



GUILDFORD
CATHEDRAL

Welcome

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

Sunday 12 May 2019

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 In the back of the Cathedral after the Cathedral Eucharist. There will be an informal concert given by the boy choristers.

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 The Very Reverend Dianna Gwilliams

READINGS Acts 9.36-end; John 10.22-30

9.45 am The Cathedral Eucharist

PRESIDENT Canon Julie Gittoes

SETTING Messe Solonelle *Jean Langlais (1907-1991)*

HYMN 466

COLLECT

Almighty God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life:
raise us, who trust in him,
from the death of sin to the life of righteousness,
that we may seek those things which are above,
where he reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

OLD TESTAMENT READING Genesis 7.1-15, 11-18; 8.6-18; 9.8-13
read by Matt O'Grady

Then the Lord said to Noah, 'Go into the ark, you and all your household, for I have seen that you alone are righteous before me in this generation. Take with you seven pairs of all clean animals, the male and its mate; and a pair of the animals that are not clean, the male and its mate; and seven pairs of the birds of the air also, male and female, to keep their kind alive on the face of all the earth. For in seven days I will send rain on the earth for forty days and forty nights; and every living thing that I have made I will blot out from the face of the ground.' And Noah did all that the Lord had commanded him.

In the six-hundredth year of Noah's life, in the second month, on the seventeenth day of the month, on that day all the fountains of the great deep burst forth, and the windows of the heavens were opened. The rain fell on the earth for forty days and forty nights. On the very same day Noah with his sons, Shem and Ham and Japheth, and Noah's wife and the three wives of his sons, entered the ark, they and every wild animal of every kind, and all domestic animals of every kind, and every creeping thing that creeps on the earth, and every bird of every kind – every bird, every winged creature. They went into the ark with Noah, two and two of all flesh in which there was the breath of life. And those that entered, male and female of all flesh, went in as God had commanded him; and the Lord shut him in.

The flood continued for forty days on the earth; and the waters increased, and bore up the ark, and it rose high above the earth. The waters swelled and increased greatly on the earth; and the ark floated on the face of the waters. At the end of forty days Noah opened the window of the ark that he had made and sent out the raven; and it went to and fro until the waters were dried up from the earth. Then he sent out the dove from him, to see if the waters had subsided from the face of the ground; but the dove found no place to set its foot, and it returned to him to the ark, for the waters were still on the face of the whole earth. So he put out his hand and took it and brought it into the ark with him. He waited another seven days, and again he sent out the dove from the ark; and the dove came back to him in the evening, and there in its beak was a freshly plucked olive leaf; so Noah knew that the waters had subsided from the earth. Then he waited another seven days, and sent out the dove; and it did not return to him any more.

In the six hundred and first year, in the first month, on the first day of the month, the waters were dried up from the earth; and Noah removed the covering of the ark, and looked, and saw that the face of the ground was drying. In the second month, on the twenty-seventh day of the month, the earth was dry. Then God said to Noah, ‘Go out of the ark, you and your wife, and your sons and your sons’ wives with you.

Bring out with you every living thing that is with you of all flesh – birds and animals and every creeping thing that creeps on the earth – so that they may abound on the earth, and be fruitful and multiply on the earth.’ So Noah went out with his sons and his wife and his sons’ wives.

Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him, ‘As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you, and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark. I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth.’ God said, ‘This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth.

PSALM 23



I will dwell in the house of the Lord for 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 Acts 9.36-43 read by Katherine Dienes-Williams

Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, 'Please come to us without delay.' So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, 'Tabitha, get up.' Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

GOSPEL READING John 10.22-30



Choir Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

All Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Choir I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
I know my own sheep and my own know me.

All Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

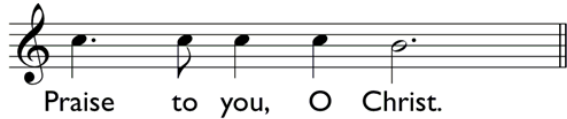
Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John



At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered

around him and said to him, 'How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.' Jesus answered, 'I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



All Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

SERMON Canon Julie Gittoes

INTERCESSIONS led by Tim Clifford-Hill

HYMN 278

MOTET O Sacrum convivium *Olivier Messiaen (1908-1992)*

O sacrum convivium in quo Christus sumitur
Recolitur memoria, passionis eius,
mens impletur gratia.
Et futurae gloriae nobis pignus datur. Alleluia.

*O holy and sacred feast, wherein Christ is offered up.
We call to mind in grateful thanks, his most bitter passion,
while our souls are filled with grace.
We beseech thee, grant to us everlasting glory. Alleluia.*

text: Antiphon for Second Vespers for Corpus Christi

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Merciful Father,
you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd,
and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again:
keep us always under his protection,
and give us grace to follow in his steps;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

HYMN 538

ORGAN Final (Symphony No 1) *Louis Vierne (1870-1937)*

6pm Choral Evensong

INTROIT All wisdom cometh from the Lord *Philip Moore (b.1943)*

HYMNS 64, 516 (ii), 160

PSALM 113,114

RESPONSES *Kenneth Leighton (1929-1988)*

CANTICLES Gloucester Evening Service *Herbert Howells (1892-1993)*

READINGS Isaiah 63.7-14; Luke 24.36-49

ANTHEM Lo, the full final sacrifice *Gerald Finzi (1901-1956)*

Lo, the full, final Sacrifice on which all figures fix't their eyes.
The ransomed Isaac, and his ram; the Manna, and the Paschal Lamb.

