CHORAL EUCHARIST

10:30am 23 August 2020

The Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome: "Who do you say that I am?" Peter responds to this question from Jesus with his well-known response, and the one we hear in today's Gospel reading, "You are the Messiah." It marks a turning point in the Gospel story as Jesus intentionally begins the long journey to Jerusalem.

The question is asked in different ways many times in the Bible readings (both those we read today and elsewhere). It is a question that remains topical and one each generation needs to answer for itself. "Who is Jesus for us in our day and context?" The follow up question is implied too – "so what?" What difference will our answer to Jesus's question make to our daily living?

Today Audrey Mitchell will hand over the 500th blanket which she has stitched together. What a remarkable achievement! What a gift to the needy of Adelaide who, through the Magdalene Centre, have received one of these blankets! Nor has Audrey done this on her own. There are dozens of people across Adelaide and beyond who have knitted squares or given wool. Thank you one and all. As Audrey 'retires' from this wonderful ministry, it is good to know that Jane Bodley is there to keep it going.

The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson, Dean

Celebrant

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Preacher

The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

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Reuben Iacob

Master of Ceremonies

Desmond Dus

Music Setting

Jackson in G

Choir

St Peter's Cathedral Choir

Director of Music

Anthony Hunt

Organist

David Heah

Hymns: 697, 503, 321, 258

COVID Marshal Rachel Bruerville

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.



When the handbell rings, please stand for the procession.

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Jesus said to them, 'Who do you say that I am?' Simon Peter answered, 'You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.'

- Matthew 16:15–16

Please sit as the Choir sings the Hymn

Hymn: #**697** [*Croft*'s 136th]

- 1. Join all the glorious names of wisdom, love, and power, that ever mortals knew, that angels ever bore: all are too mean to speak his worth, too mean to set my Saviour forth.
- 2. But O what gentle terms, what condescending ways doth our Redeemer use to teach his heavenly grace!

 Mine eyes with joy and wonder see what forms of love he bears for me.

Join all the glorious names

7. Should all the hosts of death, and powers of hell unknown, put their most dreadful forms of rage and mischief on, I shall be safe, for Christ displays superior power, and guardian grace.

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.

'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' Jesus said: 'This is the great and first commandment.

And a second is like it: you shall love your neighbour as yourself.'

The Choir sings the Kyrie

Kyrie eleison Christe eleison Kyrie eleison
Lord, have mercy Christ, have mercy Lord, have mercy

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, confident in God's forgiveness.

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 (BCP text)

Glory be to God on high, and in earth peace, good will towards 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

O God, fount of all wisdom, in the humble witness of the apostle Peter you have shown the foundation of our faith: give us the light of your Spirit, that, recognising in Jesus of Nazareth the Son of the living God, we may be living stones for the building up of your holy Church; through 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 first reading: Exodus 1:8-2:10 (read by Alison Lockett)

Now a new king arose over Egypt, who did not know Joseph. ⁹ He said to his people, 'Look, the Israelite people are more numerous and more powerful than we. ¹⁰ Come, let us deal shrewdly with them, or they will increase and, in the event of war, join our enemies and fight against us and escape from the land.' ¹¹ Therefore they set taskmasters over them to oppress them with forced labour. They built supply cities, Pithom and Rameses, for Pharaoh.

¹² But the more they were oppressed, the more they multiplied and spread, so that the Egyptians came to dread the Israelites. ¹³ The Egyptians became ruthless in imposing tasks on the Israelites, ¹⁴ and made their lives bitter with hard service in mortar and brick and in every kind of field labour. They were ruthless in all the tasks that they imposed on them.

