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Welcome

# The Sunday next before Lent

Sunday 3 March 2019

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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.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** for 3-11 year olds takes place in the Library. 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. 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, or donate via the contactless donation box at the west end of the back of the Cathedral.

**COMMUNITY** If you would like to contact the clergy their details are on the back of the News Sheet. 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 34.29-end; Luke 9.28-36

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## 9.45 am The Cathedral Eucharist

**PRESIDENT** Canon Julie Gittoes

**SETTING** Missa Brevis *Grayston Ives* (b. 1948)

### HYMN 2

### COLLECT

Almighty Father,  
whose Son was revealed in majesty  
before he suffered death upon the cross:  
give us grace to perceive his glory,  
that we may be strengthened to suffer with him  
and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory;  
who liveth and reigneth with thee,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

### OLD TESTAMENT READING Exodus 34. 29 – end read by Ann Bourne

Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. Afterwards all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the Lord had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; but whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

## PSALM 99

The Lord is King, be the people never so impatient :

he sitteth between the cherubims, be the earth never so unquiet.

The Lord is great in Sion :

and high above all people.

They shall give thanks unto thy Name :

which is great, wonderful, and holy.

The King's power loveth judgement; thou hast prepared equity :

thou hast executed judgement and righteousness in Jacob.

O magnify the Lord our God :

and fall down before his footstool, for he is holy.

Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel among such as call upon his

Name :

these called upon the Lord, and he heard them.

He spake unto them out of the cloudy pillar :

for they kept his testimonies, and the law that he gave them.

Thou heardest them, O Lord our God :

thou forgavest them, O God, and punishedst their own inventions.

O magnify the Lord our God, and worship him upon his holy hill :

for the Lord our God is holy.

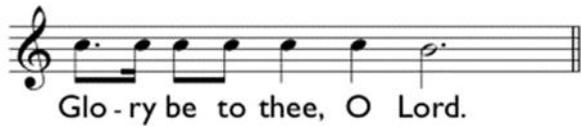
## NEW TESTAMENT READING 2 Corinthians 3.12 – 4.2 read by Paul Savage

Since, then, we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that was being set aside. But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit. Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practise cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

## HYMN 248

## GOSPEL READING Luke 9. 28-36

The Holy Gospel is written in the ninth chapter of the Gospel according to Saint Luke, beginning at the twenty-eighth verse.



Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah' – knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!'

When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

This is the Gospel of the Lord



**SERMON** Canon Julie Gittoes

**HYMN** 523

**MOTET** Hail gladdening light *Charles Wood (1866-1926)*

Hail, gladdening light, of his pure glory poured  
Who is the immortal Father, heavenly, blest,  
Holiest of holies, Jesu Christ, our Lord!  
Now we are come to the sun's hour of rest,  
The lights of evening round us shine,  
We hymn the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit divine.  
Worthiest art thou at all times to be sung  
With undefiled tongue,  
Son of our God, giver of life alone!  
Therefore in all the world thy glories, Lord, they own. Amen.

*Words: Phos Hilaron, anonymas, c. 200-300, trans. John Keble (1792-1866)*

**HYMN 375**

**ORGAN** Allegro maestoso (Sonata in G. Op. 28) *Edward Elgar (1857-1934)*

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**11.30am Choral Mattins**

**HYMNS** 544, 258

**PSALM 2**

**RESPONSES** *Richard Lloyd (b.1933)*

**TE DEUM** in B<sup>b</sup> *Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)*

**READINGS** Exodus 33.17-end; I John 3.1-3

**ANTHEM** O Jesu Christ, meus Lebens Licht (BWV 118) *J.S. Bach (1685-1750)*

O Jesu Christ, meus Lebens Licht,  
mein Hort, mein Trost, mein Zuversicht,  
auf Erden bin ich nur ein Gast, und  
drückt mich sehr der Sünden Last.

*Lord Jesus Christ, my Life, my Light,  
My Strength by day, my Trust by night,  
On earth I'm but a passing guest  
And sorely with my sins oppressed.*

Auf deinen Abschied Herr ich trau  
Darauf mein letzte Heimfahrt bau.  
Tu mir die Himmelstür weit auf  
Wenn ich beschließ mein Lebenslauf.

