

THE ANGLICAN CHURCH of PAPHOS

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The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem
and the Middle East

(a Province of the Anglican Communion)

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

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 3rd July 2016 - Sixth after Trinity

Thomas the Apostle - Year C



THE ANGLICAN CHURCH OF PAPHOS
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Readings for Sunday 3rd July - Thomas the Apostle

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Psalm: Psalm 31: 1-6... Page 395
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Sunday 10th July

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30: 9-14... Page 147
Psalm: Psalm 25: 1-10... Page 393
Second Reading: Colossians 1: 1-14... Page 833
Gospel: Luke 10: 25-37... Page 735

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### *PRAYERS FOR THIS WEEK*

We pray for Archbishop Justin and the Anglican Communion throughout the world; for all Primates, priests and lay ministers; and especially for the ministry of all recently ordained as priests and deacons during Petertide. We pray for the business of synod to be carried on through the year by those who serve on the Bishop's Council and Standing and Finance Committee. We pray for Holy Trinity Dubai situated near the Creek, in a large compound hosting huge numbers of guest worshippers as well as Anglican congregations; and we give thanks that on Fridays, Sundays, and throughout the week both rich and poor come to Holy Trinity to witness, praise, and pray. In our own Parish of Paphos we continue to give thanks for the ministry of our Worship Team under the guidance of the Revd. Canon Anthony,

supported by the Revd. Marian PTO and our Readers; for the continued provision of all our services throughout this interregnum, soon to end with the arrival of our Parish Priest Designate, the Revd. Andrew Burt. May God give grace abundantly, and may we increasingly work together to make his presence known in our midst and in the world around us. Amen.

**Cathy Semple:** Canon Anthony on behalf of the Parish has written to the Revd. Sean Semple, currently Vicar of Weobley in the Diocese of Hereford and formerly of St. Helena's, Larnaca and a good friend to our Wedding Ministry, on the death of his wife Cathy and mother of Kyle and Lex; and to assure him of our continuing prayers at this very sad and difficult time for the family.

**For further prayers during the week** please go to our Diocesan Prayer Guide Booklet and also the Anglican Communion website:  
[www.anglicancommunion.org/acp](http://www.anglicancommunion.org/acp)

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

### **Sunday 3rd July - Thomas the Apostle**

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

### **Wednesday 6th July**

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

### **Friday 8th July**

2.00pm Craft & Coffee - St. Stephen's

### **Sunday 10th July**

8.15am Holy Eucharist (Bishop Michael) - Ayia Kyriaki  
 9.30am Holy Eucharist - St. Luke's  
 11.00am Morning Worship - St. Stephen's  
 6.00pm Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki

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The Church Council have agreed to display a monthly "running total" showing income against outgoings provided by the Hon. Treasurer. This replaces the list of Collections and Pledges published weekly.

Accounts for MAY 2016 and year-to-date 2016

Money Received in May 2016 from Congregations:	€7,221
Money Received from Weddings:	€19,787
Money received from 101 Club:	€2,544
Money received from other sources:	€2,883
Money spent in May 2016:	- €11,439
SURPLUS MAY 2016	€20,996
Money Received in YTD from Congregations:	€32,171
Money Received YTD from Weddings:	€29,881
Money Received from 101 Club YTD:	€11,253
Money Received from other sources YTD:	€13,423
Money Spent in 2016 YTD:	- €67,300
SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) MAY 2016 YTD:	€19,428

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*THIS PARISH OF OURS*

*Duty Wardens for this week*

**Ayia Kyriaki - 8.15 a.m.** - Sarah Sait

**Ayia Kyriaki - 6.00 p.m.** - Sarah Sait + week

**St. Stephen's** - Bob Cross

**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.

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.

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*GENERAL NOTICES*

**St. Stephen's Diary and Shrapnel Fund:** Norma Redpath (99 077124 or 26 654392) has kindly agreed to stand in for Tim Sabben-Clare in taking charge of both of these items while Tim & Susie are on holiday, returning on 4th July.

