



GUILDFORD
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Welcome

THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Sunday 1 October 2017

LECTIO DIVINA takes place today at 8.45am in the Library. An informal opportunity to reflect on scripture together in a contemplative way for about 15 minutes. All welcome. No need to attend every session.

SUNDAY SCHOOL takes place in the Library during the 9.45am Eucharist. There are soft bags of toys for under 3s available from the Stewards. 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 biscuits are served at the back of the Cathedral.

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.

COMMUNITY: 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.

NEWS SHEETS: The last six editions can be viewed from the website <https://www.guildford-cathedral.org/news>

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TODAY'S SERVICES

8am Holy Communion

PRESIDENT Canon Andrew Bishop

READINGS Ezekiel 18.1- 4, 25-end; Matthew 21. 23-32

9.45am Cathedral Eucharist

PRESIDENT Canon Julie Gittoes

SETTING Missa brevis in C K220, *Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)*

HYMN 398

COLLECT

O Lord,
we beseech thee mercifully
to receive the prayers
of thy people which call upon thee;
and grant that they may both perceive and know
what things they ought to do,
and also may have grace and power
faithfully to fulfil the same;
through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord,
who liveth and reigneth with thee,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING Ezekiel 18.1-4, 25-end read by Janet Lawson

The word of the Lord came to me: What do you mean by repeating this proverb concerning the land of Israel, 'The parents have eaten sour grapes, and the children's teeth are set on edge'? As I live, says the Lord God, this proverb shall no more be used by you in Israel. Know that all lives are mine; the life of the parent as well as the life of the child is mine: it is only the person who sins that shall die. Yet you say, 'The way of the Lord is unfair.' Hear now, O house of Israel: Is my way unfair? Is it not your ways that are unfair? When the righteous turn away from their righteousness and commit iniquity, they shall die for it; for the iniquity that they have committed they shall die. Again, when the wicked turn away from the wickedness they have committed and do what is lawful and right, they shall save their life. Because they considered and turned away from all the transgressions that they had committed, they shall surely live; they shall not die. Yet the house of Israel says, 'The way of the Lord is unfair.' O house of Israel, are my ways unfair? Is it not your ways that are unfair? Therefore I will judge you, O house of Israel, all of you according to your ways, says the Lord God. Repent

and turn from all your transgressions; otherwise iniquity will be your ruin. Cast away from you all the transgressions that you have committed against me, and get yourselves a new heart and a new spirit! Why will you die, O house of Israel? For I have no pleasure in the death of anyone, says the Lord God. Turn, then, and live.

PSALM 25.1-8

- 1 Unto thee, O Lord, will I lift up my soul; my God, I have put my trust in thee :
O let me not be confounded, neither let mine enemies triumph over me.
- 2 For all they that hope in thee shall not be ashamed :
but such as transgress without a cause shall be put to confusion.
- 3 Shew me thy ways, O Lord :
and teach me thy paths.
- 4 Lead me forth in thy truth, and learn me: for thou art the God of my
salvation; in thee hath been my hope all the day long.
- 5 Call to remembrance, O Lord, thy tender mercies :
and thy loving-kindnesses, which have been ever of old.
- 6 O remember not the sins and offences of my youth :
but according to thy mercy think thou upon me, O Lord, for thy goodness.
- 7 Gracious and righteous is the Lord :
therefore will he teach sinners in the way.
- 8 Them that are meek shall he guide in judgement :
and such as are gentle, them shall he learn his way.

NEW TESTAMENT READING Philippians 2.1-13 read by Jonathan Neil-Smith

If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death - even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

HYMN 489

GOSPEL READING Matthew 21. 23-32



Al - le-lu - ia, al-le-lu - ia.

Choir Alleluia, alleluia.

All Alleluia, alleluia.

Choir Open our heart, O Lord, to accept the words of your Son.

All Alleluia, alleluia.

The Holy Gospel is written in the twenty first chapter of the Gospel according to Saint Matthew, beginning at the twenty third verse.



Glo - ry be to thee, O Lord.

