GUILDFORD CATHEDRAL

Welcome

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Sunday 23 July 2017

Lectio Divina takes place in the Library at 8.45am – an opportunity to reflect on the gospel reading for the day in a quiet and contemplative way.

Sunday School is now on their Summer Break. There are bags of soft toys available from the Stewards. Please ask if you would like one. For services in the Nave, hymn books and Books of Common Prayer can be found behind the kneeler on the seat in front of you.

Following the Cathedral Eucharist, tea coffee and other refreshments are served in the Refectory.

Giving: Regular worshippers are asked to join the Planned Giving Scheme. For more information please ask a Steward. This greatly helps the Cathedral with financial planning. Visitors and UK taxpayers are asked to use the Gift Aid envelope for their offering towards the work and worship of the Cathedral. Please complete the details on the envelope to enable us to claim back the tax as Gift Aid. (Cheques to Guildford Cathedral.) It is not necessary for non-taxpayers to use the envelopes.

If you have been worshipping here for a little while, and are beginning to feel at home and would like to know more about playing your part in the life of this community, please get in touch via welcome@guildford-cathedral.org. If you have been a regular at the Cathedral for six months or more, please ensure that your name is added to the Cathedral Community Roll – forms available from the Stewards.

If you have missed a copy of the weekly News Sheet, the last 6 editions can be viewed from the website https://www.guildford-cathedral.org/news

TODAY'S SERVICES

8.00 Holy Communion
PRESIDENT Canon Andrew Bishop
READINGS Wisdom 12.13,16-19; Matthew 13.24-30,36-43

9.45 am Cathedral Eucharist

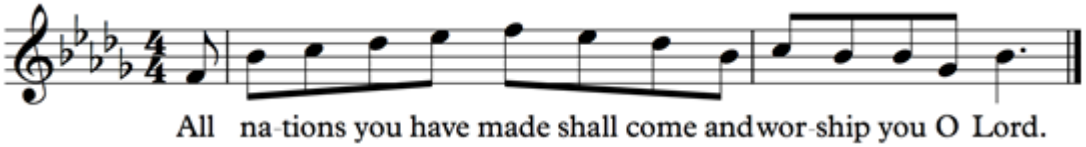
sung by the Choir of Trinity Church, Asbury Park, New Jersey
PRESIDENT Canon Julie Gittoes
SETTING Mass in G, *Josef Rheinberger (1839-1901)*
HYMN 546

COLLECT
Merciful God,
you have prepared for those who love you
such good things as pass our understanding:
pour into our hearts such love toward you
that we, loving you in all things and above all things,
may obtain your promises,
which exceed all that we can desire;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

OLD TESTAMENT READING Wisdom 12.13,16-19
read by Shirley-Margaret Lloyd

For neither is there any god besides you, whose care is for all people, to whom you should prove that you have not judged unjustly; For your strength is the source of righteousness, and your sovereignty over all causes you to spare all. For you show your strength when people doubt the completeness of your power, and you rebuke any insolence among those who know it. Although you are sovereign in strength, you judge with mildness, and with great forbearance you govern us; for you have power to act whenever you choose. Through such works you have taught your people that the righteous must be kind, and you have filled your children with good hope, because you give repentance for sins.

PSALM 86.11-17



Teach me your way O Lord and I will walk in your truth;
knit my heart to you that I may fear your name.
I will thank you O Lord my God with all my heart,
and glorify your name for evermore;
For great is your steadfast love towards me,
for you have delivered my soul from the depths of the grave. **Response**

O God, the proud rise up against me and a ruthless horde seek after my life;
they have not set you before their eyes.
But you, Lord, are gracious and full of compassion,
slow to anger and full of kindness and truth.

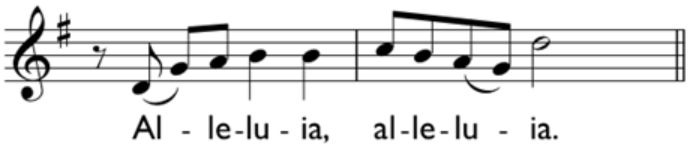
Turn to me and have mercy upon me;
give your strength to your servant and save the child of your handmaid.
Show me a token of your favour, that those who hate me may see it and be ashamed, because you O Lord have helped and comforted me. **Response**

NEW TESTAMENT READING Romans 8.12-25 read by Andrew Hodges

So then, brothers and sisters, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh— for if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, 'Abba! Father!' it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ- if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed to us. For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God; for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and will obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labour pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

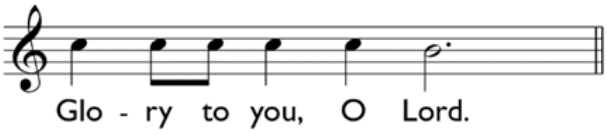
GOSPEL READING Matthew 13.24-30,36-43



Choir Alleluia, alleluia.
All Alleluia, alleluia.

Choir May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our mind, so that we can see what hope his call holds for us.
All Alleluia, alleluia.

