#### Dates for your diary

Saturday 30th November and 7th December St. Andrew's Stall at Lambousa Market

- Saturday 14th December at 11.00 a.m. A Scandinavian Christmas
- Sunday 15th December at 10:30 a.m. Said Service of Holy Communion

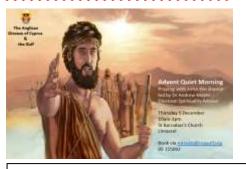
Sunday 15th December at 4.00 p.m. Carols by Candlelight

Thursday 19th December 11:00 a.m. - 12 noon

Saturday 21st December 11:00 a.m. - 12 noon Carols at Café George's - Come along and join us in singing all the old favourites Requests gladly taken!

Tuesday 24th December at 11.30 p.m. The First Communion of Christmas (Midnight Mass)

Wednesday 25th December at 10.30 a.m.



St. Andrew's is once again participating in the Christmas 'Shoebox **Collection**' for mariners via the Mission to Seafarers. Shoeboxes should be filled with small items such as toiletries, writing paper, pens, and a Christmas greeting card. Room should be left for a mug and woolly hat which will be added by the Mission. Ken Wiseman is visiting St. Andrew's on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December and boxes will be collected on that day so start filling them now!

#### What can I read or do for Advent?

Online Advent Retreat - Small Simple Ways: <u>https://www.ignatianspirituality.com/advent/</u>

Tiny Advent Poems – A poem and picture for each day: https://engageworship.org/ideas/tiny-advent-poems

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# ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, KYRENIA



## Celebrant: Fr. Edward Jervis Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November – Sunday next before Advent Christ the King

Today 10.30am Eucharist (contemporary) 2.30pm Russian Language Service

Next Week 10.30am Eucharist (contemporary) 2.30pm Russian Language Service

Thursday 10am Eucharist

Welcome, we are delighted to have you worshipping with us today.

Please note: it is the practice here in St. Andrew's that communicant members of any Christian denomination are welcome to receive communion.

At any point in the service, those who find it difficult to stand should feel free to sit.

Please join us for refreshments in the Church Hall downstairs after the Service. Please visit our Church Shop for ideal gifts from your visit to St. Andrew's.

St Andrew's is a self-funding Church, any gift you make will be greatly appreciated and will go towards maintaining God's work here in Kyrenia. Please use Gift Aid envelopes if appropriate. If you would like to make a regular donation please pick up a giving form at the vestry door or from the church web site http://www.standrewskyrenia.org

Please remember you come to church to speak to God, during the service He speaks to you and in fellowship afterwards we speak to each other



## **Introduction & Call to Worship**

Today we celebrate the feast of Christ the King; a feast for all those striving to build his kingdom on earth, a kingdom of justice, fairness and peace.

### Entrance Hymn: 223 All hail the power of Jesu's name

(omit vs 2 & 5) Miles Lane

### Collect:

God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and to follow in his service, whose kingdom has no end; for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, one glory. AMEN

#### First Reading: Jeremiah 23: 1-6 Diana Peek

#### Psalm 46: Izzy

1 God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble;

2 Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved, and though the mountains tremble in the heart of the sea:

3 Though the waters rage and swell, and though the mountains quake at the towering seas.

4 There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy place of the dwelling of the Most High.

5 God is in the midst of her; therefore shall she not be removed; God shall help her at the break of day.

6 The nations are in uproar and the kingdoms are shaken, **but God utters** his voice and the earth shall melt away.

7 The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

8 Come and behold the works of the Lord, what destruction he has wrought upon the earth.

9 He makes wars to cease in all the world; he shatters the bow and snaps the spear and burns the chariots in the fire.

10 'Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations: I will be exalted in the earth.'

11 The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

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

Second Reading: Colossians 1: 11-20 Pat Etherington

Gradual Hymn: 358 Be still, for the presence of the Lord

Be still

Gospel Reading: Luke 23: 33-43 Clergy

Sermon

Creed

Intercessory Prayers: Sandy Oram

Offertory Hymn 450 Jesus calls us here to meet him

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Post Communion Hymn: 748 O Jesus, I have promised (omit v2) Wolvercote

### **Post Communion Prayer:**

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN

Final Hymn: 818 To God be the glory

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## Please pray for the following throughout the coming week

Julian Kynge, Sandi Richardson, Patricia (Paddy) Arnold, Frances Allen, Penny McSweeny, Dave Sturgess, Olivia Hodkinson, Rosemary Dixon, Jeanette and David Burton, baby Louie Syddall, June Llewellyn, Suzee Moore, Padmesh Gartaula, Stan Keevil, David and Sue Walker, Linda and Ian Smith, Barbara Symons, along with those mentioned in our remembrance book. We pray also for strength and grace for those who carry the burden of care.

We remember those who have departed, in particular Hilary Holland, and those who mourn their loss.

Please contact the Wardens to include persons to be remembered in our prayers