



**ANGLICAN CHURCH OF PAPHOS**

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 28th April 2019**

**Easter 2 - Year C**

**Parish Priest: The Reverend Andrew Burt**

**Interim Assoc. Priest: The Revd Canon Anthony Stidolph**

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*For our Orthodox Brothers and Sisters*

**ΧΡΙΣΤΟΣ ΑΝΕΣΤΗ! ΑΛΗΘΩΣ ΑΝΕΣΤΗ!**

**ΑΛΛΗΛΟΥΙΑ!**

**Readings for Sunday 28th April**

**Page Numbers for St. Stephen's only**

**First Reading:** Acts 5: 27-32 -- Page 774  
**Psalm:** Psalm 150 - Page 449  
**Second Reading:** Revelation 1: 4-8 - Page 867  
**Gospel:** John 20: 19-31 - Page 769

**Organ Music for both services**

**Before:** Prelude & Fugue in E minor - J.S. Bach  
**After:** Nimrod - Sir E. Elgar

**Sunday 5th May**

**First Reading:** Acts 9: 1-20 -- Page 777  
**Psalm:** Psalm 30 - Page 394  
**Second Reading:** Revelation 5: 11-14 - Page 870  
**Gospel:** John 21: 1-19 - Page 769

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

**Collect:** Risen Christ, for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred: open the doors of our hearts, that we may seek the good of others and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace, to the praise of God the Father. Amen.

**Anglican Communion:** As we remember the recent bombings in Sri Lanka on Easter Sunday, please join with Christians throughout the world in

praying for those who have lost their lives, for the injured and the bereaved and for the government's response to such an atrocity. We pray, as well, for the misguided perpetrators of such evil and inhuman acts, and that all people will have respect and tolerance for the each other's religious beliefs and ways of worship.

**Our Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East:** We pray for the Province, and our fellow dioceses of Egypt, Iran and Jerusalem, and for common unity and diversity in the promotion of the Gospel to all the lands covered by this vast area.

**Our Diocese:** We pray for the church of St. John the Evangelist Deryneia, for the Reverend Peter Day and for their congregation within the Ammochostos parish, worshipping in the Orthodox church of St. Fanourios at the invitation of the Orthodox bishop and local municipality.

**In our own Parish of Paphos:** We pray for our Orthodox brothers and sisters as they celebrate the glorious Easter day; giving thanks, with our Latin brothers and sisters, for the kind permission of the Orthodox Church to be able to worship in Ayia Kyriaki.

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## *WHAT'S GOING ON TODAY AND THIS WEEK*

### **Sunday 28th April**

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

### **Wednesday 1st May**

9.00am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki  
10.30am Prayer Support Team Meeting - St. Stephen's

### **Friday 3rd May**

2.00pm Craft and Coffee - St. Stephen's

### **Sunday 5th May**

8.15am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki  
9.30am Morning Worship - St. Luke's  
11.00am Holy Communion - St. Stephen's  
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## *THIS PARISH OF OURS*

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

**Ayia Kyriaki** - Trisha Payne

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

**St. Luke's** - Catherine Elliott

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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.

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*GENERAL NOTICES*

**Easter thanks:** Reverend Andrew and Canon Anthony wish to thank all who have offered greetings by way of cards (electronic or paper) or simply by word of mouth. All your greetings are much appreciated, looked forward to and enjoyed.

A very special thank you to all who contributed to the floral arrangements in our three churches and to those who created them. They really looked stunning and added greatly to our Easter worship. Thank you. Reverend Andrew.

**Reverend Andrew - Days off:** Reverend Andrew will be taking Monday and Tuesday as days' off, next week and reverting, where possible, to Thursday as his day off from the week beginning Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May.

**Celebratory Moments:** I am well aware of how good we are at celebrating those big moments – especially significant birthdays - and rightly so! But have you ever thought of celebrating a significant anniversary – perhaps a wedding anniversary – with celebrations that have a distinctive Christian flavour. In the parish we often conduct up to twelve Services, a year, to renew and reaffirm wedding vows. These are very special services (see our wedding website for a sample copy) that can be tailored to the couple concerned and are often celebrated with family and friends, gathered. BUT, in over two and a half years we have not conducted such a service for any of our parishioners! You are good at coming to church, so why not come to church to celebrate a significant anniversary, a wedding anniversary, or perhaps another occasion. Your clergy are just waiting to be asked – make use of them! Reverend Andrew.

**The Archdeacon's Visitation Service:** once a year, Archdeacon John conducts his visitation service in St Paul's Cathedral in Nicosia. This is an important service that brings together parishioners from every Anglican parish on the island and is of a celebratory nature. The archdeacon preaches and his sermon can be loosely likened to a 'state of the nation' address in which he highlights significant progress (as well as challenges) that has been made in parochial and Diocesan matters that affect island parishes. Of course, with Archdeacon John; there is always a strong theological and biblical framework to all that he has to say. Celebrations continue after the service with tea and cake. This year's Archdeacon's visitation takes place on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 2.30pm in the Cathedral. All are welcome to attend, and I am sure that you would find space in a car if you need a lift. Reverend Andrew.

