

The Feast of Pentecost

10.30AM CHORAL EUCHARIST

Celebrant: The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

Preacher: The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

Deacon: The Rev'd Dianne Schaefer

Subdeacon: Mike Smith

Master of Ceremonies: Larissa Bailey

Setting: Britten *Missa Brevis*

Choir: Cantores in Excelsis

Director of Music: Leonie Hempton OAM

Organist: David Heah

Hymns: 237, 258, 238, 257



20 May 2018

Welcome: Buried in the middle of the great Pentecost reading from Acts 2 is a quote from the little known Book of the Prophet Joel (how many can find it easily in the Bible). Joel uses the catastrophe of a devouring swarm of locusts to point to a much bigger and more significant swarm – the flooding of the world by God's Holy Spirit.

Pentecost is, in almost every way, a story of God's new creation – witness the valley of dry bones (Ezekiel 37), the quite amazing change in the Apostles (Acts 2) and the praise of God as creator in Psalm 104. God's new creation on this day is the Church – with all its faults and short-comings, and all its visions and dreams and quite wonderful and remarkable evidence of God's kingdom in action on earth. We are privileged to live in the age of the Spirit.

As we worship together at Pentecost, may we too prophesy, see visions and dream dreams – and then work to make them a reality.

Welcome one and all.

*The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson
Dean*

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*St Peter's Cathedral strives to be a Christ-centred, sacramental, inclusive, thinking, mission-oriented, faith community.
The Cathedral resides on the lands of the Kaurna people
whom we acknowledge as the original custodians of the Adelaide Region.*

Please stand when the handbell rings

Introit Hymn: #237 [Salve Festa Dies] omit vv 3 & 4 Christians lift up your hearts

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

'A new heart I will give you, and a new spirit I will put within you,' says the Lord God; 'I will put my spirit within you and you shall live.' (Ezekiel 36.26; 37.14)

Let us pray (*please kneel/sit*)

**Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:**

**Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Spirit of truth comes to convict of sin, of righteousness, and of judgement.

Choir sings the Kyrie

Kyrie eleison Lord, have mercy

Christe eleison Christ, have mercy

Kyrie eleison Lord, have mercy

Let us then open our hearts and confess our sins in penitence and faith.

**Merciful God, our maker and our judge, we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed, and in what we have failed to do:**

**We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as
ourselves; we repent, and are sorry for all our sins.**

**Father, forgive us. Strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith:
pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness
and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Please stand as the choir sings the Gloria (Carter)

*Gloria in Excelsis Deo et in terra pax hominibus bonae voluntatis. Laudamus te,
benedicimus te, adoramus te, glorificamus te, gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam
tuam. Domine Deus, Rex caelestis, Deus Pater omnipotens. Domine Fili unigenite, Jesu
Christe, Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis;
qui tollis peccata mundi, suscipe deprecationem nostram; qui sedes ad dexteram Patris,
miserere nobis. Quoniam tu solus sanctus, tu solus Dominus, tu solus altissimus, Jesu
Christe, cum Sancto Spiritu in gloria Dei Patris. Amen.*

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth. Lord God,
heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we
praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God,
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are
seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the
Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with
the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect

Almighty God, you sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church: open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love, joy, and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please sit

First Reading: Ezekiel, Chapter 37: 1-14 (Read by Alison Lockett)

The hand of the Lord came upon me, and he brought me out by the spirit of the Lord and set me down in the middle of a valley; it was full of bones. He led me all round them; there were very many lying in the valley, and they were very dry. He said to me, 'Mortal, can these bones live?' I answered, 'O Lord God, you know.' Then he said to me, 'Prophesy to these bones, and say to them: O dry bones, hear the word of the Lord. Thus says the Lord God to these bones: I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. I will lay sinews on you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live; and you shall know that I am the Lord.' So I prophesied as I had been commanded; and as I prophesied, suddenly there was a noise, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. I looked, and there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them; but there was no breath in them.