¹⁵ The king of Egypt said to the Hebrew midwives, one of whom was named Shiphrah and the other Puah, ¹⁶ 'When you act as midwives to the Hebrew women, and see them on the birthstool, if it is a boy, kill him; but if it is a girl, she shall live.' ¹⁷ But the midwives feared God; they did not do as the king of Egypt commanded them, but they let the boys live. ¹⁸ So the king of Egypt summoned the midwives and said to them, 'Why have you done this, and allowed the boys to live?' ¹⁹ The midwives said to Pharaoh, 'Because the Hebrew women are not like the Egyptian women; for they are vigorous and give birth before the midwife comes to them.' ²⁰ So God dealt well with the midwives; and the people multiplied and became very strong.

- ²¹ And because the midwives feared God, he gave them families. ²² Then Pharaoh commanded all his people, 'Every boy that is born to the Hebrews you shall throw into the Nile, but you shall let every girl live.'
- 2 ¹ Now a man from the house of Levi went and married a Levite woman. ² The woman conceived and bore a son; and when she saw that he was a fine baby, she hid him for three months. ³ When she could hide him no longer she got a papyrus basket for him, and plastered it with bitumen and pitch; she put the child in it and placed it among the reeds on the bank of the river. ⁴ His sister stood at a distance, to see what would happen to him.

⁵ The daughter of Pharaoh came down to bathe at the river, while her attendants walked beside the river. She saw the basket among the reeds and sent her maid to bring it. ⁶ When she opened it, she saw the child. He was crying, and she took pity on him. 'This must be one of the Hebrews' children,' she said. ⁷ Then his sister said to Pharaoh's daughter, 'Shall I go and get you a nurse from the Hebrew women to nurse the child for you?' ⁸ Pharaoh's daughter said to her, 'Yes.' So the girl went and called the child's mother. ⁹ Pharaoh's daughter said to her, 'Take this child and nurse it for me, and I will give you your wages.' So the woman took the child and nursed it. ¹⁰ When the child grew up, she brought him to Pharaoh's daughter, and she took him as her son. She named him Moses, 'because', she said, 'I drew him out of the water.'

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

The Choir sings Psalm 124 (Chant: Thomas Walmisley)

If the Lord had not been on our side, now may Israel say:

if the Lord had not been on our side, when our enemies rose against us,

Then they would have swallowed us alive:

when their anger was kindled against us.

Then the waters would have overwhelmed us, and the torrent gone over us:

the raging waters would have gone clean over us.

But praised be the Lord: who has not given us as a prey to their teeth.

We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowler:

the snare is broken, and we have gone free.

Our help is in the name of the Lord: who has made heaven and earth.

Second reading: Romans 12:1-8 (read by David Lockett)

I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. ² Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God—what is good and acceptable and perfect.

³ For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think, but to think with sober judgement, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned.

⁴ For as in one body we have many members, and not all the members have the same function, ⁵ so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. ⁶ We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; ⁷ ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in teaching; ⁸ the exhorter, in exhortation; the giver, in generosity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

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

Please remain seated as the Choir sings the Gradual Hymn

Hymn: #503 [Laus Deo]

Send, O God, your Holy Spirit

- 1. Send, O God, your Holy Spirit on your people gathered here. Fill our lives with gentle courage; let your love cast out our fear.
- 2. Every perfect gift is given by the God whose name we bear to equip the saints of Jesus for the saving work we share.
- 3. Gifts of wisdom, gifts of knowledge, gifts of faith and healing grace, gifts that in the Spirit's power will reveal the Saviour's face.
- 4. All God's children, all Christ's people, all the saints, receive this word! Claim the gift, the faith, the promise, build the body of the Lord.

Please stand for the Gospel Reading: Matthew 16:13-20

Choir sings: Alleluia! You are the Messiah: the Son of the living God. Alleluia!

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that the Son of Man is?' ¹⁴ And they said, 'Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.' ¹⁵ He said to them, 'But who do you say that I am?' ¹⁶ Simon Peter answered, 'You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.' ¹⁷ And Jesus answered him, 'Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven. ¹⁸ And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it. ¹⁹ I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.' ²⁰ Then he sternly ordered the disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Children are invited to follow the Gospel procession down the aisle, then go to the Cynthia Poulton Hall for Cathedral Kids.