**St. George's in the Forest, Troodos:** Services will be held at St. George's in the Forest at 4pm each Sunday until 25th September. If you are resident or on holiday and taking a drive up to Troodos on a Sunday, please do consider joining the service.

**Craft Group:** Do you remember the sugar flowers that were on Cindy and Brian's wedding cake? The lady who made those flowers has offered to show members and friends of the Craft Group how to make them.

If you are interested please phone Mary Brown on 99 863194 or email her on maryb42@hotmail.co.uk .

**Turkey and Tinsel:** Last year many of us enjoyed a pre-Christmas celebration at the Turkey and Tinsel weekend at the Atlantica Miramar hotel in Limassol. I have been invited to make an advance group reservation this year for the first weekend in December - Two nights all-inclusive for two people will cost a total of €218 (Friday lunch through to and including Sunday breakfast; all food, local drinks and entertainment included). If you think you may wish to join us I need your expression of interest confirmed to me by e-mail (raycathelliott@mail.com) no later than 6th July. Tickets will be in short supply as the weekend is so popular, so get your name to me if you think you may like to join us. Final confirmation and payment will not be needed until early September.

*Ray Elliott, St. Luke's, Prodromi*

**Stamp Collection:** Please remember that we are still collecting stamps, from any country, that can be sold and the money raised will go towards church funds. As the purchaser lives in the States, he would prefer no United States stamps if possible please; he will purchase the

stamps and also reimburse the church for the postage of the stamps to him. So do please remember to keep saving your stamps.

**Anniversary Hymn Competition:** This year is the 40th anniversary of our Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf and a competition is being held for a commemorative hymn to be included in the 40th anniversary celebrations. It can be a hymn of thanksgiving for our past, celebration of the present or a prayer for the future. Or maybe all three. It should be between two and four verses, sung to a well-known tune of your choice. The closing date is September 1st and a distinguished panel of judges, including the Bishop and Archdeacon Robert Jones, will pick the winner. Send your hymn to the Diocesan Office or email to:  
archdeacon.john@cypgulf.org

Paphos already has one entry but, if you feel that you can write a suitable hymn, why not have a go; you never know, you might win!

**St. Stephen's Parking:** Please can members when attending St. Stephen's on Sundays or for choir practice etc., park in the side roads. The area outside of St. Stephen's should be kept clear for dropping off infirm members. If cars for disabled people are parked on the area directly outside the Church, to stay clear of the law people must park so as not to obstruct the footpath, an area of 1.2 to 1.8 metres directly adjacent to the roadside. People should not park on the main road either.

The Tala Community board, and local residents as well as the many through-traffic users of the junction of Stephanie Ave/Mytiade Stylianou Ave (which passes St. Stephen's) would much appreciate cooperation in this matter. (It should be noted that Police Spot Checks

have been promised and we do not want any of our people being fined).

### *NOTICES FOR TODAY, THIS WEEK & NEXT SUNDAY*

**Café Direct:** There will be NO Café Direct sales today as Colin Evans is in hospital; as Annette is still unable to drive if anyone needs supplies please phone 26 422387 and maybe collection can be arranged

**Prayer Support Team:** The Prayer Support Team will be holding their next meeting on Wednesday, 6th July at 10.30 at St. Stephen's. Please pass any updates or new requests for prayer to a member of the team or to me, Liz Jackson-Moore, on 26 652179. We always welcome new members.

**Pastoral Training: Saturday 9th July 10.00 - 14.30** St. Paul's Cathedral, Nicosia; led by Canon Paul Maybury and Dean Jeremy Crocker. A poster giving further details and how to book is on your church notice board.

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**Troodos Retreats:** Invitation to be still and listen at St. George's Church, Troodos. Two independent day retreats will take place on Saturdays **16th July and 27th August 2016**, led by Maggie Le-Roy, Retreats Facilitator. Please make a note of these dates, details of the retreat on the 16th July on the notice boards and details of the retreat on the 27th August to follow soon.