Then he said to me, 'Prophesy to the breath, prophesy, mortal, and say to the breath: Thus says the Lord God: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live.' I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood on their feet, a vast multitude. Then he said to me, 'Mortal, these bones are the whole house of Israel. They say, "Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are cut off completely." Therefore prophesy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord God: I am going to open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people; and I will bring you back to the land of Israel. And you shall know that I am the Lord, when I open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people. I will put my spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you on your own soil; then you shall know that I, the Lord, have spoken and will act, says the Lord.'

Hear the word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

The Choir sings Psalm 104: 26-36 (Chant: Swale)

Lord, how various are your works:

in wisdom you have made them all, and the earth is full of your creatures.

There is the wide, immeasurable sea:

there move living things without number, great and small;

There go the ships, to and fro:

and there is that Leviathan whom you formed to sport in the deep.

These all look to you: to give them their food in due season.

When you give it to them, they gather it:

when you open your hand they are satisfied with good things.

When you hide your face, they are troubled:

when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.

When you send forth your spirit they are created: and you renew the face of the earth.

May the glory of the Lord endure for ever: may the Lord rejoice in his works.

If he look upon the earth, it shall tremble:

if he but touch the mountains, they shall smoke.

I will sing to the Lord as long as I live: I will praise my God while I have any being.

May my meditation be pleasing to him: for my joy shall be in the Lord.

New Testament Reading: Acts 2: 1-21 (Read by David Lockett)

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each.

Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs – in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.'

All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?'

But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.'

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning.

No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

"In the last days it will be, God declares,
that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams.

Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.

And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

Hear the word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

Remain standing for the Gospel reading: John 15: 26-27; 16.4b-15

Alleluia, **Alleluia**

I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh:

your sons and your daughters shall prophesy. **Alleluia**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

All sing



Glo - ry to you, Lord Je - sus Christ

Jesus spoke to his disciples, 'When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf.

You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning.

But I have said these things to you so that when their hour comes you may remember that I told you about them.' I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you.

But now I am going to him who sent me; yet none of you asks me, "Where are you going?" But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts.

Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. And

when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgement: about sin, because they do not believe in me; about righteousness, because I am going to the Father and you will see me no longer; about judgement, because the ruler of this world has been condemned.

I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come.

He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord (*All sing*)



Praise to you, Lord Je - sus Christ

Children are invited to follow the Gospel procession down the aisle to the altar where their cross will be collected, then go to the Cynthia Poulton Hall for Cathedral Kids.

They will return in time for Communion.

Please sit for the sermon: The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church. *(Please stand)*

We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son, is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Please sit or kneel

Let us pray for the world and for the Church *(led by Rosie Hamilton)*

Almighty God, you have promised to hear our prayers.

Grant that what we have asked in faith we may by your grace receive, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The intercessions conclude with a number of members of the congregation praying the first three lines of the Lord's Prayer in a variety of languages:

Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be your name, Your kingdom come....

Please stand for the Greeting of Peace

We are the body of Christ. **His Spirit is with us.**

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

During the next hymn a collection is taken to support the costs of the Cathedral.

Many choose to make regular donations electronically (BSB 305-122, Ac No. 0256051)

or by using envelopes. Complete a Planned Giving form and become a regular and faithful financial supporter.

Offertory Hymn: #238 <i>[Down Ampney]</i>
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Come down, O love divine

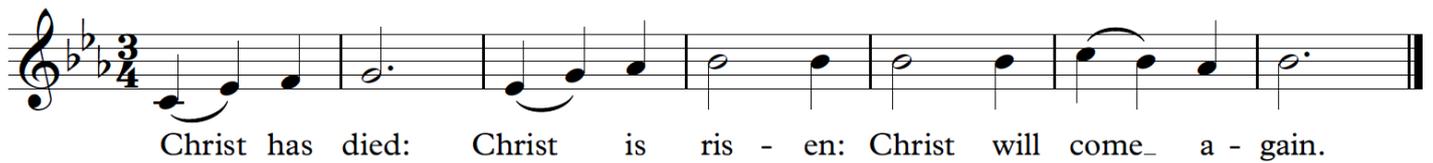
Remain Standing

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation.

