



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 8th July 2018

Trinity 6 - Sea Sunday - Year B

Parish Priest: The Reverend Andrew Burt

Associate Priest: The Reverend Canon Anthony Stidolph

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Readings for Sunday 8th July - Sea Sunday

Page Numbers for St. Stephen's only

First Reading: Ezekiel 2: 1-5 -- Page 587
Psalm: Psalm 123 -- Page 441
Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 12: 2-10 -- Page 822
Gospel: Mark 6: 1-13 -- Page 711

Organ Music for both Services at Ayia Kyriaki

Before: Voluntary - J. Stanley
After: Toccata per l'elevazione - G. Frescobaldi

6.00pm Eucharist at Ayia Kyriaki

Choir introit: E'ne like the hunted hind - T. Tallis
Psalm 123 T. Pymar
Communion Motet: O sacrum convivium - L. Perosi

O sacrum convivium!
in quo Christus sumitur:
recolitur memoria passionis
eius:
mens impletur gratia:
et futurae gloriae nobis pignus
datur.
Alleluia.

O sacred banquet!
in which Christ is received,
the memory of his Passion is
renewed,
the mind is filled with grace,
and a pledge of future glory
to us is given.
Alleluia.

Sunday 15th July

First Reading: Amos 7: 7-15 -- Page 651
Psalm: Psalm 85: 8-13 -- Page 421
Second Reading: Ephesians 1: 3-14 -- Page 827
Gospel: Mark 6: 14-29 -- Page 711

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## *COLLECT & PRAYERS FOR THIS WEEK*

**Collect:** Creator God, you made us all in your image: may we discern you in all that we see and serve you in all that we do; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Anglican Communion:** Heavenly Father, in a world that is increasingly hostile to Christians, we pray that you would work in the hearts and lives of each member of Your Body. Give us wisdom and strength as we face this time of increasing aggression. Knit us together in love and fellowship we pray, and release into our hearts a deep desire to lift up our brothers and sisters in Christ, in intercession and prayer.

**Our Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East:** We pray for Bishop Michael, Archdeacons John and Bill, all clergy and lay ministers in the Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf; for the Standing and Finance Committee, and the business of synod to be carried on thoughtfully through the year.

**Our Diocese:** We pray for Holy Trinity Dubai, the Revd Harrison Chinnakumar, and for the many Christian worship services of various denominational churches, including Anglican, within its compound. We pray also that the new regulations of the government may not adversely affect their function and that the uniqueness of the HTC Compound is maintained.

**In our own Parish of Paphos:** We pray for our Parish Priest Andrew, our Associate Priest Canon Anthony, our Wardens and Church Council members as they meet next Tuesday before taking a Summer Break in August; may their discussions, deliberations and decisions be in accordance with the will of God.

**Please** keep in your prayers Mark Caskey, Linda Ryan and The Revd Ian Toombs.

**Please** remember in your prayers the families and friends of **Pat Taylor** whose funeral takes place on Wednesday and **Keith Petty** whose funeral takes place on Thursday.

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WHAT'S GOING ON TODAY & THIS WEEK

Sunday 8th July - Sea Sunday

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

Tuesday 10th July

10.00am Church Council Meeting - St. Stephen's

Wednesday 11th July

9.00am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki
10.30am Pat Taylor's Funeral - St. Stephen's

Friday 13th July

2.00pm Craft and Coffee - St. Stephen's

Sunday 15th July

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

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*THIS PARISH OF OURS*

*Duty Wardens for this week*

**Ayia Kyriaki** - a.m. Gill Powell; p.m. + week Trish Payne

**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*

**Leave - Reverend Andrew** I shall be on leave, off island, from Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July until Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July when I return to work. If you need the assistance of a priest over this time, please contact Jacquie Hammond, in

the first instance, on 99276129.

