

The Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

17 February 2019

10:30AM CHORAL EUCHARIST

Celebrant:

The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

Preacher:

The Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold AO

Deacon:

Aidan Kannieappan

Subdeacon:

Reuben Jacob

Master of Ceremonies:

Rijke Mellor

Setting:

Howells - *Collegium Regale*

Choir:

St Peter's Cathedral Choir

Director of Music:

Leonie Hempton OAM

Organist:

David Heah

Hymns: 584, 383, 204, 549

Welcome: This week's readings give more than a hint of the biblical writers drawing on the natural world around them. Both Jeremiah (morning) and Isaiah (evening) do this in the context of droughts and floods - so very topical for us in Australia. Jeremiah's vivid image of a tree planted near water, sending its roots deep into the ground and towards the stream is used as a metaphor for the need to have deep 'faith roots'. The coming Festival of Living Faith (the second of our mini festivals in this Festival 150 year) gives a number of opportunities to look to our faith roots and ensure they are tapped deep into the risen Christ.

Do use the Festival 150 prayer regularly (printed on the front page of our service books). It is short enough to learn by heart, and profound enough to cover a great deal. I find the idea of being given 'imagination, purpose and grace to step into the future' both comforting and challenging.

Welcome to all who worship in the sacred space of St Peter's Cathedral today.

The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson
Dean



FESTIVAL 150 PRAYER

God of all time: Alpha and Omega, beginning and end.

We praise and thank you for what has been, what is and what is to be.

In this year of celebration we give you thanks

for those who have gone before us in faith, courage and generosity.

Give us imagination, purpose and grace to step into the future with you, our Creator, Redeemer and Life-giver. Amen.

CELEBRATING THE PAST



IMAGINING THE FUTURE

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 for the start of the service

Please stand to sing the Introit Hymn

Hymn: #584 [Michael]

All my hope on God is founded

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

Blessed are you when people hate you on account of the Son of man. Rejoice and leap for joy: for behold, your reward is great in heaven. *Luke 6.23*

Please kneel/sit

Let us pray

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 Choir sings the Kyrie

Lord, have mercy upon us
Christ, have mercy upon us
Lord, have mercy upon us

Christ the Son of God has been revealed as a light to the nations.

Let us bring our darkness to his light, confessing 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

Glory be to God on high, and in earth peace, good will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesu Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Please remain standing for the Collect

Righteous God, you challenge the powers that rule this world and you show favour to the oppressed: instil in us a true sense of justice, that we may discern the signs of your kingdom and strive for right to prevail; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please sit for the Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 17.5-10 (read by Roslyn Marley)

Thus says the Lord: Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals and make mere flesh their strength, whose hearts turn away from the Lord. ⁶ They shall be like a shrub in the desert, and shall not see when relief comes. They shall live in the parched places of the wilderness, in an uninhabited salt land. ⁷ Blessed are those who trust in the Lord, whose trust is the Lord. ⁸ They shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green; in the year of drought it is not anxious, and it does not cease to bear fruit. ⁹ The heart is devious above all else; it is perverse – who can understand it? ¹⁰ I the Lord test the mind and search the heart, to give to all according to their ways, according to the fruit of their doings.

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

The Choir sings Psalm 1 (Chant: Henry Smart)

Blessed are they
 who have not walked in the counsel of the ungodly:
 nor followed the way of sinners,
 nor taken their seat amongst the scornful.
But their delight is in the law of the Lord:
 and on that law will they ponder day and night.
They are like trees planted beside streams of water:
 that yield their fruit in due season.
Their leaves also shall not wither:
 and look, whatever they do, it shall prosper.
As for the ungodly, it is not so with them:
 they are like the chaff which the wind scatters.
Therefore the ungodly shall not stand up
 at the judgement:
 nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.
For the Lord cares for the way of the righteous:
 but the way of the ungodly shall perish.

People

Our Fath - er in heav'n, hal - lowed be your name, your king - dom come,
 your will be done, on earth as in heav'n. Give us to - day our dai - ly bread.
 For - give us our sins as we for - give those who sin a - gainst us.
 Save us from the time of trial and de - liv - er us from e - vil.
 For the king - dom, the pow'r, and the glo - ry are yours
 now and for ev - er. A - men.

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 to become a regular and faithful
 financial supporter of the ministry of the Cathedral.*

Please stand to sing the Offertory Hymn

Hymn: #204 [Kingsfold]	If Christ had not been raised from death
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On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread; and when he had given you thanks he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper, he took the cup, and again giving you thanks he gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Drink from this, all of you. This is my blood of the new covenant shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded: proclaiming his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again, we celebrate, with this bread and this cup, his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world.

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

All sing:



Christ has died: Christ is ris - en: Christ will come a - gain.

The image shows a musical staff in 3/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are written below the staff, with hyphens under 'ris - en' and 'a - gain'.

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:

All sing:



Bless-ing and hon-our and glo-ry and power are yours for ev-er and ev-er, A - men.

The image shows a musical staff in 3/4 time with a key signature of two flats. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are written below the staff, with hyphens under 'Bless-ing', 'hon-our', 'glo-ry', and 'ev-er'.

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.

Please kneel/sit as the Choir sings the Agnus Dei

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.

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

During the administration of Holy Communion the Choir sings the motet:

Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924) – *Beati quorum via*

Beati quorum via integra est, Blessed are the undefiled in the way,
qui ambulant in lege Domini. who walk in the law of the Lord.

Please kneel/sit for the prayers after Communion

God of the nations, we thank you for nourishing us with this holy sacrament. Guide us by your presence, that we may bring your light to those who dwell in darkness, and establish your justice in the earth.

