



GUILDFORD
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Welcome

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT- MOTHERING SUNDAY

Sunday 11 March 2018

LECTIO DIVINA takes place today at 8.45am in the Library. An informal opportunity to reflect on scripture together in a contemplative way.

SUNDAY SCHOOL takes place in the Library for those 3-11. There is a DIY crèche in the Exhibition Room (next to the Library) for under 3s.

HYMN BOOKS 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.

COFFEE AND FELLOWSHIP Coffee and tea and Fair Trade cake will be available in the Cathedral after the Eucharist. Please stay if you are able.

GIVING: Regular worshippers are asked to join the Planned Giving Scheme. For more information please ask a Steward. This helps the Cathedral greatly 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 Paul Smith

READINGS Exodus 2.1-10; John 19.25b-27

9.45am Cathedral Eucharist

PRESIDENT The Very Reverend Dianna Gwilliams

SETTING Missa brevis, *William Walton (1902-1983)*

HYMN 442 (tune 278)

COLLECT

God of compassion,
whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary,
shared the life of a home in Nazareth,
and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself:
strengthen us in our daily living that in joy and in sorrow
we may know the power of your presence
to bind together and to heal;
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 Exodus 2.1-10 read by Rachel Impey

Now a man from the house of Levi went and married a Levite woman. The woman conceived and bore a son; and when she saw that he was a fine baby, she hid him for three months. When she could hide him no longer she got a papyrus basket for him, and plastered it with bitumen and pitch; she put the child in it and placed it among the reeds on the bank of the river. His sister stood at a distance, to see what would happen to him. The daughter of Pharaoh came down to bathe at the river, while her attendants walked beside the river. She saw the basket among the reeds and sent her maid to bring it. When she opened it, she saw the child. He was crying, and she took pity on him. 'This must be one of the Hebrews' children,' she said. Then his sister said to Pharaoh's daughter, 'Shall I go and get you a nurse from the Hebrew women to nurse the child for you?' Pharaoh's daughter said to her, 'Yes.' So the girl went and called the child's mother. Pharaoh's daughter said to her, 'Take this child and nurse it for me, and I will give you your wages.' So the woman took the child and nursed it. When the child grew up, she brought him to Pharaoh's daughter, and she took him as her son. She named him Moses, 'because', she said, 'I drew him out of the water.'

PSALM 127.1-4



The Lord shall keep your watch o-ver your go-ing out and your co-ming in.

Unless the Lord builds the house :

Those who build it labour in vain.

Unless the Lord keeps the city :

The guard keeps watch in vain.

It is in vain that you hasten to rise up early
and go so late to rest, eating the bread of toil :

For he gives his beloved sleep.

Children are a heritage from the Lord :

And the fruit of the womb is his gift. **Response**

NEW TESTAMENT READING Colossians 3.12-17 read by Bob Ellison

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

GOSPEL READING John 19.25b-27



Praise to you, O Christ, King of e-ter-nal glo-ry.

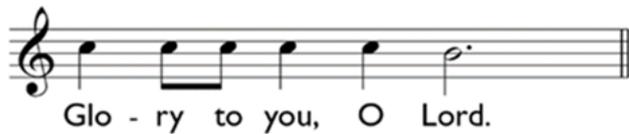
Choir Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.

All Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.

Choir Blessed is the Virgin Mary who treasured the Word of God,
and pondered it in her heart.

All Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.

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



Meanwhile, standing near the cross of Jesus were his mother, and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing beside her, he said to his mother, 'Woman, here is your son.' Then he said to the disciple, 'Here is your mother.' And from that hour the disciple took her into his own home.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



SERMON Canon Paul Smith

INTERCESSIONS led by James Luckey

HYMN 505

MOTET *Salve regina, Francis Poulenc (1899-1963)*

Salve, Regina, Mater misericordiæ,
vita, dulcedo, et spes nostra, salve.
Ad te clamamus
exsules filii Hevæ,

Ad te suspiramus, gementes
et flentes in hac lacrimarum valle.
Eia, ergo, advocata nostra, illos tuos
misericordes oculos ad nos converte;
Et Jesum, benedictum fructum ventris tui,

nobis post hoc exsilium ostende.
O clemens, O pia,
O dulcis Virgo Maria.

