Regular Church meetings

Tuesday Prayer Group meet in church 9.30am Wednesday Communion 9.30am

Wednesday Craft group in school room 10.am-12 noon

St Lazarus Church, Pissouri No services until further notice.

Weekly Zoom Meetings

Sunday Morning Worship 10.00am Friday Afternoon Coffee 3.00pm

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Church Warden	Chris Clapham	99 402062
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Please join us for refreshments in the Church hall after the service

Reverend Deborah's day off is on Monday



St Barnabas'
Anglican Church

9th June 2024 10.00am
Second Sunday after Trinity
Rev Deborah Lee Moorgas

Sacristan Bob Day

Sides persons Costas & Henry

1st Reading - Peter Holroyed - 1 Samuel 8 v 4 -11 & 16 - 20

Psalm 138

2nd Reading - Margret Yates - 2 Corinthians 4 v 13 - ch 5 v 1

Gospel: Mark 3 v 20 - end

Intercessions: Charles Dodd

Hymns 676(P), 17(G), 88(O), 84(C1), 735(C2), 313(C3), 672(R)

Choices and consequences

The leaders of Israel come to Samuel to ask for a king. Samuel does not think this a good idea but, after praying to God, he comes back to them with God's

warning about what having a king would mean conscripted armies, tithes and taxes. But the people insist. So, Samuel takes them all to Gilgal where they find Saul and make him their king.

The choices made by those in today's reading impacted many generations that followed; and, as we will discover over the next few weeks, some of those consequences were big. What



influences and contributes to choices that we make? Are we aware of what the consequences will or might be? Where is God in the decisions we make? And if we feel anxious about such things, remember that there is no choice that can't be used by God to draw us closer to the kingdom.

Collect We say together

Lord, you have taught us that all our actions without love are worth nothing: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Psalm 138

- ₁I will praise you, Lord, with all my heart; before the "gods" I will sing your praise.
- ² I will bow down toward your holy temple and will praise your name for your unfailing love and your faithfulness, for you have so exalted your solemn decree that it surpasses your fame.
- ³ When I called, you answered me; you greatly emboldened me. ⁴ May all the kings of the earth praise you, Lord, when they hear what you have decreed.
- 5 May they sing of the ways of the Lord, for the glory of the Lord is great. 5 Though the Lord is exalted, he looks kindly on the lowly; though lofty, he sees them from afar.
- ⁷ Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve my life. You stretch out your hand against the anger of my foes; with your right hand you save me.
- **The Lord will vindicate me; your love, Lord, endures forever—do not abandon the works of your hands.**

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.

Please take this Newssheet with you

Post Communion Prayer We say together

Loving Father,

we thank you for feeding us at the supper of your Son:

sustain us with your Spirit,

that we may serve you here on earth

until our joy is complete in heaven,

and we share in the eternal banquet

with Jesus Christ our Lord.

Birthday Sunday Next Birthday Sunday is 16th of June. Join us to celebrate. Brian provides the cakes but extra drinks, biscuits etc. Are always welcome. **Table Top Sale** Next sales are 6th July, 7th September, 5th October. Please speak to Nora.

Lions Yellow Box at rear of church. Donate used glasses, sunglasses, lenses, cases into the box or pass to Brian Goodburn or Christine Taylor

Remembering in Prayer: All those who are ill or recovering.

George R, Janet, Margaret, Sue, Jack, Beat Kaelin, Rosemary Papadopoulos, Julia Lewis. Brian Welford. Jane Jallad.

We are updating the Parish Roll. If your details have changed please let us have your new details. We are also updating the birthdays, anniversaries or any other special days you would like us to remember. Please pass the date and the occasion to Christine or Brian.

Please remember to be silent when the candles are lit as we are preparing ourselves for worship

Reverend Deborah says: If you need a personal Prayer, please come to the altar rail after Communion or let me know and I will pray for you privately after the service.

Reverend Deborah says: Confirmation – If you would like to be confirmed please speak to Rev'd Deborah.

Christmas 2024. Please start collecting empty shoeboxes for our Mission to Seafarers. Look at home or ask retailers for their empty boxes and give them to Brian Goodburn or Christine Taylor.