Most loving God, you send us into the world you love. Give us grace to go thankfully and with courage in the power of your Spirit.

Please stand to sing the Post-Communion Hymn

Hymn: #549 [Church Triumphant]

The heavens declare thy glory, Lord

Please remain standing for the Blessing

May Christ the Son of God be manifest to you, that your lives may be a light to the world; 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 peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

You are invited to listen reflectively to the postlude:

Salomé (1834-1896) – *Grand Chœur*

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

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

International:	Province of Central Africa Primate Abp Albert Chama
National:	North Queensland: Bishop-elect Keith Joseph
South Australia	
<i>Diocese of Adelaide:</i>	St Andrew's School: principal Deb Dalwood, chaplain Rachel Chapman (Aaron)
<i>Diocese of Willochra:</i>	Port Augusta - Quorn: Karla Tanti (Joseph), Eric Rieck (Bernice), Darren Hewitt (Rachel), Margaret Fiegert
<i>Diocese of The Murray:</i>	South Coast (Pt Elliot & Goolwa): Lyndon Sulzberger (Rachele), Deacon Scott Mudd (Melissa)
Short Term Sick:	Jan, Meredith Chesterman, Pat Schroeder, David McCall, Jeniece Ward
Year's Mind:	19 th Gladys Anne Shaw, Ingrid Leslie-Allen; 20 th James Hardingham, Jack Vernon Peters; 21 st Karl Engelbrecht, Audrey Rayner; 22 nd Gladys Smith, John Lawrence Payne (P); 23 rd Joan Esme Sibson

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. You will receive the weekly eNews.

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

Name Badges: Order a Cathedral name badge from Pam Saint on 0419 031 871 or Cathedral Office 8267 4551. \$20 each.

Palm Crosses: Please bring last year's palm crosses back over the next few weeks. Ready to burn for Ash Wednesday 6 March.

Sunday Night with Lynn Arnold: 7pm on 1079Life on Sunday evening, Lynn's guest will be Stan Kontos, of SOL Results, motivational speaker and convenor of a monthly breakfast of Christian speakers.

Planned Giving Reports: please collect from the Cathedral entrance.

Meeting God on Mondays: You are warmly invited to join Canon Jenny on Monday 18th February at 10am in the CP Hall for morning tea and a study of the following Sunday's readings.

Welcomer required: Next week on Thursday February 21, 9:30am - 1:00pm, we need a special person to take on a vacancy in the welcomers' roster. Can you help keep the Cathedral open to visitors? Please contact the Cathedral office.

The Friends AGM: The Annual General Meeting of the Friends of St. Peter's Cathedral will be held at 12:45pm on Sunday, 24th February, in the CP Hall. Please support the Friends who assist the Cathedral in so many ways. Please consider joining – all welcome.

Online concert bookings open:

Organ recital: Thomas Trotter (UK);

Adult \$50, Concession \$40;

August 30, 2019, 7:30pm

www.trybooking.com/BALVH

Choral music: Benjamin Britten *St Nicolas Cantata*; Free event; June 9, 2019, 6:00pm

www.trybooking.com/BATZB

Cathedral Gardens: We are blessed with beautiful gardens surrounding the Cathedral and would like to expand the very small team who cares for them. Will you give an hour or two on Saturday mornings to sweep leaves, trim edges, pull weeds? Michael Olive would love to hear from you. (0403 400 471 – sorry, wrong number last week)

Cathedral Retreats at Sevenhill, Clare Valley – May 2019:

Retreat 1: Mon 6 – Fri 10 May

Retreat 2: Fri 10 – Sun 12 May

More details on request.

Please email me at

dean@stpeters-cathedral.org.au

- Dean Frank

Festival of Living Faith – Lent 2019

Sunday 24 Feb: *Celebrating the Past – Protecting the Future*

Prof Chris Daniels will launch our Festival 150 environmental initiative at 12noon.

Cathedral 150 hessian shopping bags, an antidote to plastic, will be on sale (and later in the Cathedral Shop).

Ash Wednesday 6 March: 7:30am Eucharist, 10:00am Holy Communion, 6:30pm Choral Eucharist, with the imposition of ashes at all services.

Sundays in Lent: 10, 17, 24 & 31 March

- Morning preaching series with the Dean: *Living into God*
- Evening preaching series with the Canon Precentor: *Love bade me welcome – A Spirituality of a Cathedral* (followed by refreshments)
- Sunday evenings at 7:15pm: *Bible 360* – join the Dean for an introduction to the Bible for beginners, in the CP Hall

Monday Lent Course: *A Spirituality for Real Life* by James Martin SJ

10:00am leader: Canon Jenny; 7:00pm leader: Lynn Arnold

Sign up at the entrance to the Cathedral; get the book from the Office/Shop – \$20/\$15 conc.

Bishop's Court Garden Party: Saturday 6 April, 4:00pm – 6:00pm

All Cathedral members are welcome. Free event, registration essential – please add your name to the sign-up list at the front of the Cathedral. Choose a decade from the past 150, or one still to come, and wear suitable clothing. Sorry – not open to general public.

THIS WEEK

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8:00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold AO

10:30am Choral Eucharist

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold AO

6:00pm Choral Evensong (BCP)

Preacher: The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

WEEKDAYS

7:30am Holy Communion (*Lady Chapel*)

8:45am Morning Prayer (*Dean's Chapel*)

WEDNESDAY

10:00am Holy Communion (BCP)

(*Lady Chapel*)

5:30pm Choral Evensong (*Choir Stalls*)

6:00pm Christian Meditation (*JD Room*)

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