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Welcome

# THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Sunday 15 October 2017

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**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, refreshments are available in Seasons Café and Restaurant.

**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](mailto: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** The Venerable Stuart Beake

**READINGS** Isaiah 25.1-9; Matthew 22.1-14

## 9.45am Cathedral Eucharist

**PRESIDENT** The Very Reverend Dianna Gwilliams

**SETTING** Missa brevis, *Jonathan Dove (b. 1959)*

**HYMN** 426 (tune 392)

### COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God,  
increase in us your gift of faith  
that, forsaking what lies behind  
and reaching out to that which is before,  
we may run the way of your commandments  
and win the crown of everlasting joy;  
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** Isaiah 25.1-9 read by Andrew Hodges

O Lord, you are my God; I will exalt you, I will praise your name; for you have done wonderful things, plans formed of old, faithful and sure. For you have made the city a heap, the fortified city a ruin; the palace of aliens is a city no more, it will never be rebuilt. Therefore strong peoples will glorify you; cities of ruthless nations will fear you. For you have been a refuge to the poor, a refuge to the needy in their distress, a shelter from the rainstorm and a shade from the heat. When the blast of the ruthless was like a winter rainstorm, the noise of aliens like heat in a dry place, you subdued the heat with the shade of clouds; the song of the ruthless was stilled. On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-matured wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-matured wines strained clear. And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; he will swallow up death for ever. Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken. It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the Lord for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

## PSALM 23



In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for e-ver and e-ver.

The Lord is my shepherd :

therefore can I lack nothing.

He makes me lie down in green pastures :

and leads me beside still waters. **Response**

He shall refresh my soul :

and guide me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil :

for you are with me; your rod and your staff comfort me. **Response**

You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me :

you have anointed my head with oil and my cup shall be full.

Surely goodness and loving mercy shall follow me all the days of my life :

and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever. **Response**

### **NEW TESTAMENT READING** Philippians 4.1-9 read by Katrina Jenkins

Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved. I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life. Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

## GOSPEL READING Matthew 22.1-14



Choir Alleluia, alleluia.

All **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Choir The Word was made flesh and dwelt among us; to all who did accept him he gave power to become children of God.

All **Alleluia, alleluia.**

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



Once more Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying: ‘The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son. He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come. Again he sent other slaves, saying, “Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet.” But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business, while the rest seized his slaves, maltreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his slaves, “The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet.” Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests. ‘But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, and he said to him, “Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?” And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, “Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.” For many are called, but few are chosen.’

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**SERMON** The Venerable Stuart Beake

**INTERCESSIONS** led by Canon Mavis Wilson

**THE VALEDICTION** of Ben Etherton, Lay Clerk

**HYMN 448**

**MOTET** Ave verum corpus, *Colin Mawby (b. 1936)*

Ave verum  
corpus, natum de Maria Virgine,  
vere passum,  
immolatum in cruce pro homine,  
cujus latus perforatum  
unda fluxit sanguine;  
esto nobis praegustatum  
mortis examine.

O Jesu dulcis,  
O pie, O Jesu fili Mariae.

*All hail,  
true body of the blessed Virgin born,  
which in anguish to redeem us  
didst suffer upon the cross;  
from whose side, when pierced by spear  
there came forth both water and blood  
be to us at our last hour the source of in  
consolation.*

*O Jesus loving,  
O holy, O Jesu Son of Mary.*

*Text: 14th Century, attr. Pope Innocent VI*

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast:

for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed,  
here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given,  
when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever.