They will return in time for Communion.

Please sit for the Sermon: The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson *Silence may follow*

Please stand for the Creed

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church.

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 kneel/sit for the prayers (led by Roslyn Marley)
Let us pray for the world and for the Church

The intercessor concludes:

Accept our prayers through Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to pray

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

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.

Hymn: #321 [Love Unknown]

Thou art the Christ, O Lord

- 1. Thou art the Christ, O Lord, the Son of God most high: for ever be adored that name in earth and sky, in which, though mortal strength may fail, the saints of God at last prevail.
- 2. O surely he was blest with blessedness unpriced, who, taught of God, confessed the Godhead in the Christ; for of thy church, Lord, thou didst own thy saint a true foundation-stone.
- 3. Thrice fallen, thrice restored, the bitter lesson learnt, that heart for thee, O Lord, with triple ardour burnt.

 The cross he took he laid not down until he grasped the martyr's crown.
- 4. O bright triumphant faith,O courage void of fears,O love most strong in death,O penitential tears!By these, Lord, keep us lest we fall,and make us go where thou shalt call.

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Please stand

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation.

Through your goodness we have these gifts to share.

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

Blessed be God for ever.

The Lord be with you.

Lift up your hearts.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

And also with you.

We lift them to the Lord.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

All thanks and praise, glory and honour, be yours at all times, in every place, holy and loving Father, true and living God.

We praise you that through your eternal Word you brought the universe into being and made us in your own image.

You have given us this earth to care for and delight in, and with its bounty you preserve our life.

We thank you that you bound yourself to the human race with the promises of a gracious covenant and called us to serve you in love and peace.

Above all, we give you thanks for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ: born as one of us, he lived our common life and offered his life to you in perfect obedience and trust. By his death he delivered us from sin, brought us new life, and reconciled us to you and to one another.

Therefore with angels and archangels, with apostles, and prophets, with holy men and women of every age, we proclaim your great and glorious name:

The Choir Sings the Sanctus & Benedictus (BCP text)

Holy, holy, Lord God of hosts, heaven and earth are full of thy glory: Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy God, we thank you for these gifts of your creation, this bread and wine, and we pray that we who eat and drink them in obedience to our Saviour Christ, by the power of the Holy Spirit, may be partakers of his body and blood, and be made one with him and with each other in peace and love.

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:

Christ has died: Christ is risen: Christ will come again.

As we eat and drink this holy sacrament, renew us by your Spirit that we may be united in the body of your Son and serve you as a royal priesthood in the joy of your eternal kingdom.

Receive our praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom and in whom, by the power of the Holy Spirit, we worship you in songs of never-ending praise:

Blessing and honour and glory and power are yours for ever and ever, Amen.

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 (BCP text)

- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- 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 (bread only), administered at the nave platform.

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:

Byrd (c.1540-1623) - Ave Verum Corpus

Ave verum corpus,

Natum de Maria virgine;

Vere passum, immolatum

In cruce pro homine. Cuius latus perforatum

Unda fluxit sanguine. Esto nobis praegustatum,

In mortis examine.

O dulcis, O pie,

O Jesu, Fili Mariae,

Miserere mei. Amen.

Hail the true body,

Born of the virgin Mary;

You who truly suffered and were sacrificed

On the cross for humanity. From whose pierced flank Flowed water and blood.

Be a foretaste for us In the trial of death. O sweet, O merciful, O Jesus, Son of Mary,

Have mercy on me. Amen.

Please kneel/sit for the prayers after Communion

Father of all we give you thanks and praise that when we were still far off you met us in your Son and brought us home. Dying and living, he declared your love, gave us grace, and opened the gate of glory. May we who share Christ's body live his risen life; we who drink his cup bring life to others; we whom the Spirit lights give light to the world.

Keep us in this hope that we have grasped; so we and all your children shall be free, and the whole earth live to praise your name.

