

Forthcoming events

The Thursday Ladies Group This group will be meeting as usual Thursday mornings at 10.30 – 12 noon at the Kervan café in Kervansaray. You are welcome to join the ladies as they sit in this beautiful spot and enjoy each other's company.

Mission to Seafarers in Limassol have a Christmas Shoe Box Appeal Could you please help by contributing a suitably decorated shoe box with goodies like toiletries, notebooks, socks, tissues, soap, chocolates, sweets etc., but no money please, leaving space for the Mission to provide a woolly hat and mug. For more information please speak to John and Gillian



Reverse Advent Calendar This year instead of counting days down to Christmas by opening a window and taking a chocolate, why not join us in putting something each day INTO a box, giving thanks for all that we have. Non-perishable food stuffs or toiletries. By Christmas we will have gifts to give out to those in need

Date for Your Diary

3rd December at St George's Church in the Forest, Troodos Mountain
Nine Lessons & Carols service

Let's thank God for His countless blessings

Please give generously to the food bank for the needy,
AKA 'The Marvellous Food Bank'

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ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, KYRENIA



The Anglican Diocese of
Cyprus and the Gulf
in the Episcopal Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East

Chaplain: The Reverend Wendy Hough
Sunday 27th November – First Sunday in Advent

Today's Services

8.00am Said Eucharist (Traditional)
10.30am All Age Eucharist
(Contemporary)

There will be no afternoon services today due to the Welcome and Outreach event of the Church Fayre

Next Sunday

8.00am Said Eucharist (Traditional)
10.30am Eucharist (Contemporary)
12.30pm Informal Prayer and Praise
2.00pm Turkish Language Service
2.30pm Russian Language Service
5.00pm North Cyprus International Christian Fellowship Service

Thursday Eucharist with prayers for healing at new time of 10 am

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

If you are a visitor please sign our Visitors Book.

If you are new here please introduce yourself to the Chaplain or Church Wardens and fill in a welcome card with your contact details.

Please also join us for refreshments in the Church Hall downstairs after the 10.30am Service. Please visit our church shop for ideal gifts from your visit to St. Andrew's.

St Andrew's is a self-funding Church and any gift you may be able to make will be greatly appreciated and will go towards maintaining God's work here in Kyrenia. Please use Gift Aid envelopes if appropriate

For my kindred and companions' sake, I will pray that peace
be with you.

Psalms 122.8



Sides Persons: Frank and Joan Gillin

Hymns Ancient and Modern

Processional Hymn: 610 Christ is the world's true light *Nun Danket*

COLLECT:

Almighty God, as your kingdom dawns, turn us from the darkness of sin to the light of holiness, that we may be ready to meet you in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. **AMEN**

Waiting for God by Rev. Canon Dr. Trevor Dennis **Diana Peek**

FIRST READING Isaiah 2: v 1 - 5 **Gloria Tattersall**

Psalm 122 **Poppy Inskip**

- 1 I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord.'
- 2 And now our feet are standing **within your gates, O Jerusalem;**
- 3 Jerusalem, built as a city **that is at unity in itself.**
- 4 Thither the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord, **as is decreed for Israel, to give thanks to the name of the Lord.**
- 5 For there are set the thrones of judgement, **the thrones of the house of David.**
- 6 O pray for the peace of Jerusalem: **'May they prosper who love you.**
- 7 'Peace be within your walls **and tranquillity within your palaces.'**
- 8 For my kindred and companions' sake, **I will pray that peace be with you.**
- 9 For the sake of the house of the Lord our God, **I will seek to do you good.**

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.

Gradual Hymn: 30 Come Thou long-expected Jesus *Cross of Jesus*

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 24: v36-44 **Clergy**

SERMON

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INTERCESSORY PRAYERS: The Robin Family

Offertory Hymn: 41 Lo He comes with clouds descending
Helmsley

OFFERTORY PRAYER:

Generous God, Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer. At your table we present your money, a symbol of the work you have given us to do; use it, use us, in the service of your world to the Glory of your name.
AMEN

Communion Hymn: 52 The people that in darkness sat *Dundee*

Post Communion Hymn: 38 Hark, a thrilling voice is sounding
Merton

Post Communion Prayer:

O Lord our God, make us watchful and keep us faithful as we await the coming of your Son our Lord; that, when he shall appear, he may not find us sleeping in sin but active in his service and joyful in his praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **AMEN**

Recessional Hymn: 816 Thy kingdom come, O God *St Cecilia*

Please pray for the following throughout the coming week

John Anthony, Christine Venediger, Reverend Colin Backhouse, Celia Dodds, Ian & Ruth Smith, Barbara & Roy Symons, Padman Gastalida, Annabel Hayter, David Walker, Win Smith, June Llewellyn, Maureen Gaffney, Katy Nosowska & her baby Sofia, Sheila Rose, Diane & Anthony Dowd and Kath Meredith. Remembering also those who care for them.

We remember those who have departed, and those who mourn their loss

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