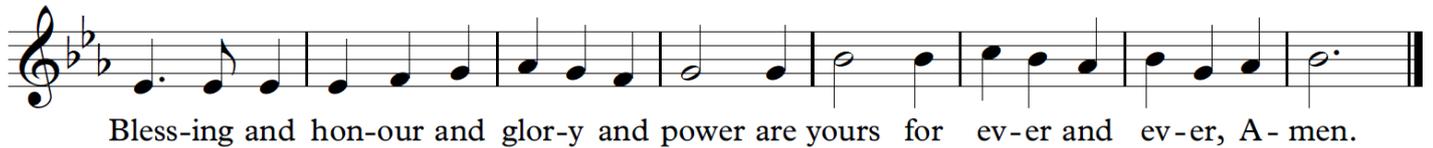
Through your goodness we these gifts to share.

Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom.

Blessed be God for ever.



Renew us by your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of your Son, and bring us with all your people into the joy of your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father, in songs of never-ending praise:



We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.
We who are many are one body, **for we all share in the one bread.**

The gifts of God for the people of God.

Come let us take this holy sacrament of the body and blood of Christ in remembrance that he died for us, and feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

Baptised and communicant Christians of all denominations are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Communion will be administered at the nave platform. Please follow the guidance of stewards and servers.

Gluten free bread is available; please ask for this from the priest giving communion.

If you do not wish to receive Holy Communion, you may like to come forward and receive a blessing (simply bow your head as a signal).

Please kneel as the Choir sings: Agnus Dei

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. (x2)

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

The Choir sings the Motet: Peter Hurford: Litany to the Holy Spirit

In the hour of my distress, When temptations me oppress,

And when I my sins confess, Sweet Spirit, comfort me, comfort me!

When I lie within my bed, Sick in heart, and sick in head,

And with doubts discomforted, Sweet Spirit, comfort me, comfort me!

When the house doth sigh and weep, And the world is drowned with sleep,

Yet mine eyes the watch do keep, Sweet Spirit, comfort me, comfort me!

After Communion (please kneel)

Let us pray:

Giver of life and love, we thank you that in this heavenly banquet you invigorate and renew us. Living in the unity of the Spirit, may we boldly use your gifts to continue your work in the world.

Father,
**we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work for your praise and glory.**

Post-Communion Hymn: #257 [<i>Gonfalon Royal</i>]	O Spirit of the living God
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Remain standing for the Blessing

May the Spirit lead you into all truth, giving you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and to proclaim the wonderful works of God; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always..
Amen.

Go in the peace of Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

You are invited to listen reflectively to the postlude:

Dupre: *Veni Creator Spiritus*, No. 8 Op. 32 from *Le tombeau de Titelouze*

*Please refrain from conversation until the music is completed;
applause is not normally appropriate during an act of worship.*

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

The Anglican Church for 20 May 2018

International: Colorado TEC VI Bp Robert O'Neill

National: Riverina: Bp Rob Gillion

South Australia

Diocese of Adelaide: Somerton Park: Barbara Paull-Hunt (Andrew)

Diocese of Willochra: Roxby Downs

Diocese of The Murray: Victor Harbor: Bp John Ford (Bridget), Bruce Hicks (Melita), Deacon Jesse Poole

Baptised today (8am): Jonty Guillaume Cavendish-Eaves

Short Term Sick List: Yvonne Long, Dawn Rutter, Riley Turner, The Lee Family, Michelle, Rosa.

