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

Sunday	24th March	9.30am 11am – 1pm	Holy Communion: Ven Dr John Holdsworth, preacher: Fr Geoff Graham Pervolia shop open
Monday	25th March	10am – 1pm 11am-2pm 1pm	Larnaca Shop open Pervolia shop open Dancing with Jim
Tuesday	26th March	11am – 2pm 7-9pm	Pervolia shop open
Wednesday	27th March	10am – 1pm 11am – 2pm 10am – 1pm	Larnaca shop open Pervolia shop open Book Sale
Thursday	28th March	11am – 2pm 11am	Pervolia shop open Lent course
Friday	29th March	10am – 1pm 11am – 2pm	Larnaca shop open Pervolia shop open
Saturday	30th March	11am – 2pm	Pervolia shop open
Sunday	31st March	9.30am 11am – 1pm	Holy Communion: Bishop Michael Lewis Pervolia shop open

Post Communion Prayer

We beseech you, almighty God,
 look upon the heartfelt desires of your humble
 servants,
 and stretch forth the right hand of your majesty,
 to be our defence against all our enemies;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**



St Helena's Anglican Church



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24th March, 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

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy
 but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory
 before he was crucified: mercifully grant that we,
 walking in the way of the cross,
 may find it none other than the way of life and peace;
 through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
 who is alive and reigns with you
 and the Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Looking Forward –

The Lent course continues this week, on Thursday at 11am. If you missed the first session last week, that doesn't matter. On Wednesday, as ever we shall need help at the book sale. Next Sunday, Mothering Sunday, our preacher and celebrant will be Bishop Michael. He always enjoys joining us for worship, and the more we are the better that experience will be.

At the Council Meeting last week it was decided to make a donation of €1000 to the St George's home for young handicapped people. This institution is not subsidised by public funds and they do make a big difference to some very vulnerable people. One of the reasons we are able to make those kinds of donation is that our funds have been boosted by income from our shops. Council heard that we need a new manager for our Larnaca shop, and we need someone from the church to act as a liaison with our Perivolia shop. These are urgent needs. In the case of the Larnaca shop, we need someone who is interested in volunteering, regardless of church membership. If you know someone who may be interested please sound them out, and let me know the outcome.

This year we must completely renew our Electoral Roll. The forms, which everyone must fill in, take account of the new GDPR regulations. Please take one and return it asap. Only those who are on the Roll may stand for office or vote at the ACM on April 7th.

John Holdsworth, Parish Priest

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



Pray for those who bring energy and depth to the work of giving others time and space through the Retreats' Ministry.

The Retreats' Ministry has its office in Nicosia run by the Retreats' Facilitator. The main ministry being that of the Katafiyio Retreat House in Cyprus, the running of group and individually guided retreats in the Diocese and Province, and the giving of spiritual direction.

If you use mascara, please don't throw away the wands. A box will be provided for them in church so that they can be forwarded to a wildlife sanctuary in the UK who can use them to groom their charges!

We have a basket for toiletries for refugees at the back of church which is empty. If you're buying something for yourself, please consider buying an extra something for the basket.

This morning's readings: Isaiah 55. 1-9

1 Corinthians 10. 1-13 Luke 13. 1-9

Next week's readings: Joshua 5. 9-12

2 Corinthians 5. 16-21 Luke 15. 1-3, 11b-32

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