNION SERVICE** There will be a joint service for the parish on **Sunday 30 June** at Saint Stephen's at 11.00 am. The 8.15 am service at Ayia Kyriaki will continue as normal.

**MIDWEEK HOLY EUCHARIST** Takes place at Ayia Kyriaki **every Wednesday** at 9.00 am. This is a said service and lasts around 30 mins.

**UK GENERAL ELECTION 2024** Some people often ask if there anything distinctive about how Christians cast their vote. It is probably that we vote not seeking what is best for us; but what is best for our neighbour, community, nation and world. It is what Christians call working for the common good. Read more here <https://revpacman.com/2024/06/10/general-election-2024/>

**SUNDAY EVENING HOLY EUCHARIST** Takes place at Ayia Kyriaki on **Sunday 7 July** at 6.00 pm, which will be led by Revd William. **NB.** Please note there is no evening service in August.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO REVD GEORGE VIDIAKIN** Bishop Sean and the council of Christ Church Ayia Napa are pleased to announce the selection of Fr George as the new house-for-duty parish priest. Currently Associate Priest at Saint Helena Larnaca, Fr George began his ministry in the Russian Orthodox Church and is active in ecumenical and interfaith relations. He is married to Regina, and they have two children. Fr George will be licensed on **Saturday 27 July**.

**BIBLE STUDY GROUP** In response to a number of requests, Revd Paul is planning to start a Bible Study Group. This will involve worship, teaching and group discussions and will probably take place every two weeks on either a Sunday evening or Wednesday afternoon. Please let Revd Paul know if you are interested and what day/time would work best for you.

**WEEKLY EMAIL** If you'd like to receive a weekly email with details of church activities and notices please email [churchsecretary04@gmail.com](mailto:churchsecretary04@gmail.com) and Di will add your name to the list.

**LEGACY GIVING** Have you thought about leaving a donation to the church in your Will? Would you like to? If so, full details of how to include a Legacy Gift to the church can be found on the church website <https://www.paphosanglicanchurch.org/legacy-giving.html> or take one of the Legacy leaflets which are on display in each church. Failing this, ask your warden for information. Legacy donations can be made for specific use as prescribed by you, or added to the general income. Any amount of financial assistance is always welcomed and appreciated.

**SOCIAL MEDIA** Don't forget to browse the ACP website. Revd Paul posts regularly on his Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/revpacman1/> and posts his sermons on [revpacman.com](https://revpacman.com) for those who want to catch up on a talk they've missed or those who may wish to read through again what they've heard! Revd Paul also posts several articles a month which are well worth reading! These will soon be added to the ACP website. **NB.** If you follow Revd Paul on Facebook please be sure to share his posts with your followers!

**NOTICES** If you have any notices to be included in the weekly news sheet or additions to the prayers, please email Revd Paul on [anglicanpriest.acp@cytanet.com.cy](mailto:anglicanpriest.acp@cytanet.com.cy)

## For Your Diary

	<b>Weekly</b>	Parish Prayers on Zoom, Tuesdays & Thursdays at 9.00 am
<b>30 June</b>		A Joint ACP Service, Saint Stephen's at 11.00 am (AK at 8.15 am)
<b>4 July</b>		UK General Election
<b>4 July</b>		Garden Party at Dex and Judith's. Fundraiser for ACP (see poster)
<b>10 July</b>		Church Council meet at Saint Stephen's at 10.30 am
<b>25 July</b>		Worship Team meeting on Zoom at 10.00 am
<b>27 July</b>		Licensing of Fr George Vidiakin at Christ Church, Ayia Napa
<b>5 September</b>		Sunset Cruise Boat Trip - Fundraiser for ACP
<b>14 September</b>		Songs of Praise 'In The Park' Polis at 5.30 pm

## For Your Prayers

**THE DIOCESE OF CYPRUS AND THE GULF** View/download the Diocesan Prayer Diary here <https://www.cypgulf.org/prayer-diary> Do pray for Archbishop Hosam, Bishop Sean, the Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf, Fr Drew and the congregation of Saint Martin's, Sharjah. Pray too for Archdeacon Christopher & Anne and Fr George & Regina. Continue to pray for the peace of Jerusalem, Gaza, the Middle East and for Ukraine and for conflicts around the world.

**A PRAYER FOR BISHOP SEAN** *Heavenly Father, in every age you raise up pastors and leaders for your Church to reflect the light of Christ and to lead us in the way of holiness. We thank you for the consecration and enthronement of your servant Sean in Bahrain and Nicosia. Grant to him and his family every grace of your Spirit as they begin a new life in the Diocese. Bless Sean's future ministry that together with the priests, deacons and laypeople of Cyprus and the Gulf the light of Christ may be seen and the love of Christ experienced by the people we serve. We ask this through the name of Christ our Lord. Amen.*

**THE PARISH** For our Clergy, Lay Ministers and Worship Leaders. For our Churchwardens, Church Council and all who serve the needs of the Parish. Do pray for all the services, events and activities that take place in all three churches and for all those who visit us week by week. Pray for unity and the mission/ministry of all Christian churches in Paphos and Polis. Pray for our Wedding Ministry - for Amanda, Vergers, Revd Paul & Andrew and especially for the couples who are being married or renewing their wedding vows in the coming months.

**WILD FIRES** Pray for those caught up in the recent wild fires, for those that have lost their homes and possibly their livelihoods. Pray also that the fires don't restart as temperatures continue to rise. It is going to be a long hot summer and probably a very risky and tiring one for the fire fighters, emergency services and volunteers - so be sure to pray for them too.

**THOSE WHO ARE UNWELL** Please remember in your prayers: Jim, Heidi W, Jaxon (3 yr old boy), Di, Julia (Bishop Michael's wife), Annette, Richard, Amanda B, Sylvia, Ian F, Amanda G, Paul N, Ann & Roger, Elizabeth, Alexander, Mary, Brenda, Geoffrey, Bruce & Margaret, Maureen, David, Jenny, Dex, Pat, Laura, Bob D, Hugh, Bob W, Ann F and all those who weigh heavy on your heart.

**THOSE WHO ARE BEREAVED** Please pray for the family and friends of Geoff Sanford, John Merritt, Hugh Lloyd-Jones, Pauline Wynn, Beryl Price, Dennis Burrow and Brian Moss.

**ZOOM PRAYERS** We meet for Morning Prayer on Zoom each **Tuesday and Thursday** at 9.00 am for 20 mins. This an opportunity for members of all three ACP churches to pray together. You can obtain the Zoom link from Revd Paul, Di, Sarah or Pat.

We have set up a **WhatsApp Prayer Group** where members of ACP can ask for prayer and group members will pray for them. However, you do not have to be a member of the group to request prayer. We would also be pleased to receive updates on answers to prayer.

This is a really important ministry and may suit those of you who, for whatever reason, cannot serve more actively. Most important is a heart for those afraid, anxious, suffering or in any kind of pain.

My hope and prayer is that God might eventually allow this group to develop into a Healing Prayer Ministry.

If you are interested in being part of this group, please would you email me with your name and WhatsApp contact details.

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**AC** ANGLICAN CHURCH OF PAPHOS

**GARDEN PARTY**  
and  
**Afternoon Tea**

**Thursday 4 July**  
starting at 4.00pm

at the Perretts' house  
Stephanie Village, Tala  
(Ask your ticket seller  
for directions)

Tickets €20  
Tea and coffee included  
(bring your own drinks,  
plastic glasses and chairs)

Various Games and Raffle

[www.paphosanglicanchurch.org](http://www.paphosanglicanchurch.org)



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