LIMASSOL PARISH - ST BARNABAS' ANGLICAN CHURCH

(a self-financing church) Centenary Year 2015



Sunday, September 13th 2015, Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist; Junior & Youth Church 6 p.m. Holy Communion, St Lazarus', Pissouri Amphitheatre <u>President/Preacher:</u> Revd Canon Derek Smith

Those who receive Communion in their home Church are welcome to join us at the Lord's Table, or please ask for a blessing

Duties for this week (September 13th) Trinity 15

(OT) Isaiah 50: 4–9a; Psalm 116: 1-9 (Bryan Tolladay)

(NT) James 3: 1–12 (Pam)

Intercessions: Bob Day

(Gospel) Mark 8: 27 - end Sides: Ruth W & Isobel

Eucharistic Assts: Bob D. Chris C

Hymns: 372*, 310, 464, 231, 375, 235 (*Chinese words available) *Refreshments:* Ann Goodwin, Sheila Day

Collect for The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; 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 forever.

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We hope that you will find peace and comfort worshipping here with us today at St Barnabas' Anglican Church in the Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf. Please join us for refreshments in the Hall after the service, and if you are a visitor, please sign the visitors' book in the porch.

<u>Remembering in Prayer</u>

- All those known to us who are ill or recovering: Anita Stringfellow, Peter Cross, Cathy Askitis/Semple, Rita Deasy, Gill Carter, Brian Cumming, Dr Edwin & Margaret Josephides, Mike Morris, Marcia Sargent, Bunty Alkiviadou, Beryl Watson, Mick Burtenshaw, Paul Weymouth, Sylvia Keates, Labib & Nawal Oueida; Mike & Nora Stevens, Samanthi.
- Families & friends of Alice Wright and Magda Hoyle
- John Paramor in Ramsgate & family. John thanks us for the prayers and support during Jan's illness.

Duties for next week (September 20th) Trinity 16

(OT) Jeremiah 11:18-20; Psalm 54 (Jenny Dodd)

(NT) James 3:13, 4:3, 4: 7-8a (Charles Dodd)

(Gospel) Mark 9:30-37

Intercessions: Maeve Prenton

Sides: Isobel & Enid

Eucharistic Assts: Ann C, Lynda M

Hymns: 553*, 56*, 73, 261*, 512, 228(*Chinese words available) *Refreshments:* Margaret Emery, Diana, Connie

Dates for your diary

Sept 13 th (Today)	10 a.m. Holy Eucharist; renewal of vows for Silver
	10 a.m. Holy Eucharist; renewal of vows for Silver Wedding of Rick & Chris; Junior & Youth Church
	6 p.m. St Lazarus' Pissouri Communion
Sept 15 th (Tues)	9.30 – 2 p.m. Follow –up, Retreat in Daily Life
Sept 18 th (Fri)	Barbecue & Quiz, 6.30 for 7 p.m. (see post)

Barbecue/Quiz 6.30 for 7pm. Please sign up on the sheet in the Church Hall so that we can be sure about whether to go ahead.

Christmas Bazaar: Emails were sent to last year's helpers and others where possible. If you have not offered to help, please do so now to Pam. Check notice on the board in the porch. Preliminary meeting is on September 26^{th} at 9 a.m. This is our biggest fund raiser each year. **Raffle prizes desperately** needed for our Fund Raising Events please.

Centenary Year – Have you bought a copy of "*The First One Hundred Years*"? This tells the story of our church until the present day and is on sale for $\in 3$. For $\in 10$, you may sponsor a Bible for our church. What a wonderful way to mark this important milestone! The Centenary Weekend embraces three special services with the Bishop and an Exhibition representing ALL aspects of church life. This is a time to remember and we need everyone's involvement. Ask if you need more information or see the blue display boards. Perhaps you have mementoes – a Baptism certificate or an old programme of an event and photographs for the display? If you are preparing an exhibit, start work on it! The Givhan Family need your observations on what St Barnabas' means to you and Christine Taylor needs your talents!

Songs of Praise is the first of our Centenary Services. Please see separate insert and let us have your favourite hymns and readings.

Church Learning Group: anyone interested in this term's module "Theology of the Gospel of Mark" please ask Derek for further information. If you've ordered books via Derek, please collect them.

Changes to the Inheritance Law in Cyprus came into effect last month. Do seek professional help if you wish to have your Will operate under the law of your nationality.

Raising Funds for PASYKAF Coffee morning 10a.m. – 12noon at the UKCA Clubhouse on Saturday, Sept 26th. Coffee and cake cost \in 3.

Terra Santa Organ Festival Church of St Mary of the Graces, Larnaca, Sat. Oct 3rd at 7 p.m. Mel Plumley is one of the organists.

Sept 21 st Mon)	6.30 p.m. Church Learning Group resumes
Sept 22 nd (Tues)	Tuesday Prayer Fellowship & Limassol Ladies resume
Sept 24 th (Thurs)	Come to help clean up the church (with a skip!!)
Sept 26 th (Sat)	9 a.m. Bazaar Planning Meeting Church Hall
Sept 27 th (Sun)	10 a.m. Sea Sunday Eucharist
Oct 3 rd (Sat)	Table Top Sale for Kinkiizi
Oct 4 th (Sun)	10 a.m. Harvest Festival Family Eucharist followed by
	Bring & Share Lunch
Oct 17 th (Sat)	Car Treasure Hunt
Oct 30^{th} -Nov 1^{st}	Centenary Weekend. See separate programme
Nov 7 th (Sat)	Table Top Sale
Nov 28 th (Sat)	Christmas Bazaar

Forthcoming Events for your diary

Psalm for Today, Psalm 116 (NIV)

¹ I love the LORD, for he heard my voice; he heard my cry for mercy.

² Because he turned his ear to me, I will call on him as long as I live.

³ The cords of death entangled me, the anguish of the grave came upon me; I was overcome by trouble and sorrow.

⁴ Then I called on the name of the LORD: "O LORD, save me!"

⁵ The LORD is gracious and righteous; our God is full of compassion.

⁶ The LORD protects the simple-hearted; when I was in great need, he saved me.

⁷ Be at rest once more, O my soul, for the LORD has been good to you.

⁸ For you, O LORD, have delivered my soul from death, my eyes from tears, my feet from stumbling,

⁹ that I may walk before the LORD in the land of the living.

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.

Post Communion Prayer

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy; and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall, keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

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