*Since Thou hast died, the Pure, the Just.  
I take my homeward way in trust.  
The gates of heaven, Lord, open wide  
When here I may no more abide.*

*Words: Martin Behm (1557-1622)*

**ORGAN** Allegro con brio (Sonata No 4 in Bb, Op.65)

*Felix Mendelsshon (1809-1847)*

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**6pm Choral Evensong**

**HYMNS** 22, 424 (omit \*), 377

**PSALM 89 5-12**

**RESPONSES** *Richard Lloyd (b.1933)*

**CANTICLES** Evening Service in E *Herbert Murrill (1909-1952)*

**READINGS** Exodus 3.1-6; John 12.27-36a

**ANTHEM** Insanae et vanae curae (Hob XXI: 13c) *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,  
What does it profit, O mortal man,  
to endeavour at worldly things,  
if you should neglect the heavens?  
All things are favourable for you.  
if God is for you.

**SERMON** The Very Reverend Dianna Gwilliams

**ORGAN** Carillon Herbert Murrill (1909-1952)

## THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

### MONDAY 4

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong Lady Chapel

### TUESDAY 5

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

11.00 Mothers' Union Pilgrimage of Prayer

17.30 Choral Evensong

### WEDNESDAY 6 • ASH WEDNESDAY

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion *with imposition of ashes* (said) Lady Chapel

10.00 Cathedral Tots

17.30 Evening Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

19.00 Choral Eucharist *with imposition of ashes*

### THURSDAY 7 • *Perpetua, Felicity and their companions, Martyrs at Carthage, 203*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

### FRIDAY 8 • *Edward King, Bishop of Lincoln, 1910*

*Felix, bishop, apostle of the East Angles, 647*

*Geoffrey Studdert Kennedy, priest, poet, 1929*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Evensong

### SATURDAY 9 • *Chad, Bishop of Lichfield, missionary, 672*

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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# PRAYER MATTERS

**Those for whom prayers have been asked:** Melanie Crick, Gillian Doherty, Ben Edwards, Elizabeth, Josephine, David Oldfield, Jill Tucker, Marie Watts

**Those recently died:** Isabel Goodrick-Meech, Keith Pratt

**Year's Mind:** Francis Billimore, William Dade, Bernie Hill

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## **NEXT SUNDAY 10 MARCH    The First Sunday of Lent**

**8.00 Holy Communion** Lady Chapel

**PRESIDENT** Canon Julie Gittoes

**READINGS** Deuteronomy 26.1-11; Luke 4.1-13

**9.45 The Cathedral Eucharist**

**PRESIDENT** Canon Julie Gittoes

**PREACHER** The Venerable Stuart Beake

**READINGS** Deuteronomy 26.1-11; Romans 10.8b-13; Luke 4.1-13

**18.00 Choral Evensong**

**PREACHER** Canon Paul Smith

**READINGS** Jonah 3; Luke 18.9-14

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# THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND EVENTS

## **WEDNESDAY 6**

9.30 Arts Society (Barnabas Room)

11.00 Senior Guides Meeting (Chapter House)

## **SATURDAY 9**

10.00 – 16.00 Preloved Vintage sale

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# NOTICEBOARD

## **Cathedral Choir CD launch – this evening 3 March**

All are welcome to a short reception after Evensong this evening as we launch the Cathedral Choir's new CD, *Christ Rising*. The disc is a recording of music for Holy Week and Easter, and is the first recording to be made in our exciting restored acoustic and with our refurbished organ. There will be an opportunity to meet with those involved with the recording at the reception, as well as a chance to hear the CD and buy a copy. The Cathedral Shop will be stocking our CD and it can be purchased on line via the following link

[http://shop.chameleon-arts.co.uk/product\\_view/index/productId/58](http://shop.chameleon-arts.co.uk/product_view/index/productId/58).

