

Ayia Kyriaki, Kato Paphos; St. Luke's Prodromi
and St. Stephen's, Tala

A Parish in the DIOCESE OF CYPRUS AND THE GULF

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We are committed, through Jesus, to sharing God's love
for all peoples and growing in our love for Him
and for one another.

Sunday 13th October 2019

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Parish Priest: The Reverend Andrew Burt

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Readings for Sunday 13th October

Page Numbers for St. Stephen's only

First Reading: 2 Kings 5: 1-3, 7-15a -- Page 263
Psalm: Psalm 111- Page 434
Second Reading: 2 Timothy 2: 8-15 - Page 842
Gospel: Luke 17: 11-19 - Page 741

Organ Music for both services at Ayia Kyriaki

Before: Adagio – J.S. Bach
After: Prelude – J. Pachelbel

Choir at 6.00pm Service

Motet: O Sacrum Convivium – M. Garau

Sunday 20th October

First Reading: Genesis 32: 22-31 -- Page 25
Psalm: Psalm 121- Page 440
Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3: 14 - 4:5 - Page 843
Gospel: Luke 18: 1-8 - Page 742

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***COLLECT & PRAYERS FOR THIS WEEK***

**Collect:** Gracious God, you call us to fullness of life: deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

**The World Council of Churches' Cycle of Prayer:** We pray for Belize, Guatemala, Honduras and Mexico. We pray for the stopping of corruption, drug traffic and violence, and we pray for church leaders who have spoken out and acted on behalf of the poor and marginalized.

**In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** We pray for the Church of the Province of West Africa, the Most Reverend Dr Daniel Sarfo – Primate and

Metropolitan, CPWA; Archbishop of the Internal Province of Ghana and Bishop of Kumasi.

**Our Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East:** We pray for the primate, The Most Reverend Suheil Dawani and his provincial officers. We pray this week for calming of the civil unrest in Iraq. We also pray for the mental health and psychological support programmes being implemented by Cordaid.

**Our Diocese:** We pray today for our link with Exeter Diocese, for Bishop Robert, his clergy and people, and for the three-way link with us and Thika. This week we pray for St. Mark's Famagusta, the chaplain the Reverend Peter Day, and the congregation of mainly international students We also pray for the institution of the Diocesan revised plan for 2020.

**In our own Parish of Paphos:** We ask all to hold in prayer the Parish Priest Andrew, our Interim Associate Priest Canon Anthony, and readers Ann, Ray. We pray for all those involved in the half-day Parish Review taking place this week, for insight and wisdom as the future of our Parish is explored.

Please remember in your prayers the family and friends of **Raymond Stock** whose funeral service took place last Thursday.

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WHAT'S GOING ON TODAY AND THIS WEEK

Sunday 13th October

8.15am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki
9.30am Holy Communion - St. Luke's
11.00am Morning Worship - St. Stephen's
6.00pm Sung Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki

Wednesday 16th October

9.00am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki

Friday 18th October

2.00pm Craft and Coffee - St. Stephen's
6.00pm Paphos Big Sing - Ayia Kyriaki

Saturday 19th October

7.00pm Beetle Drive - Stephanie Restaurant

Sunday 20th October - St. Luke's Patronal Festival

8.15am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki
9.30am Holy Communion - St. Luke's
11.00am Holy Communion - St. Stephen's
6.00pm Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki

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### **Duty Wardens for this week**

**Ayia Kyriaki** - Trisha Payne

**St. Stephen's** - Chris Hoskins

**St. Luke's** - Jayne Preston

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Gift Aid can boost Church finances: If you pay UK income or capital gains tax please help the Church by using the blue Gift Aid envelopes for your Open Plate donations. This will add approximately 25% to any donations you make, as the Church can reclaim the basic rate of tax from your donations. If you are or intend to donate via the Pledge Giving Scheme, you can complete a one-off Gift Aid declaration. **Please ask for a pen if you need one.**

To make a Gift Aid declaration, you will need to pay UK Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax in any tax year greater than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all your Gift Aid donations in that year, or you will be responsible for any difference. Income tax includes tax credits on UK dividend income. Boosting the Church income in this way will be a very

welcome additional contribution to finances.