Jesu master, just and true! Our food, and faithful shepherd too!

O let that love which thus makes thee mix with our low mortality,
lift our lean souls, and set us up convictors of thine own full cup,
co-heirs of saints. That so all may drink the same wine; and the same way.
Nor change the pasture, but the place to feed of thee in thine own face.

O dear memorial of that death which lives still, and allows us breath!
Rich, royal food! Bountiful bread! Whose use denies us to the dead!
Live ever bread of loves, and be my life, my soul, my surer self to me.

Help Lord, my faith, my hope increase; and fill my portion in thy peace.
Give love for life;
nor let my days grow, but in new powers to thy name and praise.

Rise, Royal Sion! Rise and sing thy soul's kind shepherd, thy heart's king.
Stretch all thy powers; call if you can harps of heaven to hands of man.
This sovereign subject sits above the best ambition of thy love.

Lo, the Bread of Life, this day's triumphant text provokes thy praise.
The living and life-giving bread, to the great twelve distributed
when Life, himself, at point to die of love, was his own Legacy.

O soft self-wounding Pelican! Whose breast weeps balm for wounded man.
All this way bend thy benign flood to a bleeding heart that gasps for blood.
That blood, whose least drops sovereign be to wash my worlds of sins from me.
Come love! Come Lord! and that long day for which I languish, come away.
When this dry soul those eyes shall see, and drink the unseal'd source of thee.
When glory's sun faith's shades shall chase, and for thy veil give me thy face.
Amen.

*text: Richard Crashaw (1612/13-1649), after
Adoro Te and Lauda Sion Salvatorem by Thomas Aquinas*

SERMON Canon Julie Gittoes

ORGAN Te Deum *Jeanne Demssieux (1921-1968)*

PRAYER MATTERS

Those for whom prayers have been asked: John Burrows-Watson, Melanie Crick, Gillian Doherty, Ben Edwards, David Pappin, Jill Tucker, Marie Watts

Year's Mind: Erik Gibbons, Alison Knight

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

MONDAY 13

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 First Choral Evensong of Matthias the Apostle

TUESDAY 14 • ST MATTHIAS THE APOSTLE

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Eucharist

WEDNESDAY 15

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Evening Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

THURSDAY 16 • *Caroline Chisholm, social reformer, 1877*

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 First Choral Evensong of the Anniversary of the Dedication of Guildford Cathedral

FRIDAY 17 • Anniversary of the Dedication of Guildford Cathedral

8.00 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

8.30 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.30 Choral Eucharist

SATURDAY 18

8.40 Morning Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

9.00 Holy Communion (said) Lady Chapel

17.00 Evening Prayer (said) Lady Chapel

Shop and Seasons

The Cathedral Shop will be open this week Monday to Saturday from 9.30am (10.00am on Tuesday) to 4.30pm and Sunday from 11.00am – 12.30pm. Seasons Café will be open from Monday to Sunday 9am to 4.30pm.

NEXT SUNDAY 19 MAY The Fifth Sunday of Easter

8.00 Holy Communion Lady Chapel

PRESIDENT The Reverend Neil Vigers

READINGS Acts 11.1-18; John 13.31-35

9.45 The Cathedral Eucharist

PRESIDENT Canon Paul Smith

PREACHER Canon Paul Smith

READINGS Genesis 22.1-18; Acts 11.1-18; John 13.31-35

18.00 Choral Evensong *sung by Choir of St Michael and All Angels, Bedford Park*

PREACHER Canon Mavis Wilson

READINGS Daniel 6.6-23; Mark 15.46-16.8

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND EVENTS

TUESDAY 14

9.30 Chapter Meeting (Chapter House)

WEDNESDAY 15

9.30 Arts Society (Chapter House)

14.00 Mothers' Union Faith Committee Meeting (Chapter House)

SATURDAY 18

10.00 Buns on Saturday (Chapter House)

NOTICEBOARD

Prayer for Healing with anointing – Today at Cathedral Eucharist

Prayer, laying on of hands and anointing is offered during the Cathedral Eucharist next Sunday 12 May. 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.

Have you remembered your coffee mugs?

There will be coffee in the Nave following the Cathedral Eucharist next week also so you have a second chance.

Flowers in the Cathedral

Thank you to Sue Howland and Dee Kelly and the Aldershot Flower Design Club for the beautiful flowers in the Cathedral this week.

Farewell and thank you to Canon Julie

Today is Canon Julie's last Sunday at the Cathedral and there is a Reception with Presentations after Choral Evensong this evening. All our very welcome. After the Cathedral Eucharist this morning the Boy Choristers are giving an informal concert with a 'Julie' theme as a particular thank you from them. Katherine reminds us that conversation over coffee should continue whilst the boys are performing and thanks everyone for their support. Julie will be licensed as Vicar of St Mary with Christ Church, Hendon in London Diocese on Wednesday 19 June. Please pray for her and for the people of Hendon as they all prepare for this next stage of witness and mission.