Please remain seated as the Choir sings the Post-Communion Hymn

Hymn: #258 [*Hereford*]

O thou who camest from above

- 1. O thou who camest from above the fire celestial to impart, kindle a flame of sacred love on the mean altar of my heart!
- 2. There let it for thy glory burn with inextinguishable blaze, and trembling to its source return in humble prayer and fervent praise.
- 3. Jesus, confirm my heart's desire to work, and speak, and think for thee; still let me guard the holy fire, and still stir up the gift in me.
- 4. Ready for all thy perfect will, my acts of faith and love repeat; till death thy endless mercies seal, and make the sacrifice complete.

Please remain standing for the Blessing

The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; 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 organ postlude: Louis Vierne (1870 - 1937) – Carillon de Longpont

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

A prayer for all affected by coronavirus

Keep us, good Lord, under the shadow of your mercy. Sustain and support the anxious, be with those who care for the sick, and lift up all who are brought low; that we may find comfort knowing that nothing can separate us from your love in Christ Jesus our Lord. **Amen.**

International Province of South East Asia Primate Abp Melter Tais

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Michael Galloway, Samuel

All who are ill at this time (*Please help us to keep this list up to date by emailing new requests for prayer, or letting us know when no longer*

needed)

Those working on the 'front-line' in our health services

Rest in Peace John Irvine

Year's Mind

23rd Gladys Ruth Gibson, Alexander Russell Cameron,

John Malcolm Linn 24th Joan Macmichael

25th Frederick Elliot Wells, Mary Taylor Burnell

27th Daisy Loan, Cassandra Prowse, John Timothy Moyns Gent,

Fay Abbott

28th Ita Hughes, George Appleton, Connie Beal,

Andrew Francis Atterbury Osborn, Lionel Rossiter (Ross) Lenthall

29th Andre Rudolph

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Sunday Night with Lynn Arnold: 7pm on 1079Life. Tonight Lynn's guest will be Rabbi Shoshana Kaminsky (part 2 of this conversation series).

Cathedral Weekday Visiting Hours: Open for private prayer and visitors Monday to Friday 11.00am – 1.00pm.

Cathedral Shop Open: The Shop is open on Sunday mornings before and after the 10.30 service, and, if requested, can be on Sunday evenings. It is also open on weekdays between 11.00am and 1.00pm.

Planet: 2pm-4pm on Wednesday 26 August in the CP Hall. This session will be facilitated by The Rev'd Dr Theo McCall and The Rev'd Capan Joppy Wilson, and will focus on the

Company of Preachers: Preaching for the

Canon Jenny Wilson, and will focus on the place of creation care in one's sermons. The third in a series of four events design to assist clergy in their vocation of preaching.

RSVP at <u>companyofpreacherscreation</u>.

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Please note: If you are unable to attend this even in person, it will be livestreamed via the Cathedral Facebook Page on the day, and also available to watch after the event.

Divine Intervention

Chris Oaten's upcoming photography exhibition will feature stunning photos from the scaffolding during our Cathedral Organ restoration.

11 September – 11 October 2020, Kay Brothers Wines, 57 Kays Rd, McLaren Vale, at shimmer [festival of photography].

The complexity of the pipe organ – once the most complicated of machines made by humans – forms the major focus of this exhibition, which turns the camera on both the organ restoration and salient details of St Peter's Cathedral.

The imagery was made possible by the extensive scaffolding put in place to support the restoration work. Not in our lifetimes will such access again be possible.

Chris extends his gratitude to St Peter's Cathedral, whose sponsorship made this exhibition possible.

www.onkaparingacity.com/shimmer

THIS WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY 23RD AUGUST 2020

Pentecost 12

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

10:30am Choral Eucharist

Preacher: The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

6:00pm Choral Evensong (BCP)

Preacher: The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

WEEKDAYS

7:30am Eucharist (*Lady Chapel*)

WEDNESDAY

10:00am Holy Communion (BCP) (Lady Chapel)

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