When Jesus entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came to him as he was teaching, and said, 'By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?' Jesus said to them, 'I will also ask you one question; if you tell me the answer, then I will also tell you by what authority I do these things. Did the baptism of John come from heaven, or was it of human origin?' And they argued with one another, 'If we say, "From heaven", he will say to us, "Why then did you not believe him?" But if we say, "Of human origin", we are afraid of the crowd; for all regard John as a prophet.' So they answered Jesus, 'We do not know.' And he said to them, 'Neither will I tell you by what authority I am doing these things. 'What do you think? A man had two sons; he went to the first and said, "Son, go and work in the vineyard today." He answered, "I will not"; but later he changed his mind and went. The father went to the second and said the same; and he answered, "I go, sir"; but he did not go. Which of the two did the will of his father?' They said, 'The first.' Jesus said to them, 'Truly I tell you, the tax-collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of God ahead of you. For John came to you in the way of righteousness and you did not believe him, but the tax-collectors and the prostitutes believed him; and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Praise be to thee, O Christ.

SERMON Canon Andrew Bishop

HYMN 581 (tune ii)

MOTET Cibavit eos, *William Byrd (1540-1623)*

Cibavit eos ex adipe frumenti, alleluia.
Et de petra melle saturavit eos, alleluia.
Exultate Deo adiutori nostro,
Iubilare Deo Iacob.

Gloria Patri et Filio et Spiritui Sancto
sicut erat in principio et nunc et semper,
et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.

*He fed them from the fulness of the wheat, alleluia.
And sated them with honey from the rock, alleluia.
Rejoice in God our helper,
sing for joy to the God of Jacob.*

*Glory be to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now,
and ever shall be. Amen.*

Votive mass of the Blessed Sacrament

HYMN 166

ORGAN Prelude and Fugue in G (BWV 541), *Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)*
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11.30am Choral Mattins

HYMNS 475, 515

PSALM 125, 126, 127

RESPONSES *Richard Ayleward (1626-1669)*

JUBILATE in C, *Benjamin Britten (1913-1976)*

READINGS Isaiah 48.12-21; Luke 11.37-54

ANTHEM Lift up your heads, *G.F. Handel (1685-1759)*

Lift up your heads, O ye gates, and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors,
and the King of Glory shall come in!

Who is this King of Glory? The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.

Lift up your heads, O ye gates, and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors,
and the King of Glory shall come in!

Who is this King of Glory? The Lord of Hosts, He is the King of Glory.

Psalm 24.7-10

ORGAN Paeon, *Kenneth Leighton (1929-1988)*

6.00pm Choral Evensong

HYMNS 541, 18, 369

PSALM 124

RESPONSES *Bernard Rose (1916-1996)*

CANTICLES *Dallas Cantles, Herbert Howells (1892-1983)*

READINGS Ezekiel 37.15-end; I John 2.22-end

ANTHEM *Bring us, O Lord God, William Harris (1883-1973)*

Bring us, O Lord God, at our last awakening, into the house and gate of heaven, to enter into that gate and dwell in that house, where there shall be no darkness nor dazzling, but one equal light; no noise nor silence, but one equal music; no fears nor hopes, but one equal possession; no ends nor beginnings, but one equal eternity; in the habitation of thy glory and dominion, world without end. Amen.

John Donne

SERMON Canon Julie Gittoes

ORGAN *Rhapsody No 3, Herbert Howells (1892-1983)*

PRAYERS

Those for whom prayers have been asked: Edgar Aveling, Irene Devine, Gillian Doherty, Ineke Geusebrook, Josephine, James Luckey, Peter Martin, Judy Morrison, Jennie Pennant, Anne Rubin, Fiona Stephens, Margaret Willis

Those who have recently died: Michael Barrett, Robert Davidson, Kathleen Jones, Yvonne MacDonald, Susan Maclaine, Trevor Oldroyd, Rita Pollard, Paul Underhill,

Years mind: Ray Christie

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

MONDAY 2

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

sung by the Lay Clerks in honour of Francis Jackson's 100th Birthday

TUESDAY 3

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

WEDNESDAY 4 • *Francis of Assisi, 1226*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Evening Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

THURSDAY 5

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

FRIDAY 6 • *William Tyndale, martyr, 1536*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