For our visitors and any residents eligible to Gift Aid:

PLEASE, if you are putting your donation in a Gift Aid envelope, would you make sure that the details on the front of the envelope are completed; if this is not done, we are unable to claim the tax refund.

GENERAL NOTICES

Personal Possessions: Please would you ensure that you have oversight, at all times, of your possessions during the service. Thank you.

House for Duty Post – Advertisement: Council took the decision to re-advertise this post and the advertisement will appear in the Church Times on Friday 4th and 11th October. Please pray that, this time, we will be successful in attracting applicants for Canon Anthony's post and that the recruitment process will be straightforward. Reverend Andrew.

Half-Day Parish Review: Some months ago, the Council took the decision to hold a special half-day meeting to review where we are as a parish, to explore how we can respond to changes that are happening, both, in the parish and to external changes, and to investigate how we can make our presence better known in Paphos and Polis and so attract more people to our churches. This meeting will take place during the morning of Thursday 17th October at the Latin Parish hall and will be led by an outside facilitator – Tricia Evans. Archdeacon Christopher will be in attendance. Please pray for this meeting and for all those involved in it. Reverend Andrew.

Parish Electoral Roll Officer: Gordon Redpath and his wife Norma, are returning, permanently, to the UK at the end of the month. Gordon has been our electoral roll officer for some time. As a new Electoral Roll Officer will not be voted in until the AGM next March 2020, the Church Secretary, Di Sylvester, has agreed to cover this role in the interim period. Would you please let her know on ACPDDataController@gmail.com if you have made recent changes to your address, telephone/mobile number or email address; in order to keep this roll up to date. Many thanks. Di Sylvester.

Volunteers: volunteers are the backbone of our parish, but do you know who the volunteers are who clean St Luke's church, each week or who compile the rosters of readers and intercessors or who work as wedding vergers? Thank you to all who volunteer their services to the parish. We are always in need of your help but we especially need to find two new wedding vergers (speak to Di Sylvester, Linda Turner or Carolyn Hart if you are interested) and new volunteers to assist the Pastoral Care Team (see Judith Perrett or the Directory in the WNS) and most particularly to lead intercessions in each of our churches. Anyone can volunteer to assist with the above be they permanent resident or swallow. Assistance will be given to help you 'find your feet' with each position. Please prayerfully consider how you might be able to help us to further the work of the parish. Reverend Andrew.

Parish Christmas Cards 2019: Update 3: Thank you to all who have already placed your order and to those of you who are still thinking about it. Our cards are now on sale. Buy your cards, now! Remember, proceeds go towards our church funds and your support is vital. Do enthuse your friends to buy and let us know if there is an opportunity to place our cards for sale outside of our three churches. Flyers are still available – your help with publicity is really important. Again, thanks to all who are organising the sale of our cards. Reverend Andrew.

Final Thought: *The Season of Autumn* is not far away with the changes that it brings. Thinking of changes, have you ever thought of worshipping in one of our other two churches? Would you enjoy a change – a change of meeting different people? The service booklet will be the same – the hymnbook will be different. As we think about change in the parish – would you benefit from a change of scene – even for one Sunday? Reverend Andrew.

NOTICES FOR TODAY, THIS WEEK & NEXT SUNDAY

Paphos Big Sing – Friday 18th October 6.00pm, Ayia Kyriaki: back by popular demand, this 'Big Sing' of well-known hymns will take place at the end of the week. It is, as ever, a joint venture between our parish and the

Latin parish and Father Jim and Canon Anthony will take a lead in the service. If you enjoy singing hymns, in good company, then you need to mark this date in your diary. I look forward to singing in your company! Reverend Andrew.

Beetle Drive – Saturday 19th October – Stephanie Restaurant, 7.00-for 7.30pm. Our Social Committee is organising another Beetle Drive and would appreciate your support and company. Tickets cost €16.00 for a three-course roast meal and are available, from Sunday 22nd September. Please support this event. Reverend Andrew.

