

## Let's walk together in Lent, in the steps of St Paul

During March 2022 a number of walks are being organised by St Paul's Anglican Cathedral Nicosia. These are in part a celebration of the first mission of Paul who the bible records landed in Salamis and journeyed to Paphos preaching at the synagogues in the main centres of population.

A small number of people will attempt to follow in Paul's steps and walk this distance (around 200km) over a six-day period ending with a 2 pm Holy eucharist at Ayia Chrysopolitisa (Paul's Pillar) in Paphos. This is where Paul was scourged.

The service is at **2pm on March 26** at which the Arch Bishop Michael Lewis will officiate.

Contact: **Ian Brooks 99710719**, if you wish to join for part of the **long walk**

**Promptly at 10 am each Saturday** in March there will be a series of **short walks** in the Nicosia district beginning:

1. March 5 Machairas Monastery to Lazanias village [restaurant]
2. March 12 Lazanias to Gourri village [restaurant]
3. March 19 Gourri to Kalo Chorio [picnic site]
4. March 26 Holy eucharist at Ayia Chrysopolitisa [Paphos] 2 pm
5. April 01 Arediou to Saint Heraklidios convent [Ancient Tamasou] [restaurant]

The local tradition is that Paul, Barnabas and John Mark met Heraklidios at Ancient Tamasou where the convent now stands. Heraklidios became the first Bishop of Cyprus.

Each of these walks will take 1-2 hours.

There are restaurants available at the end of most of the walks or picnic site. Please bring snacks, water and appropriate footwear.

Contact: **Margaret Charalambides 99685767**, if you wish to join the **short walks**.