*Hail, holy Queen, Mother of Mercy,
Hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope.
To thee do we cry,
poor banished children of Eve;*

*to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning
and weeping in this valley of tears.
Turn then, most gracious advocate,
thine eyes of mercy toward us;
show unto us the blessed fruit
of thy womb, Jesus.
and after this our exile,
O clement, O loving
O sweet Virgin Mary.*

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Loving God, as a mother feeds her children at the breast
you feed us in this sacrament with the food and drink of eternal life:
help us who have tasted your goodness
to grow in grace within the household of faith;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

HYMN 530

ORGAN Prelude and Fugue in C (BWV 545), *Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)*

6pm Choral Evensong

sung by the Cathedral Choir with Guildford Cathedral Singers.

HYMNS 516(i), 487, 435(i)

PSALMS 13, 14

RESPONSES *Richard Ayleward (1626-1669)*

CANTICLES Evening service in A minor, *Thomas Tertius Noble (1867-1953)*

READINGS Exodus 6.2-13; Romans 5.1-11

ANTHEM *Insanae et vanae curae, Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)*

Insanae et vanae curae invadunt mentes nostras,
saepe furore replent corda, privata spe,
Quid prodest O mortalis conari pro mundanis,
si coelos negligas,
Sunt fausta tibi cuncta, si Deus est pro te.

*Vain and raging cares invade our minds,
Madness often fills the heart, robbed of hope,
O mortal man, what does it profit to endeavour at worldly things,
if you should neglect the heavens?
If God is for you, all things are favourable for you.*

SERMON Canon Peter Shaw

PRAYERS *including Prayer of Dedication for the refurbished pipe organ*

ORGAN Fugue (Sonata on the 94th Psalm), *Julius Reubke (1834-1858)*

PRAYERS

Those for whom prayers have been asked: Karen Beaumont, Ben Edwards, Noreen Eldridge, Jenny Ellis, Ineke Geusebrook, Lyn Gray, Derek Head, Joan Hughes, Patricia Peek, Robert Pearson, David Pennant, Margaret, Anne Rubin, Mark Wardell

Those who have died: Natallie Aldridge, Tony Brown, Ted Senior

Year's mind: Millicent France

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

MONDAY 12

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

TUESDAY 13

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

WEDNESDAY 14

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel
8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel
17.30 Evening Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

THURSDAY 15

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel
8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel
17.30 Choral Evensong
20.30 Compline Lady Chapel

FRIDAY 16

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

SATURDAY 17 • *Patrick, bishop, missionary, patron of Ireland, c.460*

8.40 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel
9.00 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel
17.00 Evening Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

NEXT SUNDAY 18 March The Fifth Sunday of Lent

8.00 **Holy Communion** Lady Chapel
PRESIDENT Canon Mavis Wilson
READINGS Jeremiah 31.31-34; John 12.20-33

9.45 **The Cathedral Eucharist**
PRESIDENT The Venerable Stuart Beake
PREACHER Canon Andrew Bishop
READINGS Jeremiah 31.31-34; Hebrews 5.5-10; John 12.20-33