Patronal Festivals: Friday 18th October is the official feast-day for St Luke the Evangelist and so on Sunday 20th October St Luke's congregation will mark and commemorate St Luke. The feast-day for St Stephen is 26th December. A decision was taken, this year to move the commemoration of St Stephen to Sunday 27th October when a special service of Holy Communion will mark this Patronal Festival. All are welcome to either of these special services. Reverend Andrew.

ADVANCE NOTICES

Autumn Bazaar: with the demise of the Christmas Fayre, the first of our charity fundraising events, the **Autumn Bazaar**, will take place on **Saturday 26th October at St Stephen's from 10 am to 2 pm.** Beneficiaries of this Bazaar will be The Friend's Hospice, Cancer Patients' Support Group and Paphos Kidney Association.

Your help is needed - we still require good quality bric-a-brac items (including electrical), cakes, preserves and jams for sale and **more helpers.**

If you are able to provide any of the above, please contact

Mary Brown (99 863194) or Chris Hoskins (97 753973) at St Stephens.

Please help to publicise this Bazaar by taking a poster (from your Warden) and placing it for others to see. Your help is much appreciated.

Grand Card Sale: Come along to the Charity Autumn Bazaar at St. Stephen's on October 26th 10am to 2pm.

All recycled cards will be on sale at half price.....this will be your last chance to buy these cards and all proceeds will go to Friends' Hospice, Cancer Patients' Support and Paphos Kidney Association.

We look forward to your support for this final time!! Sue and Lou

Carol Singing: We have permission to sing Carols around the tree in the Mall on **Friday 13th December** at 4pm. This is an opportunity for us to reach out to the local community. We want to be able to represent all three of our churches, you do not have to be in the choir, but just enjoy singing well known carols. Paul will be playing the electric piano. We need a minimum of 25 people and if we have 100 then brilliant. Please put the date in your diary and your Wardens will remind you nearer the time. Please let your warden know you will be attending.

SOCIAL AND FUNDRAISING EVENTS

Friends, Neighbours, Visitors - all are welcome

19th October - Beetle Drive, Stephanie Restaurant, 7.00 for 7.30pm.
(See separate notice for further details)

8th November - Annual Dinner Dance at the Kamares Club

12th November - Nicosia Coach Trip

Ticket Sellers:

Ayia Kyriaki: Morning: Carolyn Hart (97762371)

Evening: Duty Warden

St. Luke's: Jayne Preston (96 511321)

St. Stephen's: Caroline & Ian Geddes (Tel: 99 417976)

News sheet items to Sarah Sait, please, by 10.00 a. m. on the Wednesday before publication. Tel: 26 272502; Mob: 99 437892; Email: sarahsait1995@gmail.com

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SAINT PAUL'S CATHOLIC PARISH
AND
THE ANGLICAN CHURCH OF PAPHOS

PROUDLY PRESENT

THE PAPHOS BIG SING

(A SERVICE OF HYMNS AND REFLECTION)



AT
AYIA KYRIAKI CHURCH, KATO PAPHOS
(near St Paul's Pillar)

ON
FRIDAY 18th OCTOBER 2019
COMMENCING AT 6.00 pm

for more information, please contact:
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AUTUMN BAZAAR

IN AID OF
Friend's Hospice, Cancer Patients' Support and
Paphos Kidney Association



SATURDAY 26
OCTOBER
10.00 am TO 2.00 pm
at
ST STEPHEN'S
CHURCH
Stephanie Village, Tala

ADMISSION - FREE

Stalls include:
cakes, jams, preserves, crafts,
Christmas cards, jewellery,
greetings cards, plants, bric-a-brac
and many more.

for more details, contact:
churchsecretary04@gmail.com or ring 99 103976

Dinner Dance



Friday 8th November
at
The Kamares Club

6.30 for 7 pm

€30

(excluding drinks)

A fundraising event for the
Anglican Church of Paphos

*Entertainment and Music by
Louise Verony and Colin Wright*

delicious 3-course Buffet Meal

Grand Raffle - with great prizes

dress code: jackets/cocktail

Make up a table – family and friends welcome

Tickets are available from your Church Warden
For more information, please contact:
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