Crafty helpers wanted – Tuesday 14 May 10am to 12.30pm

All are welcome to join in an informal session in the crypt kitchen, to prepare craft resources and materials for 100 children attending our school Pentecost workshops at the end of the month. Refreshments will be provided. Contact Becki schools@guildford-cathedral.org for more information or simply turn up.

Buns on Saturday – Saturday 18 May, 10am, The Chapter House

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

Community Summer Meeting – Sunday 19 May 11.15am

All are invited to the Summer meeting of the Cathedral Community. For those new to the Cathedral this is an opportunity for Chapter (the governing body) to engage with the community. The 2018 Annual Report and Accounts are available on our website and on the Welcome Desk. In addition to a report from our Honorary Treasurer, I have invited the Project Manager for the development to give an update and we will also present some highlights from the year. If you have questions from the Annual Report and Accounts it would be helpful to have them in advance. Please put them into the blue box on the Welcome Desk at the west end of the Cathedral.

Day Trip - Downton Abbey Country – Wednesday 5th June

The first stop is 'Yew Tree Farm', then tour Downton Abbey Country in the Oxfordshire Cotswolds and take a cruise through serene and ancient Port Meadow into the heart of Oxford. Even people who have never heard of Mrs Patmore or Mr Carson will be thoroughly charmed by the beautiful locations we visit. Friends of Guildford Cathedral £53, others £55. To make this trip viable we need 30 people, we currently have 20 – if you are keen to go please do book otherwise we may have to cancel! For further details please contact Lisa Hatherall 01483 547 875 or friends@guildford-cathedral.org

Intercessions at the Cathedral

If you would like someone to be added to the intercessions for our daily and Sunday prayers please contact any of the clergy or send them a message via Emma Law. You should obtain permission of the person or their family. People are kept on the daily list for 4 weeks in the first instance. We also keep a longer list of those for whom prayer is ongoing.

Eco-Tip Number Three

Eco tips for shopping

Before going shopping check your cupboards and fridge/freezer. Are there items in there which need using up? Make a shopping list to avoid buying things that you do not really need so you're not adding to waste. Remember to take reusable shopping bags, coffee cup/water bottles to avoid adding to waste. Try not to choose items in single use plastics e.g. plastic wrapped fruit and vegetable. Buy non-perishable regularly used items in bulk. Farmers Markets are a great place to shop offering fresh, local, seasonal produce as well as supporting the local economy.

Summer Garden Party – Saturday 22 June, 5 to 8pm

Julian and Marion Roberts are holding a musical extravaganza in their stunning garden to raise funds for the Cathedral. This is open to all, with donations gratefully received on the night. You will enjoy music from Tim Asson's jazz band, Bishop Andrew, Canon Paul and others, and a delicious two course meal (including fizz and wine). Please email reception@guildford-cathedral.org to get your free ticket.

Chance for the Cathedral to win £1,000

The Cathedral has the chance to be awarded a £1,000 donation from Ecclesiastical (insurance providers). We need as many people as possible to nominate Guildford Cathedral by filling in a few details at www.ecclesiastical.com/movement-for-good (we are registration exempt). This will only take a moment or two of your time, deadline is this Friday 17 May. Any questions to Head of Fundraising susan@guildford-cathedral.org 01483 547878. Thanks in advance.

Raise money for the Cathedral by choosing Cavender's or Ecclesiastical

If you instruct Cavender's Estate Agent (cavenders.co.uk or 01483 457728) to sell or let we would receive a financial reward of £500 or £250. Similarly, if you choose Ecclesiastical as your home insurer they will donate £130 to us. This is an easy way to bring income to the Cathedral. We've already received a donation of £130. (ecclesiastical.com/Trust130 or 0800 783 0130, quoting TRUST130). More details from Susan Barry, on 01483 547878 or susan@guildford-cathedral.org

Pilgrimage to Oberammergau 5 - 12 September 2020

Canon Paul Smith is leading a pilgrimage along the Romantic Road to Bavaria and then on to the Oberammergau Passion Play. We will spend a week travelling the route by coach having flown to Frankfurt. We arrive at Oberammergau to see the play on Friday 11 September and fly home from Munich the following day. Pax Travel have put this exclusive tour together for us and we can take a maximum of 40 people. The total cost is £1,439 and a deposit of £250 will secure your place. A detailed holiday brochure and the booking form is available electronically, or in paper form, from Linda Sharpin linda@sharpin.com mob: 07880 738 872 or from Emma Law deanspa@guildford-cathedral.org

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

CONTACTS

Cathedral Office

The Cathedral Office is open for callers from 10am to 2pm Monday to Friday. Enquiries to Lisa Hatherall, Administration Assistant 01483 547 860 or reception@guildford-cathedral.org

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

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 (rest day – Friday)

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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.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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