## **Running for the Cathedral – 10 March**

Canon Paul will be running 13.1 miles in the Surrey Half Marathon on Sunday 10 March with proceeds going towards the upgrading of our grand piano. This will enable a wider variety of concerts and recitals to take place here. If you'd like to support him in this endeavor please see his JustGiving page [justgiving.com/fundraising/paul-smith365](http://justgiving.com/fundraising/paul-smith365)

## **This week in Seasons Café – National Pie Week**

Every day from 4 March until 10 March Seasons Café will feature a different delicious pie available as part of the lunchtime menu. On Tuesday 5 March it is Shrove Tuesday and Seasons will be offering freshly cooked pancakes with a variety of toppings. Note for your diary: Next Sunday, 10 March, Seasons will be closing at 1pm due to a private function.

## **Crafty helpers wanted - Tuesday 5 March, 10am to 12.30pm**

All are welcome to join in an informal session in the crypt kitchen, to prepare material for nearly 300 children attending our school Easter workshops in March. Coffee provided, contact Becki on [schools@guildford-cathedral.org](mailto:schools@guildford-cathedral.org) for more information or simply turn up.

## **Cathedral Tots - Wednesday 6 March, 10 to 11am**

You are invited to a special family friendly informal service for toddlers and their grown-ups, with story time, free play, craft and refreshments. This service takes place on Ash Wednesday and our theme will be Jesus in the Wilderness. All are welcome, no booking necessary. Free admission.

## **Girl Choristers' Concert, St Catherine's School, Bramley**

On Saturday 9 March the girl choristers will give a free concert at 7.30pm in The Anniversary Hall of St Catherine's School, as part of their annual residential weekend. They will be singing music from the twentieth and twenty-first centuries, from Maurice Duruflé and Thomas Hewitt Jones, to Mark Blatchly and Richard Rodney Bennett (Letters to Lindbergh). Entrance is free, with a retiring collection. Please do come and support the choristers in this exciting endeavour.

## **Foodbank – Sunday 10 March**

Thank you so much for the generous donations in February from the cathedral congregation for the Food bank and the No 5 Project. This month, the Food bank has requested the following: breakfast cereal, flour (self-raising and plain), J-cloths and scourers, women's deodorant, tinned rice pudding. Fresh fruit, vegetables, butter and eggs will be delivered to the No 5 Project.

## **2019 Lent Talks – Thursdays 14, 21 and 28 March, 8pm**

The theme of this year's series is *Christ in the Wilderness*. Each session will begin at 8pm in the Lady Chapel. After a talk by Canon Julie, there will be an opportunity for Q&A before Compline sung by the lay clerks at 8.30pm. The topics are: 'Stones and Bread', 'If you are the Son of God' and 'Kingdoms of the World'.

## **Second Sunday fellowship after Cathedral Eucharist**

Could we please remind everyone to bring their own mug/cup on the second Sunday. We have mugs for visitors and for those who occasionally forget (like the Dean) but we were still a bit short in February. Reusable mugs are available for sale in the Cathedral Shop and at the Fairtrade Stall. If there is anyone who isn't already on the Coffee team who would be able to assist with the serving on a very rare basis, could they please get in touch with Carolin. And many thanks to John and Caroline for taking on this important ministry.

## **Fairtrade Fortnight 25 February - 10 March**

There is no Fair Trade stall this Sunday, but back to normal on Sunday 10 March when there will be a cake stall in aid of Traidcraft Exchange. There are also mini-events and promotions happening in Seasons Café throughout Fairtrade Fortnight. Do pop in and support this worthy cause.

## **Walking and Singing for Cathedral Choir Tour – Saturday 16 March**

On Saturday 16 March our amazing choristers will be taking on the challenge of a 5km Singathon around the Cathedral. As they walk they will also sing as they seek to raise funds to enable everyone to take part in the tour. £500 has been raised so far. If you'd like to support them please go to their JustGiving page [justgiving.com/fundraising/guildford-cathedral-choir](http://justgiving.com/fundraising/guildford-cathedral-choir)

## **Canon Julie**

Canon Julie's final Sunday here will be 12 May and there will be a Reception after Evensong. Her Induction at Vicar of St Mary's with Christ Church, Hendon will take place on Wednesday 19 June. We will be organizing a thank you gift and a coach to Hendon in the near future. Please keep Julie in your prayers.