SATURDAY 7

8.40 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

9.00 Eucharist of Wholeness and Healing (said) Lady Chapel

17.00 Choral Evensong *attended by Guildford Cathedral Choir Association*

NEXT SUNDAY 8 October Harvest Sunday

8.00 **Holy Communion** Lady Chapel

PRESIDENT The Very Reverend Dianna Gwilliams

READINGS Deuteronomy 8.7-18; Luke 12.16-20

9.45 **The Cathedral Eucharist**

PRESIDENT Canon Andrew Bishop

PREACHER Jo Cookes, Director of Diocesan Communities Engagement Team

READINGS Deuteronomy 8.7-18; 2 Corinthians 9.6-end; Luke 12.16-20

18.00 **Choral Evensong**

PREACHER Canon Andrew Bishop

READINGS Proverbs 2.1-11; 1 John 2.1-17

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND EVENTS

TODAY SUNDAY

8.45 Lectio Divina (Library)

16.00 GraveTalk (Marquee)

TUESDAY 3

11.00 Mothers' Union Pilgrimage of Prayer (Lady Chapel)

WEDNESDAY 4

9.00 Schools Workshops (Marquee)

THURSDAY 5

11.15 Coffee Concert (free coffee from 10.30) (Nave)

18.15 College of Canons Meeting (Chapter House)

FRIDAY 6

14.30 School Centered Initial Teacher Training Awards (Nave)

SATURDAY 7

14.00 and 15.15 Tower Tours

Tickets available on-line in advance or there may be some availability at the Cathedral Shop.

18.00 AGM of Guildford Cathedral Choristers Association (Chapter House)

NOTICEBOARD

Flowers in the Cathedral

Thank you to Mo Pickett and Sally Sweet for the beautiful flowers in the Cathedral this week.

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| <h3>A Week of Guided Prayer - 26 November to 1 December</h3> |
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| <p>This will be an opportunity to grow and develop in prayer with the help of experienced Prayer Guides. Places are limited and booking is now open. For sign-up forms or for more information please contact Canon Mavis or e-mail welcome@guildford-cathedral.org</p> |
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GraveTalk – TODAY, 4pm

An informal opportunity to talk about death, dying, grief and funerals over tea and cake. At previous events, participants have found comfort and encouragement in being able to reflect together on the things we value in life, how our faith is reflected in funerals, our experience of bereavement and what support we have found helpful. The group begins at 4pm, prior to Evensong at 6pm. For more information please see Canon Julie.

Coffee Concert – Thursday 5 October, coffee from 10.30am

On Thursday our Autumn series of Coffee Concerts continues as we welcome soloists and ensembles from the Royal Grammar School, Guildford. All are welcome to this informal concert. Last month 101 year old Irene from one of the local nursing homes came and enjoyed the violin and piano concert. If you could volunteer to help provide hospitality or if you'd like more information please contact Emma 01483 547862 deanspa@guildford-cathedral.org

Services of Wholeness and Healing - Saturday 7 October

Since the early days of the Church, human touch and anointing with oil have played an important role in worship and pastoral care, symbolising both comfort and healing. On the first Saturday of each month during Holy Communion there is an opportunity to receive prayer with laying on of hands and anointing. You may like prayer for yourself or for another. There is no need to say what the need is – God knows our hearts. All are welcome. The service is in the Lady Chapel and begins at 9.00am and lasts about 40 minutes.

Harvest Collection – Sunday 8 October

In your shopping this week can you please add something for our Harvest donation to the North Guildford Food Bank and the Number 5 project? Together they have requested the following: cereal, drinking chocolate, jam, puddings (e.g. steamed sponges, whipped jellies with fruit), sugar, toilet rolls, tinned potatoes and tinned vegetables, men's disposable razors, shampoo, deodorant, men's pants and socks, warm hats and gloves, tooth brushes, pull up nappies (not sizes 1 or 2) and non-bio washing powder. A small amount of perishable food is requested (fresh fruit and vegetables) but the projects cannot use a large amount. Ann Mather from the North Guildford Food Bank will be available during coffee after the service to tell us more about the work. Our preacher at the Cathedral Eucharist will be Jo Cookes, Director of the Diocesan Communities Engagement Team.