**HYMN 277**

**ORGAN** Præludium in G minor (BuxWV149) *Dietrich Buxtehude (c1637-1707)*

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**11.30am Choral Mattins**

**HYMNS** 385, 401

**PSALMS** 138, 141

**RESPONSES** *Philip Moore (b. 1943)*

**TE DEUM** in **A** *Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)*

**READINGS** Isaiah 50.4-10; Luke 13.22-30

**ANTHEM** *All we like sheep, George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)*

All we like sheep have gone astray. We have turned everyone to his own  
Way, and the Lord hath laid on him the iniquity of us all. *Isaiah 53:6*

**ORGAN** *Pomp and Circumstance No 4, Edward Elgar (1857-1934)*

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## **5pm Choral Evensong**    *see separate Order of Service*

*sung by Be A Chorister! Participants and the Cathedral Choir*

## **PRAYERS**

**Those for whom prayers have been asked:** Edgar Aveling, Jenny Ellis, Ineke Geusebrook, Joan Hughes, James Luckey, Josephine, Peter Martin, Jennie Pennant, Anne Rubin, Fiona Stephens,

**Those who have recently died:** Michael Barrett, Judy Morrison,

**Year's mind:** Maisie Brown, Stanley Hyde, Bob Wilkinson

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## **THIS WEEK'S SERVICES**

**MONDAY 16** • *Nicholas Ridley and Hugh Latimer, Bishops, Martyrs, 1555*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong *sung by the Lay Clerks*

**TUESDAY 17** • *Ignatius, Bishop, Martyr, c.107*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

**WEDNESDAY 18** • **LUKE THE EVANGELIST**

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

12.00 Healing Eucharist Guildford Chapter, Society of Catholic Priests

*All welcome to attend*

17.30 Choral Eucharist *sung by the Cecilia Singers*

**THURSDAY 19** • *Henry Martyn, Translator, Missionary, 1812*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

**FRIDAY 20**

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

## **SATURDAY 21**

8.40 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

9.00 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.00 Evening Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

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## **NEXT SUNDAY 22 October Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity**

8.00 **Holy Communion** Lady Chapel

**PRESIDENT** Canon Julie Gittoes

**READINGS** Isaiah 45. 1-7; Matthew 22.15-22

9.45 **The Cathedral Eucharist**

**PRESIDENT** The Venerable Stuart Beake

**PREACHER** The Very Reverend Dianna Gwilliams

**READINGS** Isaiah 45. 1-7; I Thessalonians I. 1-10; Matthew 22.15-22

11.30 **Morning Prayer (Common Worship)** Lady Chapel

**READINGS** Isaiah 54.1-14; Luke 13.31 - end

15.00 **Choral Evensong** *with Installation of The Reverend Dr Paul Smith*

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## **THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND EVENTS**

### **TODAY SUNDAY**

8.45 Lectio Divina (Library)

### **TUESDAY 17**

15.30 Friends of Guildford Cathedral Board Meeting (Chapter House)

19.00 Cathedral Council Meeting (Chapter House)

### **SATURDAY 21**

14.00 and 15.15 Tower Tours

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

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## **NOTICEBOARD**

### **Be a Chorister for a Day! – Evensong 5.00pm Today**

We're delighted to welcome many children to *Be a Chorister for a Day!* this afternoon. Their day will conclude with a service of Choral Evensong at 5.00pm to which all are welcome. For more information please speak to Katherine Dienes-Williams, Richard Moore or Matthew Kelley.

## **Welcome to The Reverend Dr Paul Smith**

We look forward to welcoming Paul as he is Installed as Canon Liturgist next Sunday. We would like to give him a Welcome Hamper as he and his family move into the Close. There is still time to donate to the hamper - perhaps something you'd like to receive yourself. Donations can be brought to services this week or left with the Virgers. He will begin work on Sunday 5 November.

## **BBC Radio 2 Young Chorister of the Year 2017**

We wish the Head Chorister of our Cathedral Girls' choir the very best of luck as she heads to Manchester on Saturday 21 October as a finalist in the BBC Radio 2 Young Chorister of the Year competition. The final will be broadcast on BBC Radio 2 on Wednesday 25 October at 10 p.m.

