

THE ANGLICAN CHURCH of PAPHOS

DIOCESE OF CYPRUS and THE GULF

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 9th October 2016 - 20th after Trinity - Year C

Harvest Thanksgiving



THE ANGLICAN CHURCH OF PAPHOS
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Readings for Sunday 9th October - Harvest Thanksgiving

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### *PRAYERS FOR THIS WEEK*

**Anglican Communion:** Pray for the Anglican and Roman Catholic bishops from 19 countries, meeting together for the Canterbury - Rome 'Pilgrimage' this week.

**The Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East:** Pray for our own Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf, Bishop Michael, Archdeacons John and Bill and the congregations within Christ's flock of the diocese.

**Our Diocese:** Pray for the Link with Exeter Diocese, Bishop Robert and his people, for the three way gathering in Kenya this month; Dioceses of Exeter, Cyprus and the Gulf, and Thika.  
Pray for St. Mark's Famagusta, a church in a predominately Muslim city, where the vast majority of Christians are international students in the local university.

**In our own Parish of Paphos:** Pray for our three worship centres as they celebrate Harvest Thanksgiving and the Harvest Lunch at the

Kamares Club. Pray also that those attending the services will give generously to the 'Retiring Collection' for St. George's Baghdad.

For further prayers during the week see our Diocesan Prayer Guide and the Anglican Communion website [www.anglicancommunion.org](http://www.anglicancommunion.org)

## WHAT'S GOING ON TODAY & THIS WEEK

### Sunday 9th October - Harvest Thanksgiving

8.15am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki  
 9.30am Holy Eucharist - St. Luke's  
 11.00am Morning Worship - St. Stephen's  
 1.00pm Harvest Lunch - Kamares Club  
 6.00pm Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki

### Tuesday 11th October

1.30pm Cyprus Forum - Lordos Beach Hotel, Larnaca

### Wednesday 12th October

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

### Friday 14th October

2.00pm Craft & Coffee - St. Stephen's

### Sunday 16th October

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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 AUGUST 2016 and year-to-date 2016

Money Received in August 2016 from Congregations:	€5,785
Money Received from Weddings:	€10,923
Money received from 101 Club:	€1,190
Money received from all other sources:	€4,579
Money spent in August 2016:	- €17,516
SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) AUGUST 2016:	€4,961
Money Received in YTD from Congregations:	€58,592
Money Received YTD from Weddings:	€63,323
Money Received from 101 Club YTD:	€14,619
Money Received from all other sources YTD:	€21,662
Money Spent in 2016 YTD:	- €117,416
SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) AUGUST 2016 YTD:	€40,780
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## THIS PARISH OF OURS

### Duty Wardens for this week

**Ayia Kyriaki - 8.15 a.m.** - Jacquie Hammond  
**Ayia Kyriaki - 6.00 p.m.** - Jacquie Hammond + week  
**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.

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*

#### **PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING TWO NOTICES:**

**Revd Andrew's Day-off:** This week, the Revd Andrew will be taking **Thursday, 13th October**, as his day off.

**Contacting Reverend Andrew:** You may not always be able to contact Revd Andrew's mobile as it can be switched to silent during pastoral work, services and meetings. Do use his landline number (26 953373) and, if necessary, leave a message.

**Time and Talents Sunday:** Thank you to all who have responded to, or who are still considering, the invitation to reflect and act on the theme of Time and Talents. All your responses are important and valuable and will be vital to our parish and its ministry to the wider community.

**Barnabas:** Following on from last year's success of the musical Two Sisters and a Funeral, the production of Roger Jones' new musical Barnabas will be staged in Paphos on the 16th November at the UKCA Club, as well as five other venues across the island. The musical tells the story of the journey of Saul and Barnabas across Cyprus. Tickets are now on sale for the Paphos performance from Terry Dirienzo (terry@dirienzo.co.uk or 95 540354) at €7.50 each to include canapés and a glass of wine. As there are only 200 tickets available please buy early.

Time of show 7.30pm - doors open at 6.45pm.

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

**At all services today, Harvest Thanksgiving Sunday**, at all three churches, envelopes marked '**Harvest Thanksgiving**' will be available in your Weekly Notice Sheet. **All the moneys collected from the Harvest Thanksgiving envelopes will go direct to Rev'd Faiz Jerjees in St. George's Baghdad.** The Diocesan Office now have a direct link to send funds to Rev'd Faiz; these are desperately needed to support the work there of their Kindergarten, Medical Centre and for the feeding of the many refugees who fled before the Isis threat. Please give generously and encourage Rev'd. Faiz and all the members of St. George's Baghdad in their tireless support of others under difficult conditions.