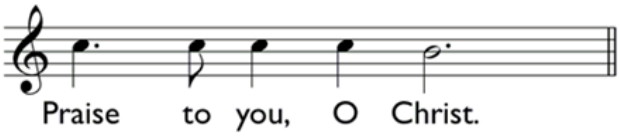
Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.



He put before them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field; but while everybody was asleep, an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and then went away. So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared as well. And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, "Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?" He answered, "An enemy has done this." The slaves said to him, "Then do you want us to go and gather them?" But he replied, "No; for in gathering the weeds you would uproot the wheat along with them. Let both of them grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Collect the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn." '

Then he left the crowds and went into the house. And his disciples approached him, saying, 'Explain to us the parable of the weeds of the field.' He answered, 'The one who sows the good seed is the Son of Man; the field is the world, and the good seed are the children of the kingdom; the weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sowed them is the devil; the harvest is the end of the age, and the reapers are angels. Just as the weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his kingdom all causes of sin and all evildoers, and they will throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Let anyone with ears listen!

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



SERMON Canon Andrew Bishop
INTERCESSIONS led by Canon Mavis Wilson
HYMN 308

MOTET Ave verum corpus, *William Byrd (1543-1623)*

Ave verum corpus,	*All hail, true body*
natum de Maria Virgine,	*of the blessed Virgin born,*
vere passum,	*which in anguish*
immolatum in cruce pro homine,	*to redeem us didst suffer upon the cross;*
cujus latus perforatum	*from whose side, when pierced by spear*
unda fluxit sanguine;	*there came forth both water and blood:*
esto nobis praegustatum	*be to us at our last hour*
in mortis examine.	*the source of consolation.*
O dulcis, O pie, O Jesu	*O loving, O holy, O Jesu,*
fili Mariae miserere mei.	*Son of Mary, have mercy on me.*

Text: 14th C, attr. Pope Innocent VI

POST COMMUNION PRAYER
God of our pilgrimage,
you have led us to the living water:
refresh and sustain us
as we go forward on our journey,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

HYMN 437
ORGAN Sinfonia (Cantata 29), *J S Bach (1685-1750) arr Dupré (1886-1971)*

11.30am Choral Mattins

HYMNS 9, 604
PSALM 71
RESPONSES *John Sanders (1933-2003)*
TE DEUM 'Collegium Regale', *Herbert Howells (1892-1983)*
READINGS Deuteronomy 30.1-10; 1 Peter 3.8-18

ANTHEM Ubi caritas, *Ola Gjeilo (b. 1978)*

Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est. Congregavit in unum Christi amor. Exsultemus, et in ipso jucundemur. Timeamus, et amemus Deum vivum. Et ex corde diligamus nos sincero. Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est. Amen

Where charity and love are, there is God. The Love of Christ has gathered us together into one; Let us rejoice and be glad in Him; Let us fear and love the living God, and let us love one another in sincerity of heart. Where charity and love are, there is God.

ORGAN Toccata, *Georgi Mushel (1909-1989)*

6.00pm Choral Evensong

HYMNS 13, 475, 474
PSALM 67
RESPONSES *Richard Ayleward (1626-1669)*
CANTICLES Evening Service in D, *George Dyson (1883-1964)*
READINGS 1 Kings 2.10-12; Acts 4.1-22

ANTHEM Let the people praise thee, *William Mathias (1934-1992)*

Let the people praise thee, O God; yea, let all the people praise thee.
O let the nations rejoice and be glad,
for thou shalt judge the folk righteously,
and govern the nations upon earth.
Then shall the earth bring forth her increase,
and God, even our own God, shall give us his blessing.
God shall bless us, and all the ends of the world shall fear him.
God be merciful unto us, and bless us:
and show us the light of his countenance, and be merciful unto us.
That thy way may be known upon earth, thy saving health among all nations.

SERMON Canon Mavis Wilson
ORGAN Final (Symphonie VI), *Charles-Marie Widor (1844-1937)*

PRAYERS

Clergy preaching away: The Dean at Badshot Lea and Hale.
Those for whom prayers have been asked: Janine Bryer, Gillian Doherty, Ineke Geusebrook, Peter Hounslow, James Luckey, Terry Richards, Judy Wigglesworth, Margaret Willis.
Those who have recently died: Garth Allen, Giles Pilgrim-Morris, Tom Thomas, Paul Tilley, Roger Toulson,
Year's Mind: Rodney Shires, Rowland Stoakley

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

We welcome the Phoenix Boys' Choir singing this week

MONDAY 24
8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel
8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel
17.30 Choral Evensong

TUESDAY 25 JAMES THE APOSTLE
8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel
8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel
17.30 Choral Evensong

WEDNESDAY 26 *Anne and Joachim, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel
8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel
17.30 Evening Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

THURSDAY 27 *Brooke Foss Westcott, bishop, teacher of the faith, 1901*
8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel
8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel
14.30 Thanksgiving Service for Lord Toulson
17.30 Choral Evensong

FRIDAY 28
8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel
8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel
17.30 Choral Evensong

SATURDAY 29 *Mary, Martha and Lazarus, companions of our Lord*
8.40 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel
9.00 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel
17.00 Choral Evensong

