Jesus said, 'Feed my sheep. Very truly I tell you, when you were younger you dressed yourself and went where you wanted; but when you are old you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will dress you and lead you where you do not want to go.' Jesus said this to indicate the kind of death by which Peter would glorify God. Then he said to him, 'Follow me!'

Offertory Hymn 8: Alleluia, alleluia

Post Communion Prayer

Living God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in all his redeeming work; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. Amen

Hymn 303: I cannot tell

Future Sunday Services St Lazarus Pissouri

24 April 6pm Holy Communion 8 May 6pm Holy Communion 22 May 6pm Holy Communion

St Barnabas Limassol

17 April 10am Holy Eucharist 24 April 10am Holy Eucharist 1 May 10am Holy Eucharist

<u>Notices</u>

Thursday 14 April 2-4pm Derek will be available for a chat at the Artemis Restaurant. Also 28 April at Platea Restaurant

Friday 16 April Quiz evening at St Barnabas.

Electoral Roll

Belong

Contribute **17 April AGM** after the service at St Barnabas. All on electoral roll are entitled to vote.



Wednesday 20 April 2.30pm The Bible Study Group will be resuming discussions at the home of Stanley and Sue Hooper. The theme for the upcoming sessions will be 'The fullness of God', covering how God deals with man through covenant, from Genesis onwards. If you are interested in joining please contact Denise Weaver 97745286 for more details.

Saturday 7 May Bumper Table Top Sale at St Barnabas. Offers of help on stalls gratefully received by Pam, as well as items to sell on bric-a-brac, books, bags and jewellery, cakes, raffle prizes etc. pamelacaulfield1940@gmail.com

Church Learning Group Next module is Pastoral Practice, in church hall, at 6.30 p.m. on Mondays May 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th, June 6th, 13th, 20th, July 4th, 11th. ALL welcome. Info on module and text book from Derek.

Mazi Mas is now available.

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Delease pray for Harry Ching as he walks in aid of the student chaplaincy in Famagusta, and for the ongoing recovery of Mike Morris.

ISAIAH 58

All donations of dry food, toiletries and money are gratefully received and can be brought on the 4th Sunday of the month to the room below Pissouri Amphitheatre between 5.30 and 6 pm.



Our services are held here in the room under the amphitheatre on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of every month. Please join us for refreshments afterwards.

Welcome to St Lazarus' Anglican Church Pissouri

Part of the Limassol Chaplaincy in the Diocese of Cyprus & the Gulf Website: http://stlazaruspissouri.org



Sunday 10th April 2016 The Third Sunday of Easter 6pm Holy Communion President: Reverend Rod Price

Those who receive Communion in their home Church are welcome to join us at the Lord's Table, or please ask for a blessing.

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Clergy days off - Derek on Fridays and Chris on Tuesdays

<u>Duties for today</u> <u>Sides Person:</u> John <u>"Organist":</u> Linda <u>Readings:</u> Beryl – Acts 9: 1-6 + Psalm 30 John – Revelation 5: 11-14 Gospel – John 21: 1-19 <u>Server:</u> Denise

Duties for 24 April

<u>Sides Person:</u> Felita <u>"Organist":</u> Sue <u>Readings:</u> Felita – Acts 11: 1-18 + Psalm 148 Denise – Revelation 21: 1-6 Gospel – John 13: 31-35

Server: Stanley

UK Visitors

If you would like to Gift Aid your offertory, please ask for a blue envelope.

Hymn 637: The day of resurrection

Gloria 968: Sing glory to God

Collect for today

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such knowledge of his presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life and serve you continually in righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

First Reading - Acts 9 vv. 1-6

Meanwhile, Saul was still breathing out murderous threats against the Lord's disciples. He went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues in Damascus, so that if he found any there who belonged to the Way, whether men or women, he might take them as prisoners to Jerusalem. As he neared Damascus on his journey, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice say to him, 'Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?'

'Who are you, Lord?' Saul asked.

'I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting,' he replied. 'Now get up and go into the city, and you will be told what you must do.'

Psalm 30

1. I will exalt you, Lord, for you lifted me out of the depths and did not let my enemies gloat over me.

2. Lord my God, I called to you for help, and you healed me.

3. You, Lord, brought me up from the realm of the dead; you spared me from going down to the pit.

4. Sing the praises of the Lord, you his faithful people; praise his holy name.

5. For his anger lasts only a moment, but his favour lasts a lifetime; weeping may stay for the night, but rejoicing comes in the morning.

6. When I felt secure, I said, 'I shall never be shaken.'

7. Lord, when you favoured me, you made my royal mountain stand firm; but when you hid your face, I was dismayed.

8. To you, Lord, I called; to the Lord I cried for mercy:

9. 'What is gained if I am silenced, if I go down to the pit? Will the dust praise you? Will it proclaim your faithfulness?

10. Hear, Lord, and be merciful to me; Lord, be my help.'

11. You turned my wailing into dancing; you removed my sackcloth and clothed me with joy,

12. that my heart may sing your praises and not be silent. Lord my God, I will praise you for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now and shall be forever. Amen.

Second Reading – Revelation 5 vv. 11-14

Then I looked and heard the voice of many angels, numbering thousands upon thousands, and ten thousand times ten thousand. They encircled the throne and the living creatures and the elders. In a loud voice they were saying:

'Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honour and glory and praise!'

Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all that is in them, saying:

'To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be praise and honour and glory and power, for ever and ever!'

The four living creatures said, 'Amen', and the elders fell down and worshipped.

Hymn 433: Love's redeeming work is done

Gospel - John 21 vv. 1-19

Afterwards Jesus appeared again to his disciples, by the Sea of Galilee. It happened this way: Simon Peter, Thomas (also known as Didymus), Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two other disciples were together. 'I'm going out to fish,' Simon Peter told them, and they said, 'We'll go with you.' So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

Early in the morning, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not realise that it was Jesus.

He called out to them, 'Friends, haven't you any fish?'

'No,' they answered.

He said, 'Throw your net on the right side of the boat and you will find some.' When they did, they were unable to haul the net in because of the large number of fish.

Then the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord!' As soon as Simon Peter heard him say, 'It is the Lord,' he wrapped his outer garment round him (for he had taken it off) and jumped into the water. The other disciples followed in the boat, towing the net full of fish, for they were not far from shore, about a hundred metres. When they landed, they saw a fire of burning coals there with fish on it, and some bread.

Jesus said to them, 'Bring some of the fish you have just caught.' So Simon Peter climbed back into the boat and dragged the net ashore. It was full of large fish, 153, but even with so many the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' None of the disciples dared ask him, 'Who are you?' They knew it was the Lord. Jesus came, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time Jesus appeared to his disciples after he was raised from the dead.

When they had finished eating, Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?'

'Yes, Lord,' he said, 'you know that I love you.'

Jesus said, 'Feed my lambs.'

Again Jesus said, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?'

He answered, 'Yes, Lord, you know that I love you.'

Jesus said, 'Take care of my sheep.'

The third time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?'

Peter was hurt because Jesus asked him the third time, 'Do you love me?' He said, 'Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you.'