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St Helena's Anglican Church

Diary of the week: Please note the activities (*) take place in the Upper Room

Sunday	19th November	9.30am	Holy Communion: Fr Geoff Graham
Monday	20 th November	10am - 1pm	Larnaca Charity Shop open
Tuesday	21 st November	11am-2pm 7-9pm	Pervolia Charity Shop open
Wednesday	22 nd November	10am - 1pm 10am – 1pm	Larnaca Charity Shop open Pervolia Charity Shop open
Thursday	23 rd November	10am -1pm 11am-2pm 7-9pm	Retreat at St Helena's Pervolia Charity Shop open
Friday	24 th November	10am --1pm 11am-2pm	Larnaca Charity Shop open Pervolia Charity Shop open
Saturday	25 th November	11am-2pm	Pervolia Charity Shop open
Sunday	26th November	9.30am	Holy Communion: Fr Geoff Graham, preacher: Ven Dr John Holdsworth



19th November,
2017

Welcome to St Helena's in the name of Christ.
*If you are a baptised Christian of any tradition,
 you are invited to receive Communion.*
*We will be having coffee in the courtyard after the
 service, please join us.*

Collect

Heavenly Father,
 whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the
 works of the devil and to make us the children of
 God and heirs of eternal life:
 Grant that we, having this hope,
 may purify ourselves even as he is pure;
 that when he shall appear in power and great
 glory, we may be made like him
 in his eternal and glorious kingdom;
 where he is alive and reigns with you and the
 Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Post Communion Prayer

Gracious Lord,
 in this holy sacrament you give substance to our hope.
 Bring us at the last to that pure life for which we long,
 through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen**

Please turn off mobile phones before the service starts. We have a hearing loop installed. Please adjust your hearing aid accordingly.

Looking Forward –

John and Sue are away this week while John attends meetings on behalf of the Diocese. This will include meeting with the Friends of the Diocese. The Friends have an annual meeting at the Church of All Hallows next the Tower in London and many of them also attend our Synod each February. The vicar of All Hallows, Fr Bertrand Olivier, who has also often attended our Synod, has just been announced as moving to become the Dean of Christ Church Cathedral in Montreal, Canada in February next year. We wish him well in his new post.

We are planning on running a Pilgrim Course in the new year. For those who are unaware, this course is the next generation on from the Alpha course and it consists of two stages. The first stage is designated 'Follow' and aims to teach complete beginners all about Christian belief, worship, behaviour and the Christian vision for the world. The second stage is designated 'Grow' and develops Christian knowledge through study of the creeds, the Eucharist, the Bible and the Church & Kingdom. Our plan is to use the second, 'Grow' stage to begin with. Each stage is based around four handbooks and each book covers six sessions, each of which will last from around 60 to 90 minutes. I will lead the sessions. We plan on buying several sets of the books for the Church to own and use for the course, but anyone can buy their own sets if they wish. There will be a sign-up sheet on the noticeboard in the near future so that we can gauge interest. Weekly sessions will be on Tuesdays at 2pm, beginning on 2 January 2018.

Fr Geoff Graham Assistant Curate



Prayer Corner

This week we pray especially for:

Alannah, Berie Norton, Alan Roper, Ann Pickard, Andreas, Miranda and Rachel, Vassiliki Goro, Jackie, James Phelps, Andi and Elizabeth, Carollynne Ellis, Valerie, Helen, Margaret Hutchison, Maureen Spelman, Stacey and family, Jeri, Rodney Yates, Paul and Jan Roddy, Sheila Preetejohns, Jane, Louise Jones, Marian Torchia, Sarah Harwood, Cathy Rogerson, Rose Bonsall, Carol Jillings, June Yates, Cat Hill, David Ward, Derek Monk.

Pray for ordained clergy, both stipendiary and self-supporting, with licensed responsibility.

Thank you to everybody who has donated toiletries and cleaning materials for refugees. More needed!

This morning's readings: Zephaniah 1: 7, 12-18

1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11 Matthew 25: 14-30

Next week's readings: Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24

Ephesians 1: 15-23 Matthew 25: 31-46

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