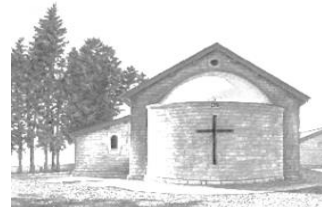


# *St Barnabas' Anglican Church*

## *Parish of Limassol*

23rd May 2021 10.00 am

### **Pentecost**



#### **Father Ian Nicholson**

Sacristan	Bob		
Sides persons	Isobel & Margeret		
Readings:	Bob	Ezekiel 37	v1-14
		Psalm 104	v26 to end
	Isobel & Rosemary	Acts 2	v1-21
	Gospel:	John 15	v26-27 16 v4b-15
Intercessions:	Lynda		
Hymns	84, 67, 20, 419		

23 - 29 May 2021

## **Filled to overflowing**

### **Acts 2.1-21**

On the day of the Jewish festival of Pentecost, Jesus' disciples experience being filled dramatically with God's Holy Spirit. This power and life spills out into the whole of creation. Peter says that this is the culmination of many centuries of waiting for the fulfilment of God's promise, made known through Old Testament prophets.

We explore the implications of, and how, our everyday faith and living is affected by this broader perspective.

***This week we explore God's Spirit pouring out to the whole of creation.***

Lectionary Bible readings for RCL Pentecost Year B

**Acts 2.1-21; Ezekiel 37.1-14; Psalm 104.24-34,35b; Romans 8.22-27; John 15.26-27; 16.4b-15**

**Collect**        *We say together*

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father, ignite in us your holy fire;  
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,  
revive your Church with the breath of love,  
and renew the face of the earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**PSALM 104**    *We say together lines in bold type*

26 There go the ships: there is that leviathan, whom thou hast made to  
play therein.

**27 These wait all upon thee; that thou mayest give them their meat in due  
season.**

28 That thou givest them they gather: thou openest thine hand, they are  
filled with good.

**29 Thou hidest thy face, they are troubled: thou takest away their breath,  
they die, and return to their dust.**

30 Thou sendest forth thy spirit, they are created: and thou renewest the  
face of the earth.

**31 The glory of the Lord shall endure for ever: the Lord shall rejoice in his  
works.**

32 He looketh on the earth, and it trembleth: he toucheth the hills, and  
they smoke.

**33 I will sing unto the Lord as long as I live: I will sing praise to my God  
while I have my being.**

34 My meditation of him shall be sweet: I will be glad in the Lord.

**35 Let the sinners be consumed out of the earth, and let the wicked be no  
more. Bless thou the Lord, O my soul. Praise ye the Lord  
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.**

**Post Communion Prayer**    *We say together*

Faithful God,  
who fulfilled the promises of Easter by sending us your Holy Spirit  
and opening to every race and nation  
the way of life eternal: open our lips by your Spirit,  
that every tongue may tell of your glory;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

***Remembering in Prayer:***

All those known to us who are ill or recovering including:

Stephen, Charles Devadawson, Elizabeth T, Anna Georgiades, Joan Gilbert, Margaret Josephides, Margaret, James Culley, Ann Constantanides, Rachael Lauren, Chantal, Matthew, Baby Archie, Grace, Ian Broughton, Millie Bell, Daphne Papacharalambous, Shirley Koukoularides, George, Natalie's sister in law, Lynda Moore, Karen Sutherland, Yvonne, Judith Mowbray, Maeve Prenton, Diane, Marcia, Andy & Laura Fitzgerald, Rachael Margaret

*Please update Christine Taylor re prayer list.*

*Both for additions and those who wish names to be removed*

**Visit or Phone Call** – Many friends who are ill or housebound would love to hear from anyone for a chat or, if possible, a visit

For details, please have a word with Nora Ananiades.

**Sales Table** open in Church Hall today for gifts and greeting cards,

The first Table Top Sale of the year will be held on

***Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> June***, volunteers are needed to help the event to go smoothly and safely.

To rent a pitch or offer help please contact **Nora 99356451**

Food donations and distribution – Please see **Edna Gregory**

Christine Taylor is away until end of May but please continue to send items for inclusion in news sheet

A big thank you to Georgia from the Diocesan office for translating the government regulations for us each time they are amended, latest rules came out last Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> May.

Please note that it is up to each of to carry the correct documentation at all times to show that we are either vaccinated, had a rapid test or have had Covid 19. **This is to help keep us all safe.**

If you are not registered with **GESY** and would like the vaccination please talk to Edna Gregory.

## Regular Church meetings

Tuesday Prayer Group meet in church	9.30am
Wednesday Communion	9.00am
Wednesday Craft group in school room	10.00am–12 noon

## Weekly Zoom Meetings

*You are invited to join Fr Ian for the followings activities:*

Sunday Morning Worship	10.00am
Friday Afternoon Coffee	3.00pm

Church Wardens		Chris Clapham	99402062
		Stanley Hooper	25221956
		Edna Gregory	99383748
Bookings		Christin Givhan	99634958
Pastoral Team		Denise Weaver Nora Ananiades John Rider	97745286 99356451 99765201

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*Thursday is rest day for Father Ian,  
please respect his private time and only contact in an emergency.*

There is to be a celebration on **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> June**. It will be our opportunity to formally welcome Father Ian and Carol, which we were unable to do after his licensing service, also we can celebrate **St Barnabas Day**. It will be a 'Bring & Share' lunch in the church grounds, please see sign up sheet to add your donation. Everyone welcome

**Please wear a face mask at all times when in church during the service and outside in the grounds**  
**Mouth and nose must be covered at all times.**