RIP:

David Swale, Anne Haskard , Hazel Calabro, Henry Hopton

Year's Mind:

20th Alexander Russell

Philip Robert Vincent

Lewis Dawe

Kay Borrow

Rita McCuish

21st Reginald Pearman

Ernest William Dilena

Laurel Mavis Loan

22nd Heather Edgar

24th Tom Ledley Swale

25th Norman Crawford

Alexander Maurice Ramsay

Gordon Frank George

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Newcomers: To join the Cathedral community, fill in a CONNECT card and hand it to a steward, place it in the offertory bags or return it to the Cathedral Office.

Sign-up to receive the weekly eNews. 'Like' us on Facebook.

Toilets are in the Cathedral Close, across the car park from the Cathedral.

Hearing Aid: If you wear a hearing aid, please sit on the left side of the Cathedral and set your aid to T-position to make use of the audio loop.

Cathedral Conservation: Stage 1 of the roof repair has commenced with scaffolding being erected. Please do not attempt to enter the work area.

"Thy Kingdom come": Thank you to all who have prayed intentionally in the last week for individuals, countries, the world and environment – that God's Kingdom, Reign, will come on earth as in heaven. Listen to members of the Cathedral praying in their own languages – on Facebook.

Jaecinta & Co. Trading Table:



Trading Table

The next trading table will be held in the CP Hall after the 10.30am service today. This is an organ fund-raising initiative.

Eastern Home Group: Will meet at today at 1 pm for a shared lunch at the home of Valerie and Stuart Langshaw. Please phone 8261 0115 for further details.

Sunday Night with Lynn Arnold: Guest at 7pm on 1079Life tonight is The Rev'd Peter Sandeman, Anglicare SA and Chair of Adelaide Zero Project (relating to homelessness).

The Friends Quiz Night: Next Saturday 26 May at 7.00pm in the Cynthia Poulton Hall. Tickets \$15 available from Committee members: Pam Saint, Zena Chapman, Gerald Varley, Tony Harris, Lizzie Cosgrove, Helen Williams and Audrey Mitchell.

The Friends Committee would be grateful for any contributions for prizes - wine, chocolate, toiletries etc.

Confirmation at the Cathedral: On Sunday 27 August at 10.30am, Bp Tim Harris will be present for our Cathedral Confirmation service. Young people 12 years or older and adults seeking baptism, confirmation or reception into the Anglican Church are invited to speak with Dean Frank, Canon Jenny or Deacon Wendy for more information.

Admission to Communion: Children (aged 8 - 11) who have already been baptised and are worshipping members of the Cathedral community may be formally Admitted to Communion.

Passion Play (Oberammergau) and Israel/Jordan 2020: Indications of interest in a Cathedral tour in May 2020 are invited. Please email dean@stpeters-cathedral.org.au

Organ Fund-raising: Thank you to those who have given in recent weeks bringing the total raised to date to \$1,101,396.50.

Bring it Home (debt free): With over \$1.1 million already raised our target now is to bring the organ home debt free by Christmas. To those who have already given to the Organ Restoration Fund, please consider giving again (an ideal time as the End of the Financial Year approaches). Use the new card and make your tax-deductible donation today.

Organ Restoration Time-line:

- 4 June: Work in Durham completed and container loaded
- 11 June: Container at sea
- 23 July: Scaffold assembly in the Cathedral and reassembly begins
- 8 October: Organ assembly complete, voicing and tuning begins
- 26 November: Handover of newly restored Cathedral Organ to David Heah, Cathedral Organist
- 31 December: Final payments made

Cathedral Roof-works: Work has begun on the upper Chancel roof, including assessment and manufacture of seismic bracing. Please keep well clear of the work site.

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY 20 MAY PENTECOST

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

10.30am Choral Eucharist

Preacher: The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

6.00pm Choral Evensong

Preacher: The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

WEEKDAYS

7.30am Eucharist

8.45am Morning Prayer

WEDNESDAY

10.00am Eucharist (BCP)

5.30pm Choral Evensong

6.00pm Christian Meditation (*JD Room*)

SUNDAY 27 MAY

Trinity Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr Matthew Anstey

10.30am Choral Eucharist

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr Matthew Anstey

6.00pm Choral Evensong

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold

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