

## Gospel – John 5:36b-47

(See separate sheet)

Offertory Hymn 429 - Love is his Word

### Post Communion Prayer

God of all grace, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. Amen

Hymn 762 - You are the King of Glory (twice)

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### Future Services

#### **St Lazarus, Pissouri**

11<sup>th</sup> November 6pm Holy Communion  
25<sup>th</sup> November 6pm Holy Communion  
9<sup>th</sup> December 6pm Holy Communion

#### **St Barnabas, Limassol**

4<sup>th</sup> November 10am Holy Eucharist  
11<sup>th</sup> November 10am Holy Eucharist  
18<sup>th</sup> November 10am Holy Eucharist



### Remembering in Prayer:

All those known to us who are ill or recovering including: Sandra, Gladys and Lisa, Brian, Sue, Kay, Nanette and Gordon.

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### Notices

**THE DIOCESAN LENT 2019 COURSE**, "Go in Peace- the Eucharist and Mission" by Fr Andrew. The last two sessions at St. Barnabas, will be on **Monday 29th October and 5th November at 3pm**. All are welcome.

**BIBLE STUDY GROUP:** Unfortunately the last session had to be cancelled, so we will be starting our study of the book of James on **14<sup>th</sup> November at 2.30pm**. Come and join us! For more details please contact Denise at [denise.weaver@wisenexus.com](mailto:denise.weaver@wisenexus.com).

*"The highest and most profitable learning is the knowledge of ourselves. To have a low opinion of our own merits, and to think highly of others, is an evidence of wisdom."*

**Thomas a Kempis**



**Welcome to St Lazarus'**  
**Anglican Church Pissouri**  
Part of the Limassol Chaplaincy in the  
Diocese of Cyprus & the Gulf  
Website: <https://stlazaruspissouri.org>

Our services are held in the room under the  
amphitheatre on the 2nd and 4th Sundays  
of every month.



**28<sup>th</sup> October 2018**

**The Last Sunday after Trinity**

**6pm Holy Communion**

**President: Revd 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** –Fr Andrew on Saturday, Rev. Chris on Friday

### Duties for today 28<sup>th</sup> October

**Sides** Denise  
**Music** Mike G  
**Readings** Carole Isaiah 55:1-11  
+ Psalm 19:7-14  
John 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5  
Gospel John 5:36b-47  
**Server** Denise

### Duties for 11<sup>th</sup> November

**Sides** Ann  
**Music** Sue  
**Readings** Stanley Jonah 3:1-5, 10  
+ Psalm 62:5-12  
Ann Hebrews 9:24-28  
Gospel Mark 1:14-20  
**Server** Stanley

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please ask for a blue envelope.

## Hymn 684 - Thou whose almighty word

### Collect for today

**Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen**

### First Reading – Isaiah 55:1-11

<sup>1</sup>“Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters; and you who have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without cost. <sup>2</sup>Why spend money on what is not bread, and your labour on what does not satisfy? Listen, listen to me, and eat what is good, and you will delight in the richest of fare. <sup>3</sup>Give ear and come to me; listen, that you may live. I will make an everlasting covenant with you, my faithful love promised to David. <sup>4</sup>See, I have made him a witness to the peoples, a ruler and commander of the peoples. <sup>5</sup>Surely you will summon nations you know not, and nations you do not know will come running to you, because of the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, for he has endowed you with splendour.” <sup>6</sup>Seek the LORD while he may be found; call on him while he is near. <sup>7</sup>Let the wicked forsake their ways and the unrighteous their thoughts. Let them turn to the LORD, and he will have mercy on them, and to our God, for he will freely pardon. <sup>8</sup>“For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways,” declares the LORD. <sup>9</sup>“As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts. <sup>10</sup>As the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return to it without watering the earth and making it bud and flourish, so that it yields seed for the sower and bread for the eater, <sup>11</sup>so is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.

### Psalms 19:7-14

7 The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul. The statutes of the Lord are trustworthy, making wise the simple.

**8 The precepts of the Lord are right, giving joy to the heart. The commands of the Lord are radiant, giving light to the eyes.**

9 The fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever. The decrees of the Lord are firm, and all of them are righteous.

**10 They are more precious than gold, than much pure gold; they are sweeter than honey, than honey from the honeycomb.**

11 By them your servant is warned; in keeping them there is great reward.

**12 But who can discern their own errors? Forgive my hidden faults.**

13 Keep your servant also from willful sins; may they not rule over me. Then I will be blameless, innocent of great transgression.

**14 May these words of my mouth and this meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight, Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer.**

**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 – 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

<sup>14</sup>But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have become convinced of, because you know those from whom you learned it, <sup>15</sup>and how from infancy you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. <sup>16</sup>All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, <sup>17</sup>so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

**4** In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who will judge the living and the dead, and in view of his appearing and his kingdom, I give you this charge:

<sup>2</sup>Preach the word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage—with great patience and careful instruction. <sup>3</sup>For the time will come when people will not put up with sound doctrine. Instead, to suit their own desires, they will gather around them a great number of teachers to say what their itching ears want to hear. <sup>4</sup>They will turn their ears away from the truth and turn aside to myths. <sup>5</sup>But you, keep your head in all situations, endure hardship, do the work of an evangelist, discharge all the duties of your ministry.

### **Hymn 420 - Lord thy word abideth**