

ANGLICAN CHURCH OF PAPHOS







Saint Luke's, Prodromi, near Polis

3 NOVEMBER 2024

ALL SAINTS & ALL SOULS

SUNDAY SERVICES

8.15 am Ayia KyriakiEucharist / Incense Revd William

11.00 am Saint Luke's

Holy Communion Revd Paul

11.00 am Saint Stephen's

Holy Communion Revd William

6.00 pm Ayia Kyriaki

Eucharist / Requiem Revd Paul

BIBLE READINGS

Isaiah 25:6-9 Psalm 24:1-6 Revelation 21:1-6a John 11:32-44

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; 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.

10 NOVEMBER 2024

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

SUNDAY SERVICES

8.15 am Ayia Kyriaki

Sung Eucharist Revd Paul

10.45 am Saint Luke's

Morning Worship Ray & Graham

10.45 am Saint Stephen's

Morning Worship Revd Paul

6.00 pm Ayia Kyriaki

Evening Worship Revd Paul

BIBLE READINGS

Jonah 3:1-5, 10 Psalm 62:5-12 Hebrews 9:24-28 Mark 1:14-20

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty Father, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. AMEN.

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WELCOME We give you a warm welcome to the Anglican Church of Paphos - especially if you are a visitor. Please introduce yourself to Revd Paul, 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.

THE ONLY WAY FORWARD IS PEACE Read Archbishop Hosam's presentation to Diocesan Clergy on the Diocesan website here https://www.cypgulf.org/archbishop-hosam-the-only-way-forward-is-peace/. This is a longish and sobering read, but well worth the effort to gain a greater understanding of the challenges facing all Christians in Israel, Palestine, Lebanon and Syria. Do use this post to inform your prayers.

WEDNESDAY HOLY EUCHARIST Takes place at Ayia Kyriaki at 9.00 am and lasts for 30 mins. Members of all ACP churches are welcome to attend this service - especially if you are in the area!

BIBLE STUDY GROUP With Revd Paul continues at Saint Stephen's on **Wednesday 6 November at 1.30 pm** when we are studying First Thessalonians 4:1-12 'Living To Please God.' This will take place every two weeks and will involve worship, teaching and group discussion. Details can be found on the ACP and Revd Paul's website or via posters on notice boards. Contact Revd Paul if you would like more information.

PLEDGE CO-ORDINATOR Hilary Burge, our current pledge co-ordinator, will be standing down at the end of the year and we are very grateful for all Hilary has undertaken on our behalf in recent years. This means we are looking for someone to take up this role, which involves keeping a weekly record of contributions pledged to ACP. Anyone interested in serving ACP in this way can contact Hilary for further information on pledgeacp@gmail.com or +357 99298566 or look for Hilary Burge on WhatsApp. Hilary expects to be in Cyprus for about 3 weeks from 8 November and will meet up with anyone who might be interested in agreeing to fill the vacancy.

CHRISTMAS EVENTS Be sure to keep a look out for details of ACP Christmas Services around the parish in posters and on our website - and put the dates in your diary. Paul and Paula are planning an open house on **Saturday 21 December** with a Christmas Buffet and Carols. If anyone is interested in joining with other church members for lunch on **Christmas Day** at the Stephanie Restaurant please let Chris Hoskins know. The cost of a four course meal, including coffee and liqueur (and a visit from Father Christmas!) is €49.

SOCIAL MEDIA Don't forget to browse our website https://www.paphosanglicanchurch.org/ Revd Paul has a Chaplains Corner under links which include several articles of interest along with his weekly sermons. Revd Paul regularly posts on Facebook https://www.facebook.com/revpacman1/ be sure to like and share!

WEEKLY EMAIL If you'd like to receive a weekly email with details of church activities and notices please email churchsecretaryo4@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.