NEXT SUNDAY 30 July The Seventh Sunday after Trinity
We welcome the Phoenix Boys' Choir singing our services today

8.00 **Holy Communion** Lady Chapel
PRESIDENT Canon Julie Gittoes
READINGS 1 Kings 3.5-12; Matthew 13.31-33,44-52

9.45 **The Cathedral Eucharist**
PRESIDENT Canon Andrew Bishop
PREACHER Canon Julie Gittoes
READINGS 1 Kings 3.5-12; Romans 8.26-end; Matthew 13.31-33,44-52

11.30 **Choral Mattins**
READINGS Song of Songs 2; 1 Peter 4.7-14

18.00 **Choral Evensong**
PREACHER Canon Andrew Bishop
READINGS 1 Kings 6.11-14,23-end; Acts 12.1-17

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND EVENTS

TODAY SUNDAY
8.45 Lectio Divina (Library)

MONDAY 24
18.00 Guildford Photographic Society

TUESDAY 25
10.00 Cathedral Staff Meeting (Chapter House)

NOTICEBOARD

Welcome to the Phoenix Boys' Choir
A warm welcome to Phoenix Boys' Choir from Phoenix, Arizona who will be singing Choral Evensong this week and the morning services next Sunday.

Flowers in the Cathedral
Thank you to Nina Fries and Dorking Flower Club for the beautiful flowers in the Cathedral this week.

Thank you to Canon Andrew
A huge thank you to Andrew as he concludes his interim role as Acting Precentor. In the past 10 months he has juggled a heavy workload in that capacity

whilst also continuing as Anglican Chaplain at the University of Surrey. We are grateful to the Vice-Chancellor for enabling the arrangement and to Andrew for managing to combine two full time posts so effectively and with such good humour. Stuart, as Sub Dean, will continue as Acting Precentor until we welcome our new Canon Liturgist in early November. The Precentor email box will be monitored and responses will typically take up to three days. If it is an urgent enquiry please contact the Liturgy and Music Administrator, Carolyn Howard-Jones liturgymusic@guildford-cathedral.org

Prayer for healing and wholeness – during Cathedral Eucharist
Please come to the Lady Chapel immediately after receiving Communion. You may want prayer and anointing for healing for yourself or another person or you may have some other concern for which you would appreciate prayer. Anyone with any request is welcome.

A Week of Guided Prayer - 26 November to 1 December
This will be an opportunity to grow and develop in prayer with the help of experienced Prayer Guides. An introductory leaflet is available today from Canon Mavis Wilson and there will be more information and explanation in September. This is a first instalment to whet your appetite, but if you already know that you want to take the opportunity you can apply now.

Artists-in-Residence Display – South Garth
During *The People's Cathedral* project we have had two artists-in-residence and until August there is a display of work by the *Cabinet of Curiosities* (Edmund Salter and Caroline Collinge) in the South Garth. They work entirely in paper and so the beautiful pieces are fragile. Please do take some time to see this exquisite work.

News from the Cathedral Community Committee
The next Chat after Church will be on 10 September after the Cathedral Eucharist. Community news and details of the Committee are on our website https://www.guildford-cathedral.org/support/community-committee

An exciting opportunity - Tower Tour Guides
Could you be a Tower Tour Guide? Full training and support provided and you'll have the best view in Surrey. If you are interested in finding out more about this exciting opportunity (without obligation!) please contact Gill Thorpe, Volunteer Coordinator on 01483 547885 or email gill@guildford-cathedral.org

Theological Book Group - 17 September 11.30 am
The theological book group will meet in the Chapter House and we will be talking about *Divine Sparks: Everyday encounters with God's incoming kingdom* by Donna Lazenby (Tutor in Spirituality and Apologetics at St Mellitus College). For more information, contact Canon Julie on julie@guildford-cathedral.org or 01483 547 863

Transforming Work 14 October
A conference entitled *Taking your faith to work?* The keynote speaker is Paul Williams, CEO, Bible Society and there will be a number of seminars on handling work place stress, transforming our commute, starting work place groups and pastoral care in HR. Facilitators include Canon Dr Julie Gittoes. Tickets cost £20 and you can book here: https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/transforming-work-the-conference-tickets-31706963381

Sermon blog
Canon Julie's sermons from the Cathedral Eucharist can be found on her blog, http://juliegittoes.blogspot.co.uk/2017/07/the-smell-of-rain.html

CONTACTS

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GUILDFORD CATHEDRAL is a place of prayer, reflection, work and celebration, held in particular affection by the many thousands of people who helped build it by buying a brick. There is much to offer to visitors and to those who are looking for a church community to call home. All regular weekday and Sunday services are open to all. The beautiful building and the excellent choral tradition contribute to making our Cathedral a place to which, once visited, you will want to return.

Guildford Cathedral is a centre for worship and mission to support the ministry of the Bishop in faith and engagement. The Cathedral is a sacred space and an open community of people who together engage with God and the wider world, for the common good. It is a focus and resource for the whole community: a place of daily choral worship, a space for stillness and prayer, a place of pilgrimage and a venue for concerts, art and education.

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