### *ADVANCE NOTICES*

**Quiz & Meal:** St. Luke's will be holding one of their popular Quiz and a Meal evenings on Wednesday **19th October** 6.45 for 7.00pm. There is a two course meal cooked by Catherine and Jayne with a choice of main course plus the first drink free (€2 after the first drink). Its followed by a Quiz. The evening is in aid of church funds. Tickets are limited to 30 places due to the size of the room and are selling very quickly.

**Women's Group:** The next meeting of the Women's Group will be at St. Luke's Church, Prodromi, Polis on **20th October** at 3pm. The speaker will be Ken Wiseman who will be speaking about his work and experience with the Seafarers. You can find more information about the Group at the Church's website: <http://paphosanglicanchurch.org/about-us/community/womens-group/> or contact Rema Lawson on 97 766564, or by e-mail at: [womensgrouppaphos@gmail.com](mailto:womensgrouppaphos@gmail.com)

**Recycled Cards:** Sue and Lou will be selling their recycled cards on **Sunday 23rd October** after the 8.15am service at Ayia Kyriaki and after

the 11.00am service at St. Stephen's. Sue & Lou make some wonderful cards so do have a look, replenish your stocks, and help to support local charities.

**Spirituality Day - The Sacrament of Everything!** Led by the Rev'd Wilf Gowing on behalf of the Barnabas Team of the Anglican Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf on **November 26th**. Further details are on the church notice boards.

### *SOCIAL AND FUNDRAISING EVENTS*

**Sunday 9th October** - Harvest Lunch to be held at the Kamares Club - 1.00 for 1.30pm. Tickets are available now at €15 each.

**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)**

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## CHRISTMAS FAYRE - WEDNESDAY 7TH DECEMBER, 2016

The Christmas Fayre is not far away and we need to start collecting items for the stalls NOW. So I hope everyone will have a good look around at home and see what they can find which might be suitable for sale on any of our stalls.

All items can be taken to the office, St. Stephen's or St. Luke's and will be collected.

**Bric-a-Brac:** Household items large or small. Furniture, Crockery, cutlery, linen, kitchen ware. glass, china etc. etc. Transport can be arranged for larger items.

Contact Jayne Preston 96511321 [jimjayne@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:jimjayne@yahoo.co.uk)

**Bottle Stall:** Any (full!) bottles, wine, spirits, beer, squash etc.

Contact; Dex and Judith Perrett 97682150 [perrettjd@gmsil.com](mailto:perrettjd@gmsil.com)

**Nearly New:** All types of clothes, shoes, handbags etc.in good condition. Also coat and skirt hangers needed.

Contacts: Carolyn Sansom 99769272 (AK) or Joy Shefford 99496153 (St. Stephen's)

**Christmas Decorations:** Small Christmassy bits and pieces, small artificial flowers and leaves, small baubles, ribbons, candles etc.

Contact Catherine Whyteside 99132654 [whyteside@hotmail.com](mailto:whyteside@hotmail.com)

**Tombola:** Small items suitable for prizes, toiletries, unwanted gifts, soaps, bath oil etc. etc.

Contact Bob and Chris Cross 26623464 [chrisjcross@hotmail.com](mailto:chrisjcross@hotmail.com)

**Books:** Books of all description, hard backs, paperbacks, (Coffee Table type books particularly wanted), D.V.Ds. Transport can be arranged for large amounts.

Contact Grant and Hilary Hammond 99922939 [grant8546@gmail.com](mailto:grant8546@gmail.com)

**Produce:** Ingredients for cake making, flour, butter, sugar, brown sugar, currants, raisins, sultanas etc.

Contact Margaret Hayes 26221980; Mob: 99 370339

**Rainbow:** Small attractive items of all description, jewellery, hair accessories, scarves etc., anything pretty and colourful.

Contact Linda Turner (St. Stephen's)

**Sweets:** Ingredients - sugar, marzipan, chocolate etc., small paper cases etc.

Contacts Carolyn Hart (AK) 97762371 [carolyn.hart@btinternet.com](mailto:carolyn.hart@btinternet.com)

Caroline Geddes (St. Stephen's) 99417976  
[caroline.willsson@btinternet.com](mailto:caroline.willsson@btinternet.com)

**Water into Wine:** Any bottles of wine also small (1/2 lt.) bottles of water)

Contact Suzie Allen (AK) 99613715 [suzieincyprus@yahoo.com](mailto:suzieincyprus@yahoo.com)

**Handicraft Stall:** ITS TURN OUT TIME AGAIN for all those bits of handicrafts you have stored away in cupboards and drawers - all craft work you once enjoyed but have lost interest in, knitting wool left over from wonderful pullovers, card making stuff that got a bit much, fabrics bought for projects never finished. We don't mind what it is, someone else will love it to kindle a new hobby.

Contact Jill Dare on 26-911489 to arrange collection. **

Any queries please contact Margaret Keeble 26422380/99533704  
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**Please retain for future reference**

**A revised list will be issued when necessary**