11.30 Choral Mattins

READINGS Exodus 24.3-8; Hebrews 12.18-end

18.00 Choral Evensong

PREACHER Canon Debbie Sellin

READINGS Hosea 11.1-9; Luke 2.41-end

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND EVENTS

TODAY SUNDAY

8.45 Lectio Divina (Library)

12.00 Mothering Sunday Lunch (Seasons)

Limited availability for those who have not yet booked a table

14.00 Steiff Bear Garden Launch (Marquee)

MONDAY 12

10.00 Schools' Lent Workshops (Cathedral)

12.15 Cathedral Fabric Advisory Committee (Chapter House)

TUESDAY 13

9.30 Chapter Meeting (Chapter House)

10.00 Schools' Lent Workshops (Cathedral)

WEDNESDAY 14

9.00 The Arts' Society (NADFAS) (Chapter House)

THURSDAY 15

11.15 Coffee Concert (Cathedral) *coffee and cake served from 10.30*

20.00 Faith through Art (Lady Chapel)

SATURDAY 17

11.00 Scheduled Guided Tour (Cathedral)

19.30 Concert: Mass in B Minor – J. S. Bach, Guildford Choral Society

NOTICEBOARD

Easter Lilies

If you would like to give a donation towards Easter lilies, perhaps in memory of a relative or friend, please send the money in an envelope marked 'Easter lilies' to Gill Thorpe in the office (cheques payable to Guildford Cathedral). Please put your donation in a green Gift Aid envelope and complete your details on the front.

Fairtrade Fortnight – ends TODAY, Sunday 11 March

Look out for special offers on the Fair Trade stall today. During community coffee there will be a cake stall and all proceeds from this will be matched as part of the Government's UK Aid Scheme and donated to Traidcraft's partner charity, Traidcraft Exchange.

Foodbank and the No5 Project – TODAY, Sunday 11 March

Thank you for your generous donations to the Foodbank and the No5 Project. This month the Foodbank would be grateful for: toilet rolls, Sizes 5 and 6 nappies, disposable razors, shaving foam and toiletries for men. The No 5 Project are always grateful for any fresh produce.

Surrey Half Marathon - TODAY, Sunday 11 March

Nicola Goff is taking on the challenge of the Surrey Half Marathon today. Nicola is generously raising funds for Guildford Cathedral. Please support her efforts by sponsoring her via the link on the Cathedral website, Nicola's JustGiving page <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/nicola-goff1> or on the Sponsorship Form which is in the Cathedral Shop. Thank you!

Coffee Concert – Thursday 15 March, coffee from 10.30 am

The Coffee Concert series continues this week with Leigh Parsons singing songs from musicals. This week we also have cakes being sold on behalf of Home-Start Guildford, a local charity providing support and friendship for families. The concerts are informal and free coffee and tea are available from 10.30 am. The concert begins at 11.15 am. If you would like to volunteer to be part of the Hospitality Team or for more information please contact Emma Law on 01483 547 862 or deanspa@guildford-cathedral.org

Faith through Art in Lent - Thursday evenings during Lent

Short talks reflecting on Biblical stories and Lenten themes through the lens of paintings and drawings. The talks start at 8.00 pm and are followed by a service of sung Compline at 8.30 pm. The series continues on Thursday 15 March with a talk by Canon Andres entitled *draw on Andrea Mantegna's painting Agony in the Garden*. The final evenings in the series is 22 March with Canon Julie - *Two Deaths, One Life*. All are welcome for a time of inspiration, conversation and contemplation in word, image and prayer.

Book Launch Invitation - Thursday 15 March 6.30 pm

Regular worshippers at the Cathedral may know that, through his work at the University, Canon Andrew has been reflecting with academics from various disciplines on the subject of sleep. This has led to his work on Christian theology and sleep which is published this month by Jessica Kingsley Publishers. If you would like to come to the book's launch in the University on Thursday 15 March

from 6.30 pm to 7.30 pm (post-Evensong and pre-Compline) please go to <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/theosomnia-book-launch-tickets-42792142450>
Copies of the book will be available on the night (at a 10% discount: full price is £45), from the Cathedral shop or can be ordered through Canon Andrew (canonandrew@guildford-cathedral.org). If you want a taste of the sorts of areas the book covers you can go to <https://theosomnia.blogspot.co.uk/>

Girl Choristers in Concert – Saturday 7.30pm

The girl choristers will be performing a free concert at St Catherine's School, Bramley. All are warmly welcomed to attend.

Prayer for Healing with anointing – Next Sunday 18 March

Prayer, laying on of hands and anointing is offered during the Cathedral Eucharist next Sunday 18 March. Please go to the Lady Chapel immediately after receiving Communion. You may want prayer 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.

Monthly Community Coffee – Thursday 22 March, 9.30 to 11.30 am

Due to the last Thursday of the month being Maundy Thursday, the Community Coffee is being held a week earlier. All are welcome to attend.