## **Seasons Café and Restaurant**

Seasons are open seven days a week, 9am to 4.30pm. Hot meals are available until 3.00 pm and all day breakfasts are available on Saturdays and Sundays. If you haven't yet visited do so soon. There is a varied menu, table service, play space for children and a friendly atmosphere.

## **Flowers in the Cathedral**

Thank you to Dorothy Seymour, Mary Hainline and Betty Parrott for the beautiful flowers in the Cathedral this week.

### **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.

#### **DON'T MISS OUT**

Today is the Sunday by which you have been invited to sign up for the Week of Accompanied Prayer. If you have not done so it is not too late. For the past four weeks we have reserved the invitation for members of the cathedral community including staff and volunteers. People in the diocese have been asking to come but you are the priority. So please sign up very soon before all the places are taken. If you are feeling uncertain please speak to Canon Mavis who will be ready to answer any questions, or e-mail [welcome@guildford-cathedral.org](mailto:welcome@guildford-cathedral.org)

## **Coins Scheme**

Members of the congregation have recently brought in packets of current UK 1p, 2p, 5p and 10p coins. In addition, £40 has come back from Hong-Kong. Many thanks, all very useful. Anyone - please - going to Prague or Budapest? Total now £16,060.

## **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](http://www.guildford-cathedral.org/visit/tours/schedule)

## **Joint tour with the Lightbox – Thursday 19 October**

Enjoy an all inclusive guided tour of both Guildford's contemporary Cathedral and the popular exhibition 'Face to Face: The Figurative Sculpture of Sean Henry' at The Lightbox gallery and museum. Price includes coach travel to and from The Lightbox and lunch provided by Seasons cafe and Kitchen. Further details from <https://www.thelightbox.org.uk/Event/discover-surrey-tour-guildford-cathedral-and-the-lightbox>

## **Remembrance at All Souls – Requiem Thursday 2 November, 7.00 pm**

All are welcome to the Choral Requiem on Thursday 2 November at 7pm. During the service we will be reading out the names of all who died in the past year. If you are planning to attend and would like to add the name of a loved one to be read out please do so on the list available from the Steward after 8.00am Holy Communion, or on the Welcome Table at the west end of the Cathedral.

## **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](mailto:julie@guildford-cathedral.org)

## **Theological Book Group – Sunday 26 November, 11.30**

The next meeting will be on Sunday, 26 November at 11.30 in the Chapter House – discussing *I thought there would be cake* by Katharine Welby-Roberts, which explores her personal journey towards a 'healthy appreciation' of herself

in the face of depression and anxiety. She offers ways of coping with everyday issues and embrace our self-worth before God. Dates/books for 2018 begin with Reni Eddo-Lodge's *Why I'm no longer talking to white people about race* (28 January) and James K. A. Smith's *You are what you love: the spiritual power of habit* (18 March).

### **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

### **Faith In The Future**

Faith In the Future our new Legacy leaflet, and Will Making Guide, were launched recently. If you have not had a leaflet a small supply are available from The Welcome Desk. The Faith in The Future leaflet and the Will Making Guide are available on the website to download at <https://www.guildford-cathedral.org/support/wills>. If you would like to speak to Susan or Nicola in the fundraising team, or request copies be sent to you of the two leaflets, please call 01483 547 884, or send us an enquiry via email to [fundraising@guildford-cathedral.org](mailto:fundraising@guildford-cathedral.org).

### **Hospitality at Christmas**

HOST UK is a charity whose mission is to give a welcome to international students in British homes for friendship and cultural exchange. Whilst not a faith-based charity, it values the offers of hospitality that result from awareness-raising in Churches through parish news and word of mouth. Whilst they operate all year round Christmas or New Year is an especially valuable time to enjoy welcoming guests into your home. If you should like to know more please look at the website [www.hostuk.org](http://www.hostuk.org), email [info@hostuk.org](mailto:info@hostuk.org) or phone 020 7739 6292

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# 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.

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