## **Mothering Sunday preparation on Saturday 30 March**

We would love to be able to give out posies of daffodils to members of the congregation on Refreshment (Mothering) Sunday on March 31 this year. In order to do this, we will need the help of some volunteers to put these together in the Cathedral on the Saturday morning 30 March. Thank you to those who have offered. If we have two more volunteers then we'll be able to go ahead. If you can help, please let Canon Paul know on [paul.smith@guildford-cathedral.org](mailto:paul.smith@guildford-cathedral.org) or 01483 547 865

## **Lead Choir Chaperone**

The Cathedral Choir is hugely grateful to its volunteer chaperones who help us to fulfil our safeguarding requirement and duty of care for our choristers. We are looking to recruit a choir chaperone who can take overall charge of this extremely important facet of Cathedral life. If you think you might be interested, please do consider an application, or if you know of a family member or a friend, please encourage them to put themselves forward. Please see our website for further details <https://www.guildford-cathedral.org/about/current-vacancies>

## **Coins Scheme**

The £19,000 target, so slow to fall, was breached thanks to £25 from an e-Bay sale of collectors' Italian banknotes on e-Bay. Many thanks to our expert! Total now £19,005. Donations of banknotes and coins, of any country and any age, current or obsolete, are always welcome to help with fundraising. Where are you going on holiday or business? Ask John Mitchell if we have anything for your destination country!

## **Passiontide Rosary - The Sorrowful Mysteries, Sunday 7 April 11.30am**

The Rosary is intended to encourage meditation on key incidents from the gospel and allow reflection on the implications of the incarnation. The themes of the Rosary are Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and Luminous. Whilst the repeated prayers invoke the Blessed Virgin Mary, the intention is to meditate on Christ her son and his love for us. In Lent and Passiontide we meditate on the sufferings and death of our Lord for our salvation, and therefore the Sorrowful mysteries which will form the focus of this short time of prayer will include the Agony in the Garden; Scourging; Crowning with thorns; Way of the Cross; Crucifixion and Death of our Lord. The Rosary will be led by Donald Thompson and Canon Julie and will last approximately 40 minutes. All are welcome to join us for this period of quiet prayer and meditation as part of our spiritual preparations for Holy Week. Please contact Donald ([d.thompson@rhul.ac.uk](mailto:d.thompson@rhul.ac.uk)) or Canon Julie ([juliegittoes@guildford-cathedral.org](mailto:juliegittoes@guildford-cathedral.org)) for further information or with questions.

## **Guildford Cathedral Pilgrimage to Walsingham, 5 to 7 July**

For our pilgrimage to Walsingham, we have to make firm bookings with the Hospitality Department at the Shrine by 5 April 2019. 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 a non-returnable deposit of £30 in order to secure the booking. Contact Richard by phone 01252 794802 email [richard.north456@btinternet.com](mailto:richard.north456@btinternet.com)

## **News Sheet**

Items to be considered for inclusion in the weekly News Sheet should reach Emma in the Cathedral Office by Wednesday lunchtime. All notices subject to editing and available space. Please e-mail to [deanspa@guildford-cathedral.org](mailto:deanspa@guildford-cathedral.org)

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## **CONTACTS**

### **Cathedral Office**

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### **The Cathedral Clergy**

are all equally available except on their rest day and can be contacted directly.

The Very Reverend Dianna Gwilliams (rest day – Saturday)

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The Venerable Stuart Beake (working days – Tuesday and Thursday)

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The Reverend Canon Dr Julie Gittoes (rest day – Friday)

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The Reverend Canon Dr Paul Smith (rest day – Friday)

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The Reverend Canon Mavis Wilson (rest day – Friday)

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### **Sermon blog**

Canon Julie's sermons can be found at <http://juliegittoes.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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