



GUILDFORD
CATHEDRAL

Welcome

PENTECOST

Sunday 20 May 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 aged 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 other refreshments available at the back of Seasons after the Eucharist. No need to queue.

GIVING Regular worshippers are asked to join the Planned Giving Scheme. For more information please ask a Steward. 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.

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>

TODAY'S SERVICES

8am Holy Communion

PRESIDENT The Reverend Neil Vigers

READINGS Acts 2.1-21; John 15.26-27, 16.4b-15

10.30 am Patronal Festival Eucharist

Please see separate order of service

4pm Taize Worship – Thy Kingdom Come

7pm Informal Worship – Thy Kingdom Come

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

MONDAY 21 • *Helena, protector of the Holy Places, 330*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

TUESDAY 22

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

WEDNESDAY 23

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Evening Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

THURSDAY 24 • *John and Charles Wesley, evangelists, hymn writers, 1791 & 1788*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

FRIDAY 25 • *The Venerable Bede, monk, scholar, historian, 735; Aldhelm, bishop, 709*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

SATURDAY 26 • *Augustine, archbishop, 605; John Calvin, reformer, 1564;
Philip Neri, founder of the Oratorians, spiritual guide, 1595*

8.40 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

9.00 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.00 First Evensong of Trinity Sunday

sung by the Association of Cathedral Voluntary Choirs

PRAYERS

Those for whom prayers have been asked: Karen Beaumont, Ben Edwards, Noreen Eldridge, Joan Hughes, Margaret, Robert Pearson, David Pennant, Mark Wardell

Those who have died: Jill Nicolson, Guy Powell, Mavis Stannard

Year's Mind: Gerard Doyle, David Ellison

NEXT SUNDAY 27 May TRINITY SUNDAY

8.00 **Holy Communion** Lady Chapel

PRESIDENT Canon Julie Gittoes

READINGS Isaiah 6.1-8; John 3.1-17

10.30 **Cathedral Eucharist**

PRESIDENT The Very Reverend Dianna Gwilliams

PREACHER The Right Reverend Andrew Watson

READINGS Isaiah 6.1-8; Romans 8.12-17; John 3.1-17

18.00 **Choral Evensong**

PREACHER Canon Paul Smith

READINGS Ezekiel 1.4-10, 22-28a; Revelation 4

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND EVENTS

TODAY SUNDAY

8.45 Lectio Divina (Library)

TUESDAY 22

10.00 Schools Pentecost Workshop (Cathedral)

THURSDAY 24

11.15 Coffee Concert – coffee served from 10.30

18.30 Art Preview

NOTICEBOARD

Flowers in the Cathedral

Thank you to Beryl Jones and Brenda Kelly for the beautiful flowers in the Cathedral this week. Apologies to Rachel Impey and Diana Raisman as we omitted to thank them in the last week's News Sheet for their flowers.

Thy Kingdom Come – Ascension to Pentecost – TODAY

The Archbishops have called all Christians together to use the time from Ascension Day until Pentecost to focus on prayer. Our Cathedral will be the destination for many people from our parishes who will gather today to pray, to worship and to celebrate. At 4.00pm there will be worship in the style of the Taizé community with music led by the Cathedral Choir. This will be followed by Prayer Stations and Messy Church throughout the Cathedral and at 7.00pm Informal Worship led by a music group drawn from within our Diocese. All are welcome. For more information speak to Canon Paul Smith.

Cathedral Community Roll Revision

The revised roll is now available. Please check to ensure your name has been entered. Names may be entered at any time of those over 16 years of age who are regular worshippers at the Cathedral, are employed staff or regular volunteers or those who live in the Cathedral precinct. Forms available from the west end of the Cathedral or Stewards. In order to ensure compliance with the new Data Protection Regulations please complete all sections of the form – this will enable us to store your contact details and to contact you electronically or by post. Forms available from the Guides Desk at the west end of the Cathedral or from the Steward at 8.00am services.

Community Elections

At the Community Meeting the following nominations were ratified: Ian Bowler and Linda Sharpin to serve on Chapter; Ann Bourne to serve on Cathedral Council; Joy Allen to serve on the Cathedral Community Committee and Sarah Hawken to serve on Guildford Deanery Synod. Many thanks to them for their contribution to these areas of Cathedral life.

Canon Andrew Bishop

Canon Andrew will be Licensed as Priest-in-Charge of Croydon Minster on Monday 3 September at 8.00pm. We are planning to organise a coach from the Cathedral to Croydon for the service. Please look out for sign up sheets from 27 May. Andrew's final service at the Cathedral will be the Cathedral Eucharist on Sunday 15 July. There will be refreshments and a presentation after the service.

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. Take a Tower Tour climbing 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.