**Sea Sunday** Although not officially in our Lectionary, Sea Sunday has traditionally been marked on the second Sunday of July. At services, today, we will mark it accordingly. From the Evangelical Alliance's website, the following is noted about seafarers, today: "Over 90 per cent of all food and goods brought into the UK is transported by merchant seafarers and in order to serve us all in this inimitable way, the average time each spends away from his family is 270 days. Around 81 per cent have no access to the internet while at sea, and even while in port, 52 per cent still have no email access. In 2012, 71 ships were sunk, run aground or had major collisions and in the same year, 10 ships were abandoned and the crews left to make their own way back to their home countries, and 1,051 lives were lost at sea." These are, indeed, sobering details given that each of us relies, in part, on their work. Do remember the Mission to Seafarers Missions in Limassol and Dubai in your prayers and pray for an improvement, overall, in the conditions in which seafarers work. You may wish to use this prayer through the week: Creator God, you have made the sea beautiful and fearful; be with all who sail on it for work or pleasure and give them safe passage with Christ the voyager, who calmed the storm and strengthened his disciples' faith. Amen. Reverend Andrew

**Robing for Clergy and Readers at Services:** With temperatures rising noticeably, the Worship Team, at their May meeting, renewed their advice to our parish priests to allow them to use their discretion about wearing robes over the hot summer months. When not robing, Clergy will wear their normal clerical attire plus an appropriate stole.

**General Data Protection:** In line with the new Data Protection regulations would anyone who holds a distribution list of church members for any reason or for any activity (pastoral care, clinic visiting, prayer support, charitable giving, social etc.) please let Sarah Sait know as soon as possible, if you haven't already done so, by email: sarahsait1995@gmail.com. I don't need the names of those on the lists

but I do need to know who holds one. This information is needed for the next Council meeting being held on Tuesday 10th July. Thank you

**Swallows and visitors:** with the holiday season gathering pace, it is lovely to be able to welcome an increasing number of visitors. Please take our sunny/warm Paphos greetings back to your own parishes. If you are a 'swallow' please would you fill out a card giving your details so that we can be in contact with you. If you are visiting one of our three churches in the morning, please stay for a cup of tea or coffee, afterwards. Reverend Andrew.

**Vocations to Ministry:** the church has always sought to provide its Readers, Deacons and Priests from committed Christians who have felt God calling them to serve the Church, in this way. The pattern remains, to this day, and I write to encourage anyone who feels that they would like to explore a possible calling to ministry to speak to either Canon Anthony or myself or to one of our three Readers, in the first instance. What has changed is that the Diocese now has a very clear 'pathway' to ministerial training, be it for either Readership or ordination to the Priesthood, which is proving popular, demanding and very worthwhile. Please do consider whether God is calling you to serve in this way. Reverend Andrew.

**St. George in the Forest:** From 27<sup>th</sup> May to 30<sup>th</sup> September there will be a service held every Sunday, dependent upon a minister being available, 4.00pm at St George in the Forest, Troodos. If you are in the area, please do join them for the service but do please phone Bill Grundy on 0542 8890072 or the Dean The Very Reverend Jeremy Crocker on 0357 22677897 to confirm that a service will be taking place.

**Please Note** that the service on the 22nd July will be led by Reader Trev Sait, if you are in the area on that Sunday do please come and support Trev by attending the service if you can.

### ***Legacy Giving - Have you thought of leaving a bequest in your Will to the Anglican Church of Paphos?***

The Parish in Paphos receives no external funding. Our only income is from donations and collections from our regular congregation members, visitors and those attending Weddings, Funerals and other special services - so gifts from people like you make everything we do more possible.

Gifts in Wills provide additional income to charities and organisations such as our Church. Depending on the size of the gift, payments to the beneficiary can be made in different ways - as a one-off payment, periodically via a trust fund, bank or invested on behalf of the beneficiary to provide future income.

You can specify the purpose to which your gift can be put - general running costs, purchase of new or special equipment, building construction and maintenance - the list is endless. All donations and bequests will be gratefully received and treated in the strictest confidence.

