Post Communion Prayer

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever. Amen

Hymn: 413 Lord of all hopefulness

Future Services

St Lazarus, Pissouri

25th October 6pm Holy Communion 8th November 6pm Holy Communion

St Barnabas, Limassol

18th October 10am Holy Eucharist 25th October 10am Holy Eucharist

Remembering in Prayer:

All those known to us who are ill or recovering including: Yvonne, Karen, Brian, Kay, Nanette, John, Paul, Stanley & Sue.

Notices

Health & Safety - Please wear masks and respect the social distancing guidelines. Only the bread will be offered at communion, and the officiating priest will take the wine on our behalf.



Our new resident priest -Rev Ian Nicholson and his wife Carol will be arriving in Limassol at the end of October. He will be licensed by Archbishop Michael on Saturday 14th November at 3.00pm. We look forward to welcoming them to our Parish!

"Choose for yourselves this day, whom you will serve....but as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord" (Joshua 24:15).

Please join us for drinks in the Pissouriana after the service

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

Glorify God

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



11th October 2020 Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity 6pm Holy Communion

President: Revd Jill Wheatley

Those who receive Communion in their home Church are welcome to receive the bread, or please ask for a blessing.

Parish priest: Vacancy in Parish <u>stbarnabas.cyprus@gmail.com</u>

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Secretary & Treasurer: Denise Weaver 97745286 <u>denise.weaver@wisenexus.com</u>

Duties for today 11th October

Sides	Ann	
Music	Mike	
Readings	Denise	Exodus 32: 1-14 +Psalm 106: 1-6, 19-23
	Ann	Philippians 4: 1-9
	Gospel	Matthew 22: 1-14
Server	Stanley	
Duties for 25th October		
Sides	Stanley	
Music	Denise	
Readings	John	Nehemiah 8: 1-4a, 8-12 +Psalm 119: 9-16
	Carole	Colossians 3: 12-17
	Gospel	Matthew 24: 30-35
Server	Stanley	

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Hymn: 163 Father Lord of all creation

The Collect

God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Reading - Exodus 32: 1-14

¹ When the people saw that Moses was so long in coming down from the mountain, they gathered round Aaron and said, 'Come, make us gods who will go before us. As for this fellow Moses who brought us up out of Egypt, we don't know what has happened to him.' ² Aaron answered them, 'Take off the gold earrings that your wives, your sons and your daughters are wearing, and bring them to me.' ³ So all the people took off their earrings and brought them to Aaron.⁴ He took what they handed him and made it into an idol cast in the shape of a calf, fashioning it with a tool. Then they said, 'These are your gods, Israel, who brought you up out of Egypt.' ⁵ When Aaron saw this, he built an altar in front of the calf and announced, 'Tomorrow there will be a festival to the Lord.' ⁶ So the next day the people rose early and sacrificed burnt offerings and presented fellowship offerings. Afterwards they sat down to eat and drink and got up to indulge in revelry. ⁷ Then the Lord said to Moses, 'Go down, because your people, whom you brought up out of Egypt, have become corrupt.⁸ They have been quick to turn away from what I commanded them and have made themselves an idol cast in the shape of a calf. They have bowed down to it and sacrificed to it and have said, "These are your gods, Israel, who brought you up out of Egypt." 9 'I have seen these people,' the Lord said to Moses, 'and they are a stiff-necked people. ¹⁰ Now leave me alone so that my anger may burn against them and that I may destroy them. Then I will make you into a great nation.' ¹¹ But Moses sought the favour of the Lord his God. 'Lord,' he said, 'why should your anger burn against your people, whom you brought out of Egypt with great power and a mighty hand? ¹² Why should the Egyptians say, "It was with evil intent that he brought them out, to kill them in the mountains and to wipe them off the face of the earth"? Turn from your fierce anger; relent and do not bring disaster on your people. ¹³ Remember your servants Abraham, Isaac and Israel, to whom you swore by your own self: "I will make your descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and I will give your descendants all this land I promised them, and it will be their

inheritance for ever."¹⁴ Then the Lord relented and did not bring on his people the disaster he had threatened.

<u> Psalm 106: 1-6, 19-23</u>

1 Praise the Lord. Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures for ever.

2 Who can proclaim the mighty acts of the Lord or fully declare his praise?

3 Blessed are those who act justly, who always do what is right.

4 Remember me, Lord, when you show favour to your people, come to my aid when you save them,

5 that I may enjoy the prosperity of your chosen ones, that I may share in the joy of your nation and join your inheritance in giving praise.

6 We have sinned, even as our ancestors did; we have done wrong and acted wickedly.

19 At Horeb they made a calf and worshipped an idol cast from metal.

20 They exchanged their glorious God for an image of a bull, which eats grass.

21 They forgot the God who saved them, who had done great things in Egypt,

22 miracles in the land of Ham and awesome deeds by the Red Sea.

23 So he said he would destroy them – had not Moses, his chosen one, stood in the breach before him to keep his wrath from destroying them.

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 - Philippians 4: 1-9

(See separate sheet)

Hymn: 695 to God be the glory

Gospel - Matthew 22: 1-14

(See separate sheet)

Offertory Hymn: 565 Praise my soul