Half term family Kite Making Workshop - Wednesday 30 May 10am

All are welcome to a Free Activity Day for children of all ages and their parents and carers. There will be a variety of crafts reflecting our Pentecost theme, including kite making and a treasure hunt in the Nave. Bring a picnic and fly your kite. Contact Louise Kenyon louise@guildford-cathedral.org

The Cathedral Choir and Holy Trinity Choir - Sunday 3 June 6pm

We look forward to welcoming the boys, girls and adults of the choir of Holy Trinity Church, Guildford, together with their musical directors as they join our boys, girls and Lay clerks to sing Choral Evensong. This partnership takes place annually and alternates between Holy Trinity and here. It would be wonderful to have many of the cathedral congregation here to offer warm hospitality to our friends from Holy Trinity.

Friends of Guildford Cathedral Day Trip – Wednesday 6 June

All welcome to join a day out at Chartwell House and Gardens in Kent. Tickets cost £13.00 for NT members or £26.00 for non-NT members. Booking forms can be downloaded from www.guildford-cathedral.org/support/friends or found in the leaflet rack outside the Cathedral Shop. Contact Lisa Hatherall for more information 01483 547875 or friends@guildford-cathedral.org

Could you join our Schools and Family Volunteers team?

Every year the Cathedral welcomes hundreds of children from schools across the diocese to take part in lively seasonal workshops to help them learn about Advent, Lent, Easter and Pentecost and it also provides special sessions, such as celebrating the centenary of World War I. The schools' team also runs our popular family fun days during the holidays to encourage young visitors to engage with our community in a Christian setting. We are currently seeking new people to join our team of wonderful volunteers who lead teaching sessions, assist with crafts, help with preparing resources and with refreshments, particularly in the autumn term.

If you would like to find out more please contact gill@guildford-cathedral.org. We would love to tell you more.

God & The Big Bang (GATBB) – Wednesday 4 July 7 to 9pm

Following the highly successful event at Guildford Cathedral in January, the GATBB team from Manchester Cathedral will be returning for an engaging evening event on science and faith. Offering a keynote talk, discussions with their team of science-faith communicators, and a Q&A session, the event will include going back to the Big Bang, trying out mind boggling illusions with a science magician, and exploring how Artificial Intelligence shapes our world today. The evening is suitable for anyone with an interest in science, philosophy and debate, particularly those pursuing further studies and interested in the origins of our world. Details on our website, contact louise@guildford-cathedral.org for more information. Tickets £10, (students £5), booking essential via the cathedral box office <https://www.guildford-cathedral.org/events/boxoffice/263>

Cathedral Sound System

A further meeting of the sound system working group was held this week. Whilst the general improvement continues there was a problem with the tuning of the Dean's clip-on microphone on Sunday, which meant that she was less audible when speaking from the pulpit than when speaking from the steps to the Chancel. The problem with the microphone has now been rectified. The system's Digital Analogue Converter, which has a defect requiring it to be re-set every six weeks, will be fixed when parts arrive from the manufacturer in the next fourteen days. Meanwhile it has been re-set so that there will be no recurrence of the problems experienced on 15 April. The extra loudspeaker for the choir stalls is on order, as are the extra clip-on microphones that will enable all clergy to have their own microphone tuned to their individual voices. The amplification in the Quire which was disabled to enable the Virgers to manage the system from the sound desk, has been restored and the Virgers will soon be able to control the sound from the Nave. Some of their functions in the Quire will be performed by the Servers, or thanks to them for their flexibility. Thanks also to Ken Cornwell, Sue Howland, Janet Matthews and Donald Thompson for their invaluable feedback on the system's performance. A plan of the Nave is available at the Guide's Desk if anyone else wishes to record where they were sitting when experiencing difficulty in hearing at any service.

Coins Scheme

We welcomed the arrival of a huge 13 kilos of pre-decimal copper recently. Very many thanks. We have raised £17,041 over eleven years from gifts like this. The Scheme invites donations of notes and coins of any vintage and from any country to help with fundraising. Please leave in the Sacristy or Cathedral Office.

CONTACTS

The Cathedral Office is usually open for callers from 9 am to 1 pm
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays

01483 547 860 reception@guildford-cathedral.org

The Dean's PA (including contact details for the clergy)

01483 547 862 deanspa@guildford-cathedral.org

To contact a priest in an emergency please phone Emma Law 01483 547 862
(Monday to Friday) or Virgers (Saturday, Sunday and holidays) 01483 547 877 or
07854 564 490

Cathedral Clergy

The Very Reverend Dianna Gwilliams (o) 01483 547 862 (h) 01483 565 258

The Venerable Stuart Beake (h) 01483 893 981

The Reverend Canon Dr Andrew Bishop (h) 01483 573 805 (m) 07891 994 069

The Reverend Canon Dr Julie Gittoes (o) 01483 547 863 (m) 07702 151 173

The Reverend Canon Dr Paul Smith (o) 01483 547 865 (h) 01483 562 378

The Reverend Canon Mavis Wilson (h) 01483 808 097 (m) 07940 846 043

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.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Special Services, Group Bookings and Tours
01483 547 862 or deanspa@guildford-cathedral.org

Venue Hire, Events and Box Office
01483 547 881 or katrina@guildford-cathedral.org

School and Families Visits
01483 547 880 or charlottep@guildford-cathedral.org

Cathedral Shop
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