Harvest Lunch – Sunday 8 October

The Community Committee are arranging a Harvest Lunch in Seasons after the Eucharist. The price for two courses is £15.95. Please take this opportunity to support our new on-site caterers by making a booking via e-mail to events@guildford-cathedral.org. The menu can be found on the Community page of the website www.guildford-cathedral.org/support/community-committee

Buns on Saturday - Saturday 14 October 10am to 11.30am

All are welcome to this informal opportunity to discuss issues of life, faith and the things we might just call 'stuff', but which is important or relevant to us. All views or opinions heard and respected. Coffee, tea and fresh buns provided. We meet in the Chapter House. More details from John and Caroline Austin, Sheila Mackelworth, Jean Deeks or the Dean.

Transforming Work - Saturday 14 October, 10am to 3pm

A short day conference at St Paul's Camberley which aims to encourage and inspire discipleship in the workplace. A keynote address from Paul Williams, CEO of the Bible Society together with a choice of interactive seminars will provide fresh insights and opportunity to engage with others sharing the same concerns. Canon Julie and Julian Roberts are facilitating one of the seminars.

The cost of the day includes a light lunch. For more details see <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/transforming-work-the-conference-tickets-31706963381>

Be a Chorister for a Day! - Sunday 15 October, 2pm to 6pm

This fun event provides an opportunity for boys aged between 6 and 8 and girls aged between 8 and 11 to participate in choral singing for beginners, or for experienced singers. The day is organized and provided by Katherine Dienes-Williams. There is a small charge of £6 to cover materials and refreshments. Places are limited so please register your interest by contacting Carolyn Howard-Jones on 01483 547 868 or liturgymusic@guildford-cathedral.org

Welcome to The Reverend Dr Paul Smith

We look forward to welcoming Paul as he is Installed as Canon Liturgist on Sunday 22 October at 3.00pm. We would like to give him a Welcome Hamper as he and his family move into the Close. Please bring something to contribute to this – perhaps something you'd like to receive yourself. Donations can be brought to services between now and 21 October or left with the Virgers. He will begin work on Sunday 5 November.

Come and enjoy a Tour

You may be very familiar with the Cathedral but have you ever taken a Guided Tour or a Tower Tour? Our experienced and friendly Guides provide regular scheduled tours and tickets for these can be obtained from the Cathedral Shop on the day or booked on-line through the website. There are also self-guided tours which focus on particular aspects of our wonderful building including a self-guided pilgrimage. For children there are new trails, including Hidden Animals and Explorer Bags to help them find them. Our Tower Tours take place on Saturdays at 2pm and 3.15pm. Climb the 249 steps and be rewarded with the best view in Surrey. Tickets for Tower Tours can be booked on-line and there will sometimes be some available on the day from the Cathedral Shop. Details at www.guildford-cathedral.org/visit/tours/schedule

Our café and restaurant

We are very pleased to announce that on Tuesday our new catering partner will be opening up *Seasons Café and Kitchen*. We look forward to welcoming Carla, who will be General Manager and working with our wonderful Refectory colleagues who we all know, Marissa, Sheila and Phil.

Reformation 500 Study Day - 8 November, 10.15am to 3pm

As part of our celebrations to mark the 500th anniversary of the Reformation we welcome respected speaker, author and historian, Derek Wilson. Derek will lead

our study day on the historical context and the spiritual impact of the Reformation, with the opportunity for discussion. We are also delighted to welcome Bishop Christopher Herbert, who will be sharing his extensive knowledge of art history in the context of the Reformation. The day will be of particular interest to students and historians and those with a passion for theology and the arts. All are welcome, admission is free. For information and to reserve a place contact Canon Julie: julie@guildford-cathedral.org

An evening visit to Westminster Abbey with the Purcell Club

On Saturday 9 December the Friends of Guildford Cathedral are organising an unique visit to the Abbey which includes a behind-the-scenes tour of the remarkable history and events which have shaped the life of the nation, interpreted by period music from the Purcell Club, a vocal ensemble of renown. The tour is preceded by a two-course supper in the Cellarium Café. There is a limited number of tickets remaining. The cost of the evening is £70 which includes coach travel from the Cathedral, supper and tour. For more information or a booking form please contact Lisa Hatherall, Friends Secretary, 01483 547875 / friends@guildford-cathedral.org

CONTACTS

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Sermon blog

Canon Julie's and Canon Andrew's sermons can be found on their blogs,
<http://juliegittoes.blogspot.co.uk> and <https://canonandrewb.blogspot.co.uk>



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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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