



# 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 26th August 2018  
Trinity 13 - Year B

Parish Priest: The Reverend Andrew Burt

Associate Priest: The Reverend Canon Anthony Stidolph

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### Readings for Sunday 26th August

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

**First Reading:** Joshua 24: 1-2a, 14-18 -- Page 168  
**Psalm:** Psalm 34: 15-22 -- Page 397  
**Second Reading:** Ephesians 6: 10-20 -- Page 830  
**Gospel:** John 6: 56-69 -- Page 756

### Organ Music for both Services at Ayia Kyriaki

**Before:** Voluntary VIII - J. Stanley  
**After:** Meditation - O. Latery

### Sunday 2nd September

**First Reading:** Deuteronomy 4: 1-2, 6-9 -- Page 128  
**Psalm:** Psalm 15 -- Page 388  
**Second Reading:** James 1: 17-27 -- Page 854  
**Gospel:** Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23 -- Page 713

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## *COLLECT & PRAYERS FOR THIS WEEK*

**Collect:** Almighty God, you search us and know us: may we rely on you in strength and rest on you in weakness, now and in all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Anglican Communion:** Pray for the laity, clergy, and bishops of the whole Anglican Communion worldwide to be joyful in worship and witness.

**Our Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East:** We pray for the Diocese of Iran and the Vicar General the Revd Dr Albert Sundararaj Walters; all priests, lay ministers and their congregations worshipping in this predominately Muslim country, and for the Diaspora of Iranian Christians scattered in many nations.

**Our Diocese:** We pray for Bahrain: St. Christopher's Cathedral in Central Manama with a church in Awali oil compound meeting on a Saturday with a relatively small, but very international community. We give thanks and praise for the time that the Revd Anne Fatcher spent with them, and the positive expression of partnership with Exeter Diocese.

**In our own Parish of Paphos:** We pray for our Parish Priest Andrew, Associate Priest Canon Anthony and all the members of our worship team as they meet on Friday to discuss and plan our services and worship over the next few months. We give thanks for the visitors that have joined us in worship during these last 'holiday months' and pray for those members of our congregations that are gradually returning from breaks off the island. We ask for God's blessing as we begin the process of finding a new Associate Priest.

Please remember in your prayers the family and friends of **Jacqueline Ann Plastow** whose funeral took place last Thursday.

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

### Sunday 26th August

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 29th August

9.00am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki

### Friday 31st August

2.00pm Craft and Coffee - St. Stephen's

### Sunday 2nd September

8.15am Holy Eucharist - Ayia Kyriaki

9.30am Holy Communion - 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** - Carolyn Hart

**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. **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*

**Robing for Clergy and Readers at Services:** With high temperatures and humidity, 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.

**Please Note:** Following a serious theft from the Church Office on the afternoon of Monday 13<sup>th</sup> August (to which the police have been informed) we request that all persons using the office, for any reason, keep the FRONT door closed or on the safety chain at all times. No personal belongings are to be left unattended in the front office. Unfortunately, on a Sunday morning the BACK door will no longer be left open and those wanting toilet facilities, or the tea / coffee makers will have to borrow a key from the duty warden. Obviously, we are aware of the inconvenience caused and apologise for it. Jacque Hammond. Vice Chair of Council.

**Swallows and visitors:** with the holiday season in full swing, 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.

**A thought from one of our 'Swallows'** - Please remember if you are a swallow or a visitor and you happen to shop at Papantoniou's you can give your bonus points to the church; any contribution can help towards buying provisions for the Annual Christmas Fayre.

**Dave and Fran Griffiths – Theological College Placement Students:** We extend a warm welcome to Dave and Fran as they begin their two week placement with us today. Please introduce yourself to them and if you

want to offer them some evening hospitality, please let Reverend Andrew know. Their aim is to experience a parish that is significantly different from what they have previously known and to explore how the idea of Mission is worked out in our parish and 'What has been the impact of people's decision to relocate to Cyprus from a Pastoral point of view?' I will work up a series of visits for them both in and out of the parish but if you feel that you would like to meet them, please let me know. Below are pen-portraits for both Dave and Fran. Reverend Andrew

**Dave** was taken to church until the age of 11 but got out of going as soon as possible afterwards! He came to faith in Christ following a spiritual experience of God as a teenager. Dave joined the Anglican church following this. He met Fran whilst on Beach Mission in 1979, and they married in 1984. Dave had a number of administrative jobs, and then worked as an Education Welfare Officer in Liverpool. He trained as a Social Worker between 1993 and 1995. Whilst in Social Work training Dave developed an interest in working with older people. Following his training Dave worked with older people in both hospital and community settings.

