Future Services St Lazarus, Pissouri

- 12 November 6pm Holy Communion
- 26 November 6pm Holy Communion
- 10 December 6pm Carol Service

St Barnabas, Limassol

- 29 October 10am Holy Eucharist
- 29 October 6pm Memorial Service of Thanksgiving
- 5 November 10am Holy Eucharist
- 12 November 10am Holy Eucharist

Notices

Monday 23 October 6pm at St Paul's Anglican Cathedral A service of Choral Evensong led by Bishop Michael Lewis and Padre Brian Elliot, featuring the choir of Portsmouth Cathedral.

Wednesday 25 October §2.30pm at Linda's home. The Bible Study Group will continue with the fourth of nine sessions learning about spiritual disciplines. Everyone is welcome. Contact Denise on 97745286 or Linda on 99165142 for more details.

Pilgrimage St Andrew's Anglican Church invites our members to join them in a 9 day pilgrimage to the Holy Land from 4th to 12th November 2017 visiting all the Holy Sites with an option on Petra. For details about itinerary and booking please contact Rev Christine Goldsmith.

Songs Sunday 5 November St Paul's Anglican Cathedral will be hosting a Songs of Praise. Anyone interested in sharing transport/hiring minibus/coach please contact Pamela Caulfield-phone 99455172 or e-mail pamelacaulfield1940@gmail.com

Shoeboxes for Mission to Seamen. Can you fill a box to cheer a seafarer please? Items need not be expensive - but show your care. Gloves, scarves, pens, notebooks, comb, small toiletries, etc., Christmas card with your Christian name only. Details from Pam (as above)

25 November Christmas Bazaar. This is an important fundraiser for our parish and a fun day – Offers of help or items for bric-a-brac, bottle stall, secret parcels (up to €5), cakes and home produce are all needed and welcome. For more info contact Bob Day bobsheday@live.co.uk.



The thumb is nearest to the body. Remember the people closest to you – your family and friends.

The first finger points the way. Remember people who help to show you the Way in life – priests, teachers.

The second finger is the tallest. Remember those in charge – Royalty, the government and all who help to make the world a better place by their life and work.

The third finger is the weakest, unable to curl on its own. Remember the sick and handicapped; helpless, tiny children and the elderly.

The fourth finger is the smallest. Remember yourself.



Pissouri amphitheatre

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 22nd October 2017 Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity 6pm Holy Communion President: Ven. Malcolm Squires

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 - Chris on Friday

Duties for today

Sides: Denise "Organist": Felita

Readings: Beryl – Exodus 33: 12-end

+ Psalm 99

Stanley – 1Thessalonians 1: 1-10 Gospel – Matthew 22: 15-22

Server: Denise

Duties for 12th November Remembrance Sunday

Sides: Ann "Organist": Felita

Readings: Linda - Micah 4: 1-5

+ Psalm 70

Ann – 1Thessalonians 4: 13-end

Gospel - John 15: 9-17

Server: Linda

UK Visitors

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Hymn 382: Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing

Gloria 967: to the tune 'English country garden'

Collect for today

O God, forasmuch as without you we are not able to please you; mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; 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 - Exodus 33 vv. 12-end

Moses said to the Lord, "You have been telling me, 'Lead these people,' but you have not let me know whom you will send with me. You have said, 'I know you by name and you have found favour with me.' If you are pleased with me, teach me your ways so I may know you and continue to find favour with you. Remember that this nation is your people."

The Lord replied, "My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest."

Then Moses said to him, "If your Presence does not go with us, do not send us up from here. How will anyone know that you are pleased with me and with your people unless you go with us? What else will distinguish me and your people from all the other people on the face of the earth?"

And the Lord said to Moses, "I will do the very thing you have asked, because I am pleased with you and I know you by name."

Then Moses said, "Now show me your glory."

And the Lord said, "I will cause all my goodness to pass in front of you, and I will proclaim my name, the Lord, in your presence. I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion. But," he said, "you cannot see my face, for no one may see me and live."

Then the Lord said, "There is a place near me where you may stand on a rock. When my glory passes by, I will put you in a cleft in the rock and cover you with my hand until I have passed by. Then I will remove my hand and you will see my back; but my face must not be seen."

Psalm 99

- 1. The Lord reigns, let the nations tremble; he sits enthroned between the cherubim, let the earth shake.
- 2. Great is the Lord in Zion; he is exalted over all the nations.
- 3. Let them praise your great and awesome name he is holy.
- 4. The King is mighty, he loves justice you have established equity; in Jacob you have done what is just and right.
- 5. Exalt the Lord our God and worship at his footstool; he is holy.
- 6. Moses and Aaron were among his priests, Samuel was among those who called on his name; they called on the Lord and he answered them.
- 7. He spoke to them from the pillar of cloud; they kept his statutes and the decrees he gave them.
- 8. Lord our God, you answered them; you were to Israel a forgiving God, though you punished their misdeeds.

9. Exalt the Lord our God and worship at his holy mountain, for the Lord our God is holy.

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 – 1 Thessalonians 1 vv. 1-10

Paul, Silas and Timothy,

To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

Grace and peace to you.

We always thank God for all of you and continually mention you in our prayers. We remember before our God and Father your work produced by faith, your labour prompted by love, and your endurance inspired by hope in our Lord Jesus Christ.

For we know, brothers and sisters loved by God, that he has chosen you, because our gospel came to you not simply with words but also with power, with the Holy Spirit and deep conviction. You know how we lived among you for your sake. You became imitators of us and of the Lord, for you welcomed the message in the midst of severe suffering with the joy given by the Holy Spirit. And so you became a model to all the believers in Macedonia and Achaia. The Lord's message rang out from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia - your faith in God has become known everywhere. Therefore, we do not need to say anything about it, for they themselves report what kind of reception you gave us. They tell how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead - Jesus, who rescues us from the coming wrath.

Hymn 658: There is a Redeemer

Gospel - Matthew 22 vv. 15-22

Then the Pharisees went out and laid plans to trap Jesus in his words. They sent their disciples to him along with the Herodians. 'Teacher,' they said, 'we know that you are a man of integrity and that you teach the way of God in accordance with the truth. You aren't swayed by others, because you pay no attention to who they are. Tell us then, what is your opinion? Is it right to pay the poll-tax to Caesar or not?'

But Jesus, knowing their evil intent, said, 'You hypocrites, why are you trying to trap me? Show me the coin used for paying the tax.' They brought him a denarius, and he asked them, 'Whose image is this? And whose inscription?'

'Caesar's,' they replied.

Then he said to them, 'So give back to Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's.'

When they heard this, they were amazed. So they left him and went away.

Offertory Hymn 674: This is my body, broken for you

Post Communion Prayer

Holy and blessed God, you have fed us with the body and blood of your Son and filled us with your Holy Spirit: may we honour you, not only with our lips but in lives dedicated to the service of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hymn 21: All people that on earth do dwell