Stainer's 'Crucifixion' on Palm Sunday - Sunday 25 March 7.00 pm

We are delighted to be welcoming Barry Rose back to Guildford Cathedral as he celebrates his 60th anniversary of working with the BBC Singers. He will be conducting Stainer's 'Crucifixion' in a live broadcast on BBC Radio. The Organist will be Malcolm Archer and the BBC Singers will be joined by the Cathedral choristers. This is a BBC production and not a service and the Cathedral has been made an allocation of tickets for the performance. If you would like a ticket please contact Carolyn Howard-Jones on 01483 547 868 (liturgymusic@guildford-cathedral.org). We have been told that possession of a ticket does not guarantee admission. Seats are allocated on a first come first served basis. Doors open at 6.15 pm. Please consider joining us for what will be a wonderful way to commence our journey through Holy Week toward the glories of Easter.

Family Activity Days – volunteers needed

As part of our Family outreach programme we have two new events scheduled over the next few months for which we need volunteers. On Wednesday 4 April from 10 am to 12.30 pm there will be an Easter Activity morning and on Wednesday 30 May from 10 am to 12.30 pm there will be a Pentecost Kite Making Workshop. You can volunteer to help at either or at both. If you are interested in volunteering as a helper at one of these events please contact

Louise Kenyon, Acting Head of Schools and Family Learning, louise@guildford-cathedral.org Everyone is invited to put these dates in your diaries to bring your neighbours, children and/or grandchildren along to help them discover more about seasons of the Christian calendar in an informal setting.

Come and enjoy a Tour

The Cathedral is open every day for visitors and pilgrims. There are a variety of self-guided tours which focus on particular aspects of our wonderful building including a self-guided pilgrimage. For children there are new trails and Explorer Bags with everything they need to enjoy their visit. 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. Details at www.guildford-cathedral.org/visit/tours/schedule

Your serving team needs you!

As the Cathedral's Head Server, I count myself very lucky to have inherited a team of dedicated and competent Servers who are always ready to go the extra mile in support of the Cathedral's liturgical needs. They are the people whom you see carrying the processional cross, processional torches, or the thurible when incense is used.

Recently our numbers have declined a bit and it would be very helpful if we were able to recruit some new members to the team. For most serving duties, it is suggested that members of the team should be communicants and at least fourteen years of age but there is no upper age limit. Men and women, girls and boys are welcome; previous experience is not necessary and full training will be given. Younger people can join the team as boat bearers and assist when incense is used. Serving at the Altar can be very demanding, but it is a great privilege to be closely involved in the most significant of the Church's liturgies and it is a very rewarding role. If you think it might be for you, please contact the Cathedral Head Server, Richard North, on 01252 794 802, or the Deputy Head Server, Donald Thompson, on 01784 434 391 or speak to either of them at the Cathedral.

Coins Scheme

Proceeds have come in recently from Sri Lanka and the Emirates. Requests have been received for Viet Nam and Laos. Guildford Cathedral travels world-wide! Total now £16,813. Donations of coins and notes, old or new, always welcomed for fundraising.

2020 visit to Oberammergau

The Community Committee has received a number of enquiries as to whether we shall be arranging a visit to Oberammergau to see the Passion plays in 2020.

This event occurs every 10 years so planning ahead is essential. If you are interested please express an interest to Linda Sharpin on 01483 839 561 or linda@sharpin.com so we can assess the best way to proceed.

Guildford Pilgrimage to Walsingham 2018

For our pilgrimage to Walsingham, we have to make firm bookings with the Hospitality Department at the Shrine by the weekend before Holy Week. Therefore, if you wish to make a firm booking, please let Richard North know as soon as possible. He will then give you a Booking Form which you will be asked to complete and return with a cheque for £30 per person to cover the deposit required to secure the booking. Contact Richard by telephone; 01252 794 802 or email richard.north456@btinternet.com We look forward to hearing from you very shortly.

CONTACTS

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Sermon blogs

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. As well as the rhythm of daily worship we maintain an exciting programme of arts, events, lectures, workshops, exhibitions and concerts.

The 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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