If you would like to include the Anglican Church of Paphos in your Will and need advice or information on how to proceed, please take a Legacy leaflet from the dispenser on your way out or ask the sidesperson for one, or visit the 'Giving' section on our web-site at [www.paphosanglicanchurch.org](http://www.paphosanglicanchurch.org)

**Tribute to Val Taylor:** Many friends within the Anglican Church of Paphos, the Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf and its two Cathedrals, and The Friends of the Diocese are deeply saddened and shocked by the death of Val, following a fall in the garden of her home in Wetherby; especially after her recovery from critical heart surgery last year. All will wish to send their love, support and sympathy to The Very Reverend Derek Taylor and to their family.

As a powerful force for love and goodness not only in her towering support for Derek throughout his long and distinguished ministry as Parish Priest, Military Chaplain, Cathedral Dean and tireless locum in

latter years, both in Cyprus and the United Kingdom, Val was respected greatly and appreciated, not only for her work with Derek but in her own right as a person of immense energy, integrity and professional skills. Her editorship of the Diocesan News Letter 'The Olive Branch' was a hallmark of her ability and willingness to serve this Diocese.

In our Parish of Paphos Derek and Val served twice in interregnums and did much to strengthen the resolve of the church to progress in love and fellowship, and not least in the founding of the Children's Church, and in the Paphos Wedding Ministry. Our last memories are of two indefatigable volunteers assisting with the outside catering at the 2015 Christmas Fayre; loving, caring and loyal even when officially on holiday. May Val rest in peace and rise in glory. Keith & Helen Smith

**Mini Golf:** On 29 June 41 people attended the Mini Golf Event at Island Cove, with 36 taking up the challenge of playing golf. For the third year in succession the ladies trophy was won by Jane Dirienzo and her husband Terry won the gents trophy. Many thanks to those who contributed to the buffet, it was delicious, and the event was a huge success enjoyed by parishioners, friends and visitors. After deducting expenses, we were able to raise 290 euros for church funds. The Annual BBQ takes place on Saturday 21st July at Peyia Forest. Cost €10 and tickets are on sale today with only one more Sunday to purchase them. Please come along and enjoy a tasty BBQ and fellowship. Everyone is welcome.

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

**Pat Taylor's Funeral:** The service will be held at St. Stephen's church, 10.30am on **Wednesday 11th July**. Please dress comfortably and colourfully.

Pat's burial is at Tala new cemetery, family only, and all are invited to share memories with family and friends at the Kamares Club from 12.30 onwards.

## *ADVANCE NOTICES*

**Songs of Praise:** St. Luke's are hosting their annual **Songs of Praise in the Park on Saturday 8th September commencing at 5.30pm**. This year's theme is 'Peace' to commemorate the centennial end of the First World War. More details to follow.

### *SOCIAL AND FUNDRAISING EVENTS*

**Saturday 21st July** - Annual BBQ - 5.00pm Peyia Forest cost €10 - bring your own plates/utensils, refreshments.

**Saturday 1st September - Beetle Drive.** Due to St Luke's Songs of Praise in the Park being confirmed for the 8th September, it is necessary to change the date of the Beetle Drive to the 1st September at the Stephanie Restaurant, 7.00 for 7.30pm, price (tbc)

**Sunday 30th September** - Harvest Lunch 1.00 for 1.30pm at the Kamares Club. Cost €15.

**Saturday 13th October** - Bowling in Paphos (tbc)

**Friday 9th November** - Major Fundraising Dinner Dance at the Kamares Club.

#### **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](mailto:sarahsait1995@gmail.com)**

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 **ANGLICAN CHURCH OF PAPHOS**

# Summer Organ Recitals

A programme of sacred/reflective  
music performed on the first Monday of  
each month during the summer

**Recitals commence at 12 NOON**

**July 2nd**  
Organist, Paul Timmins

**August 6th**  
Organist, Revd. Canon Anthony Stidolph

**September 3rd**  
Organist, Paul Timmins

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