**Attention all creative parishioners! The Anglican Church of Paphos needs you!**

Every year as many of you are already aware, the Anglican churches of Ayia Kyriaki, Paphos, St. Stephen's, Tala and St. Luke's, Prodromi sell quality printed Christmas cards. The money raised is donated to support the work of the church. Each year since 2015 card sales have raised more than €2000. Printing costs this year will kindly be paid for by the church as agreed by the Council.

I am happy to accept entries for a card design from anybody in the parish or linked to the parish be it home or abroad.

If you would like to submit a card design, please read the following information.

**Design a card in colour to be printed on white card in A6 10 × 15 cm size.** The illustration can be portrait or landscape photographic artwork in a variety of mediums or a graphic design, but they need to be *original* first hand pieces which must be A3 or A4 to permit scanning. A Christmas greeting can be included in the design. This can be added at the print shop stage if space is left for it. Metallic paints cannot be printed so use a shade

of yellow ochre, for example, instead of gold. Pastel colours tend to appear faded after printing. As the card will be quite compact it is advisable to use a design that is not too cluttered. A simple image can be very effective. After the designs are submitted a panel of people from the congregation including Reverend Andrew will choose the final four cards which are unnamed at this stage for a fair selection. The artists will then be asked to give their permission to print their designs exclusively for the church. Their name will be acknowledged on the back of each card and their work will be copyrighted.

I want to appeal to as wide an audience as possible who will enjoy seeing the cards in their homes this Christmastide both here and overseas.

Themes have been selected and these are: Nativity, A Paphos/Cyprus Christmas, A Christmas Carol, Christmas Tree, Christmas Gift.

Designs can be submitted to me via the Ayia Kyriaki office, any time up to Monday 3rd June as an original piece or submitted by email. Please use as high a resolution as you can if scanning and emailing.

**Thank you for your interest. I hope that you will feel inspired to get creative and share your time and talent to make card sales for 2019 a sell-out success. Please contact me if you need any more information.**

**Christina Marsh 96 015718 or email [chrismarshy2012@hotmail.com](mailto:chrismarshy2012@hotmail.com)**

**Thank you:** Catherine Whyteside would like to thank all those who donated money towards the Easter flowers in Ayia Kyriaki enabling her to produce the wonderful flower arrangements that we enjoyed on Easter Day.

### *NOTICES FOR TODAY AND THIS WEEK*

**Prayer Support Group:** The next meeting of the Prayer Support Group will be on **Wednesday 1st May** at 10.00a.m. in St Stephen's Church, Tala. If you know of someone requiring our prayers, please would you inform Liz Jackson-Moore or Joan Brewster as soon as possible. The consent of the

person who you wish to recommend is required, before they can be added to our list.

### *ADVANCE NOTICES*

**Organ Recitals:** Our series of Summer lunchtime organ recitals will commence on **Monday, 6th May** at noon and thereafter on the first Monday of each month until Monday, 2nd September. Reverend Canon Anthony Stidolph will play on the 6th May and he and Paul Timmins will then alternate each month.

Entry will be free but there will be a retiring collection to be divided equally between The Friends' Hospice and The Archangel Michael Hospice of Paphos.

**Paphos Big Sing.** A Celebration of Easter Hymns - **Friday 10th May**, 6pm at Ayia Kyriaki.

Come and join us singing some of the popular Easter Hymns such as:  
Christ the Lord is Risen, Alleluia.

This Joyful Eastertide.

Hail the day that sees him rise.

Ye Choirs of new Jerusalem.

Thine be the Glory. and more.

We are hoping that there may be one or two parishioners who would be willing to comment on a particular hymn, chosen for the service, from the point of view of saying why that hymn is special to them e.g. it may have been sung at their wedding and is special because ... or it may be that a hymn reminds them of a significant moment in their lives and they would enjoy sharing that with us in the service. If you would like to help, please speak to Canon Anthony.

All are welcome no matter what your faith or no faith, if you enjoy a good sing come and join us.

There will be a retiring collection to cover costs, the remainder to be divided equally between the Roman Catholic and Anglican communities.

For further information please contact Fr. Jim 99 793169

## *SOCIAL AND FUNDRAISING EVENTS*

*Friends, Neighbours, Visitors - all are welcome*

**17th May** - Mini Golf - Tickets are now available, cost €15.

**8th June** - Barn Dance at Yiannis Restaurant, Kathikas

**20th July** - Annual BBQ

**15th August** - Latchi Boat Trip

**29th September** - Harvest Lunch at the Kamares Club

**5th October** - Gala Party / Sponsored Swim. Details to follow.

**19th October** - Beetle Drive

**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)

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Morris Dancing

Island Blend  
Singers

### Faith – with Thomas in mind:

‘The fact that we may have a strong faith does not mean that life will be plain-sailing for us. What faith does is to give us bearings, thus enabling us to live in a topsy-turvy world without getting lost or giving into despair.

Just as swimmers trust that if they don’t panic, and if they do a few simple things, then the power of the sea will uphold them, so believers entrust their lives to a power greater than themselves. That power is the power of God, who brought his Son, Jesus back from the dead.’

Taken from *New Sunday and Holy Day Liturgies*, Flor McCarthy, 2012.