Dave, Fran and the family moved to the Isle of Man in 1999 (Fran's home). Dave worked there as a social worker with older people, and then managed the Hospital and later the Community Social Work Team. He started training for ordained ministry in September 2017.

Dave considers himself to be both pastoral as well as interested in pioneering new initiatives

**Fran** was brought up in a large Roman Catholic family and came to faith in Christ at a mission as a teenager. Fran joined the Anglican church when she married Dave in 1984, they now have three grown up children. She originally trained and worked as a nurse in a variety of settings and studied Health Studies at university in Liverpool. In her forties Fran diverted into management within the voluntary sector developing and managing a befriending scheme for older people and subsequently

started her own business in Domiciliary care. She managed this business until she was unexpectedly called to begin training for the ordained ministry in 2016 which she describes as a 'curved ball'!

Fran is particularly interested in pioneering new initiatives and especially in mission to those currently outside the Church. Whilst on placement she will be investigating how Mission in various forms is expressed in the diocese and how this relates to the Anglican Church's five marks of Mission.

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

**Inside Out** - A day retreat held at St. George's in the Forest, Troodos on **Saturday 1st September** 10am to 3.30pm. and led by Maggie Le-Roy, Retreats Facilitator of the Anglican Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf. Full details including how to book your place are on the church notice boards.

### *ADVANCE NOTICES*

**Organ Recital:** The last in our Summer series of Organ Recitals will take place at 12 noon on Monday **3rd September** at Ayia Kyriaki Church. For further details please see the poster on page 11 of your notice sheet or on the church notice boards.

**Songs of Praise in the Park - Saturday 8 September, commencing at 5.30 pm.**

With well-known hymns chosen and appropriate readings selected, St Luke's are ready once again to host this service at Ayios Andronikos Park, Polis. Our theme this year is '**Peace**' and we start our service commemorating the centennial end of the First World War, moving on to the hope for peace. All are welcome, and we think you will enjoy it. Sunhats and a water bottle will be useful, car parks and toilets are close to the park. Afterwards, why not make an evening of it. Polis has good eating places and Latchi's seafront fish tavernas offer good food at reasonable prices. More information, including directions, from Di

Sylvester on 99 103976 or [churchsecretary04@gmail.com](mailto:churchsecretary04@gmail.com)

**Women's Group:** The Women's Group had a brief break for Summer and we resume our meetings next month.

The next meeting is being hosted by St Stephen's and is held at St. Stephen's Church on **Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> September** at 3 pm.

Our speaker, **The Reverend Christine Goldsmith**, Associate Priest at St. Barnabas' Church in Limassol will be speaking to us on her ministry to Refugees and Migrants here in Cyprus.

Christine has been working at the Kofinou Reception Centre which is the main governmental reception centre for Asylum Seekers in Cyprus. Living conditions there are basic and with the increase in numbers, maintaining a reasonable standard of living and morale has been and continues to be a challenge. This ministry has now developed into a wider context and issues of integration and multi-faith working are the new challenges being faced and addressed.

Come and hear how rewarding this ministry is and how you can make a difference to the lives of many people who live with us on this Island, far away from their homelands.

The meeting is normally for an hour with the ability to interact with the Speaker. After which there is light refreshments and time to socialize with other members.

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 [womensgroup@paphos.org](mailto:womensgroup@paphos.org)

### *SOCIAL AND FUNDRAISING EVENTS*

*Friends, Neighbours, Visitors - all are welcome*

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

**Saturday 13th October** - Beetle Drive/3-course meal/raffle at the Stephanie Restaurant, 7.00 for 7.30pm at a cost of €15.50. **Date Change**

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

**Tuesday 13th November** - Nicosia Coach Trip, cost €13 (tbc). Full details later.

**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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# Summer Organ Recitals

The last recital in a programme of sacred/reflective music performed during the summer

**Monday 3rd September**

**Organist, Paul Timmins**

**AYIA KYRIAKI CHURCH  
Kato Paphos**

**Commencing at 12 NOON**

Retiring collection dedicated to both  
The St Michaels and The Friends hospices

Further information on our website  
[www.paphosanglicanchurch.org](http://www.paphosanglicanchurch.org)



**Saturday 8 September**



Ayios Andronikos Park, Polis  
Commencing at 5.30pm

# SONGS OF PRAISE IN THE PARK

Join us for this special outdoor ecumenical service of popular hymns and readings on the theme of  
**"Peace"**  
to commemorate the centennial end of the First World War.

*Everyone is welcome*

For location map and directions please visit  
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