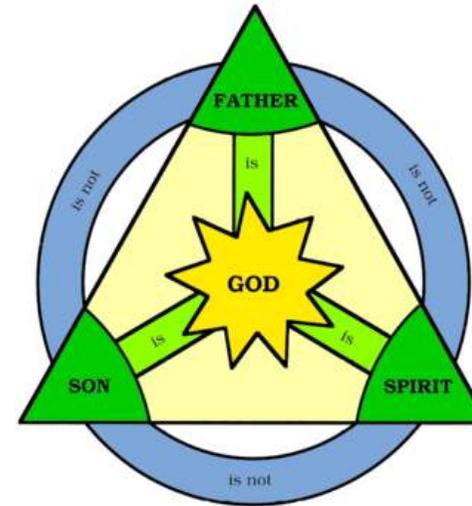


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Diary of the week: Please note the activities (*) take place in the Upper Room

Sunday	14th July	9.30am	Holy Communion: Fr Geoff Graham, preacher: Ven Dr John Holdsworth
Monday	15th July	10am – 1pm 10am -1pm	Larnaca Shop open Pervolia shop open
Tuesday	16th July	10am – 1pm	Pervolia shop open
Wednesday	17th July	10am – 1pm 10am – 1pm	Larnaca shop open Pervolia shop open
Thursday	18th July	10am – 1pm	Pervolia shop open
Friday	19th July	10am – 1pm 10am – 1pm	Larnaca shop open Pervolia shop open
Saturday	20th July	10am – 1pm	Pervolia shop open
Sunday	21st July	9.30am	Holy Communion: Fr Geoff Graham



**14th July,
2019**

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.*

*If you would like a blessing, please come to the altar rail
with your service book.*

*We will be having coffee in the courtyard
after the service, please join us.*

Collect

Go before us, Lord,
with thy most gracious favour,
and further us with thy continual help;
that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in thee,
we may glorify thy holy Name,
and finally by thy mercy obtain everlasting life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Post Communion Prayer

Strengthen for service, Lord,
the hands that have taken holy things;
may the ears which have heard your word
be deaf to clamour and dispute;
may the tongues which have sung your praise
be free from deceit;
may the eyes which have seen the tokens of
your love shine with the light of hope;
and may the bodies which have been fed with your
body be refreshed with the fullness of your life;
glory to you for ever. **Amen**

Looking Forward –

The good news is that Canon Andrew Mayes is now out of hospital and continuing his recovery at home. There is a Confirmation in Limassol today, so we are a full team here with Fr Geoff returning to celebrate. Next week I shall be in Paphos as part of my 'farewell tour,' and Fr Geoff will be celebrating and preaching. The following Sunday will be my final one here, and as a parish priest, 28th July.

During the next two years I shall continue to serve as the Director of Ministry for the Diocese and will be paying several visits to the Island in that capacity. Cyprus desperately needs more Readers and non-stipendiary (NSM) clergy over the next few years. We shall have lost five of our retired and NSM clergy in the last year and we do operate on a shoestring now when there is a combination of illness and holidays, with weddings and funerals to conduct. We are discovering vocations in the Gulf, but there is a general lassitude in some parts of the Island that is not concentrating on this problem and need. I shall of course be pleased to hear from anyone, now or in the future, who feels that they may have a call to ministry.

There are still some spaces on the rota for refreshments and welcome. If you are going to be here during the Summer, please do put your name down. Council members note that the next Meeting of the Council will be on 24th July at 10.30am.

Ven Dr John Holdsworth, Parish Priest



Please pray for generosity, responsibility and imagination in the use of money and resources and for the Honorary Director of Finance.

Pray also for St Martin's Church in Sharjah, a spiritual oasis in the midst of the desert facilitating worship for over 120 guest congregations of various languages and nationalities.

Advance notice: there will be a retreat at St George's Church in Troodos on 31st August. Please see the poster in the porch if you are interested.

This morning's readings: Amos 7: 7-17
Colossians 1: 1-14 Luke 10: 25-37
Next week's readings: Amos 8: 1-12
Colossians 1: 15-28 Luke 10: 38-42

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