



ANGLICAN CHURCH OF PAPHOS

Ayia Kyriaki, Kato Paphos; St. Luke's Prodrumi
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 5th May 2019

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Parish Priest: The Reverend Andrew Burt

Interim Assoc. Priest: The Revd Canon Anthony Stidolph

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Readings for Sunday 5th May

Page Numbers for St. Stephen's only

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

Organ Music for both services

Before: Variations sur thème de Clément Jannequin -
J. Alain
Communion: Voluntary VII - J. Stanley
After: Fantasia in G major - J. S. Bach

Sunday 12th May

First Reading: Acts 9: 36-43 -- Page 778
Psalm: Psalm 23 - Page 392
Second Reading: Revelation 7: 9-17 - Page 871
Gospel: John 10: 22-30 - Page 760

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## *COLLECT & PRAYERS FOR THIS WEEK*

**Collect:** Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us also to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**Anglican Communion:** From the WCC Ecumenical Cycle of Prayer: O Creator and Mighty God, you have promised strength for the weak, rest for the labourers, light for the way, grace for the trials, help from above, unfailing sympathy, undying love. O Creator and Mighty God help us to continue in your promise. Amen.

**Our Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East:** We pray for our Province, and that wisdom will bring cohesion and unity to its four dioceses to the glory of our Risen Lord.

**Our Diocese:** We pray for the Parishes and Chaplaincies, and the network of congregations that make up the diocese and for their work and witness. This week we hold in our prayers St. Luke's Ras Al Khaimah, its priest the Reverend Kent Middleton, the congregations and the Saturday Junior Church for all denominations.

**In our own Parish of Paphos:** We pray for our Parish Priest the Reverend Andrew, our Interim Associate Priest the Reverend Canon Anthony, for our congregations at our three worship centres; for our Pastoral Care teams, and next Wednesday's Church Council meeting.

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WHAT'S GOING ON TODAY AND THIS WEEK

Sunday 5th May

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

Monday 6th May

12.00pm Lunchtime Organ recital - Ayia Kyriaki

Wednesday 8th May

9.00am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki
10.00am Church Council Meeting - St. Stephen's

Friday 10th May

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

Sunday 12th May

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

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## *THIS PARISH OF OURS*

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

**Ayia Kyriaki** - Sarah Sait

**St. Stephen's** - Bryn Jones

**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.

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## *GENERAL NOTICES*

**Reverend Andrew - Days off:** Reverend Andrew will be reverting, where

possible, to Thursday as his day off from the week beginning Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May.

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

**Security in our Churches:** we receive a lot of visitors to our churches, particularly to Ayia Kyriaki. Occasionally, a stray object or bag can be left unattended. If you notice such a bag or object, and are in any way concerned, please alert one of our wardens or the sides-person who is on duty. We would rather that you erred on the side of caution.

Reverend Andrew

**Sponsored Walk:** a heart-felt thank you to all who participated in the sponsored walk, to those who provided the organisation on the day, and for all of you who supported our efforts or sponsored a walker(s). We are still awaiting the final sponsorship total. If you are collecting sponsorship money, please chase those who are still outstanding. It would be good to be able to have a final figure in two weeks' time. Reverend Andrew.

**The new Cypriot General Healthcare System (GESY)** The British High Commission has asked that you be alerted to the following information:

The new Cypriot Healthcare System (GESY) opened for registration for some categories of users from 24<sup>th</sup> April. From this date, adults aged 16 and over can register both in the General Healthcare System register as well as in the register of their personal doctor/GP of preference. The Cypriot authorities have confirmed that UK state pensioners who are also S1 form holders will be entitled to free state healthcare under GESY, but they will need to register.

From 6 May 2019, children and teenagers aged up to 18 years old can also register both in the GHS register as well as in the register of their preferred paediatrician.

As GESY is a local initiative/process and does not in any way relate to the UK government or the British High Commission, any queries or issues with registration should be directed to them - they are very receptive to emails:

[info@gesy.org.cy](mailto:info@gesy.org.cy).

Please take note of the need to register with GESY either electronically or with your local doctor. It is important. 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)**

### *NOTICES FOR TODAY AND THIS WEEK*

**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:

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|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Jesus Christ is ris'n today                | Now the Green blade riseth      |
| The head that once was crowned with thorns | Crown him with many crowns      |
| And can it be that I should gain           | Hail the day that sees him rise |
| This joyful Eastertide                     | Ye choirs of new Jerusalem      |
| Christ the Lord is ris'n again             | Thine be the glory              |

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 Father 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)

**News sheet items to Sarah Sait, please, by 10.00 a. m.  
on the Wednesday before publication. Tel: 26 272502;  
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# SUMMER ORGAN RECITALS



at  
AYIA KYRIAKI CHURCH  
(ST. PAUL'S PILLAR)  
Kato Paphos

COMMENCING AT 12 noon  
for approx. 30 mins

## Dates for your Diary:

**Monday 6th May: organist - Canon Anthony Stidolph**

**Monday 3rd June: organist - Paul Timmins**

**Monday 1st July: organist - Canon Anthony Stidolph**

**Monday 5th August: organist - Paul Timmins**

**Monday 2nd September: organist - Paul Timmins**

There will be a retiring collection in aid of the two local Hospices

For more information, please visit our website: [www.paphosanglicanchurch.org](http://www.paphosanglicanchurch.org)



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# BARN DANCE



SATURDAY 8 JUNE

Yiannis Taverna

KATHIKAS at 7 pm

**Caller – Janine**  
**Tickets: €20 each**  
INCLUDES  
**Meze Meal**  
**RAFFLE PRIZES**



**Dancing experience not required!!**