For Your Diary (And Prayers)		
	Weekly	Parish Prayers, Zoom, Tuesdays & Thursdays from 9.00 - 9.20 am
_	Weekly November	Holy Eucharist every Wednesday, Ayia Kyriaki at 9.00 am All Saints with All Souls 'Requiem' at Ayia Kyriaki at 6.00 pm
3	November	Worship Team meet on Zoom at 10.00 am
5	November	Nicosia Coach Trip - leaving at 7.45 am. Tickets €18 (Fundraiser for ACP)
6	November	Wednesday Bible Study 'Living To Please God' Saint Stephens at 1.30 pm
7	November	Quiz Night at Saint Stephen's. Tickets €5 (Fundraiser for ACP)
10	November	Remembrance Sunday, with Acts of Remembrance at all ACP Services
13	November	ACP Church Council meet at Saint Stephen's at 10.30 am
19	November	A Celebration of Choral Evensong at Ayia Kyriaki at 4.00 pm
20	November	Wednesday Bible Study 'The Hope Of Christ's Coming' Saint Stephens at 1.30 pm

We have set up a **WhatsApp Prayer Group** where members of the 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.

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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For Your Prayers

THE PROVINCE OF JERUSALEM AND THE MIDDLE EAST Pray for peace in Jerusalem, Palestine, Lebanon, Syria and Iran. Pray that Archbishop Hosam and all Christian churches will have a positive presence in the region. Pray for their perseverance, patience and resilience in the midst of all they are experiencing. Pray they will continue to be advocates for peace, justice and hope - both for the present and the future.

THE DIOCESE OF CYPRUS AND THE GULF Do pray for Bishop Sean, for Archdeacon Michael, the Diocesan staff, for the clergy and congregations of all churches in the Diocese and especially Father Drew and Saint Martin's, Sharjah. In the Prayer Diary https://www.cypgulf.org/prayer-diary we are asked to pray for:

w/c 3 November Saint Barnabas, Limassol and the Church of the Province of South East Asia w/c 10 November Saint Christopher's Cathedral, Bahrain and the Church of South India

OUR WORLD Pray for King Charles and for the UK Government and for leaders of the nations. Pray for the Presidential election in the USA. Pray for international unity seeking to halt the war in Ukraine and other places of conflict around the world.

USA HURRICANES Remember in your prayers those suffering the devastating after effects of Hurricane Milton in Florida and Hurricane Helene in the Carolinas.

THE PARISH OF ACP For our Clergy, Lay Ministers and Worship Leaders. For our Churchwardens, Church Council and all who serve the needs of the Parish. Pray for all the services and activities that take place in all three churches and for all those who visit us week by week. Pray for the unity, mission and ministry of all Christian churches in the Paphos region. Pray for our Wedding Ministry - for Amanda, Vergers, Clergy and for the couples who have and are being married or renewing their wedding vows. Pray, too, for the parents of children who have been baptised.

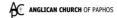
THOSE WHO ARE UNWELL Please remember in your prayers: John, Ruth N, Jilly W, Kathy R, John O, Alan B, Jim P, Fatemeh, Julia S, Heidi W, Jaxon (3 yr old boy), Julia (Bishop Michael's wife), Amanda B, Sylvia, Amanda G, Ian F, Paul N, Ann & Roger, Elizabeth, Alexander, Mary, Brenda, Maureen, David, Jenny, Dex, Pat, Laura, Bob D, Bruce & Margaret, Bob W and all those who weigh heavy on your heart, that God would bring healing and restoration to their body, soul and spirit.

THOSE WHO ARE BEREAVED Pray for those who grieve the loss of loves ones, that God in His mercy will sustain them with the knowledge of His love. We remember the family and friends of Brian Samways, Patricia Beaumont, Paul Foxen, Amanda Burrell and Craig Porter. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

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. The ZOOM link is here https://uso2web.zoom.us/ij/81835740721?pwd=WXJLSC9NYkQyblhaSzRKVWRoaXVGQTog

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Nicosia Coach Trip

Tuesday 5 November



7.45am prompt, depart OLD Superhome car park arriving at IKEA/Mall at 10am.

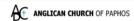
12 noon depart IKEA/Mall for Old Town (Ledera Street)
4.30pm depart the Old Town - 5pm picking up anyone at IKEA/Mall
Onward journey to Paphos, arriving approximately 6.45pm.

Remember passport and yellow slip if you wish to cross the border

Tickets €18 each

From the usual church salespeople

Everyone Welcome



Quiz Night

and finger buffet

Thursday 7 November at St Stephen's Church, Tala

Finger buffet at 7.00pm prompt Quiz begins at 8.00pm

Form a team with your friends and family or come on your own and be teamed-up

Tickets €5 each (bring your own drinks)

Proceeds to Church funds

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