**Women's Group:** There is no meeting of the Women's Group during the months of July and August.

However, to bridge the gap until September, the Women's Group will be hosting a coffee morning from 10.30am - 12.30pm on Thursday, 28th July at the Ayios Neophytos Monastery Café in Tala. All are welcome to come and enjoy a drink in a cool, relaxing atmosphere.

You can find more information about the Group at the Church's website: <http://paphosanglicanchurch.org/about-us/community/womens-group/>

**DIARY DATE:**

**The Licensing of Revd. Andrew Keith Burtt**, as Parish Priest, will take place on **Saturday 17th September** at 2pm in Ayia Kyriaki.

This will be a "ticketed" occasion so get your ticket from 31st July.

If you are going to be in U.K. or elsewhere throughout August to mid-September - **TELL YOUR WARDEN** who will save your ticket.

Thank you. *Jacquie Hammond*

*SMALL ADS*

**Disclaimer:** Anglican Church of Paphos disclaims liability for the validity of advertisements including the safety and reliability of electrical and mechanical goods and services itemised in the Weekly Notice Sheet. Discussions and potential sales are solely the responsibility of the vendor and purchaser.

**FOR SALE: BMW 1 Series, 118i Convertible 2011.** 4 cylinder 1995cc petrol engine. Sapphire black metallic, charcoal grey electric roof, black interior. Auto/Tiptronic 60,000 Kms.

BMW Cyprus demonstrator then one private owner. Rain sensor, auto lights and wipers; multi-function steering wheel; radio/CD; cruise control; rear parking sensors; A/C and climate control; roll-over

protection; flat run tyres; on-board diagnostics and much more. Free BMW servicing up to 100,000 KM. Price €19,750 ovno. Call Trisha on 96 318102.

*SOCIAL AND FUNDRAISING EVENTS*

Due to the service for Revd. Andrew Burtt on the 17th September, a couple of the Social & Fundraising events have changed.

**Saturday 23 July** - Annual BBQ at Peyia Forest commencing 5pm at a cost of €8. Tickets will be available from Sunday 10th July.

**Thursday 1 September** - Evening boat trip at Latchi (tbc)

**Sunday 9th October** - Harvest Lunch to be held at the Kamares Club - details to follow.

**Saturday 15th October** - Bowling at Polis - **CANCELLED**

**Saturday 5 November** - Fantasia Club - Buffet and Quiz/Raffle - 6.30 for 7.00pm.

**Tuesday 15 November** - Nicosia Shopping Trip.

**Ticket Sellers:**

**Ayia Kyriaki:** Morning: Carolyn Hart (97 762371)  
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. Mob: 99 437892;**

**Email: [sarahsait1995@gmail.com](mailto:sarahsait1995@gmail.com)**

## 101 CLUB WEEKLY WINNERS – JUNE 2016

| Week no. | Date     | Prize                 | Amount | Number | Winner              |
|----------|----------|-----------------------|--------|--------|---------------------|
| Week 18  | 05/06/16 | 1 <sup>st</sup> Prize | €101   | 87     | Anonymous (SS)      |
|          |          | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize | €51    | 28     | Not taken           |
|          |          | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize | €21    | 93     | Not taken           |
| Week 19  | 12/06/16 | 1 <sup>st</sup> Prize | €101   | 13     | Jacque Hammond (AK) |
|          |          | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize | €51    | 24     | Not taken           |
|          |          | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize | €21    | 10     | Roger Gibson (SL)   |
| Week 20  | 19/06/16 | 1 <sup>st</sup> Prize | €101   | 52     | Not taken           |
|          |          | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize | €51    | 48     | Not taken           |
|          |          | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize | €21    | 56     | Not taken           |
| Week 21  | 26/06/16 | 1 <sup>st</sup> Prize | €101   | 22     | Anonymous (SS)      |
|          |          | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize | €51    | 81     | Not taken           |
|          |          | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize | €21    | 71     | Not taken           |

## CONTACTS

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**Associate Priest**

The Reverend Canon Anthony Stidolph

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**Friends' Hospice**

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Trev Sait

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**Wardens**

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Jacque Hammond

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Chris Hoskins

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Margaret Keeble

26 422380

Jayne Preston

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