

BCP EUCHARIST PROPERS

CHRIST THE KING

SUNDAY 20TH NOVEMBER 2022

8AM



A warm welcome to St Peter's Cathedral as we gather for worship this morning.

St Peter's Cathedral resides on the lands of the Kurna people. We give thanks for their ancestors and acknowledge the ongoing right and responsibility of their elders to care for this Country. We are committed to work and pray towards a more just settlement for all Indigenous people and pay our respect to First Nations people with us.

St Peter's Cathedral is a Christ-centred, sacramental, inclusive, thinking, mission-oriented faith community.

On this, the final Sunday in the church's year, we ponder the idea of Christ as King, the idea of the reign of Christ. It is telling that the gospel passage chosen for our reflections is taken from Luke 23, the scene of Jesus' crucifixion. It is in Luke's Gospel that we see Jesus speaking to the two criminals who are crucified with him, assuring one that he will be with him in Paradise. It is also in Luke's Gospel that we hear Jesus speak the words of forgiveness to those who have nailed him to his cross, "Father forgive them for they do not know what they are doing."

As we gather in our Cathedral to pray for a world in the midst of climate crisis, war and pandemic, not to mention the struggles of those close to us who we love dearly, we find the one who we are to worship as our King, portrayed, broken and dying, loving and forgiving. This is the mystery and beauty of Christ the King. This is the mystery and beauty of the Reign of Christ.

Blessings,

The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson, Precentor

Celebrant: The Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold AO

Preacher: The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

Readers: Elspeth Harley, David Docwra

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COLLECT

STIR up, we beseech thee, O Lord, the wills of thy faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may of thee be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

A reading from the Prophet Jeremiah.

JEREMIAH 23:1-6

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord . Therefore, thus says the Lord , the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord . Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord . The days are surely coming, says the Lord , when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The Lord is our righteousness.'

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

PSALM: SONG OF ZECHARIAH

Blessed are you, Lord, the God of Israel: you have come to your people and set them free.

You have raised up for us a mighty Saviour:

born of the house of your servant David.

Through your holy prophets, you promised of old:

to save us from our enemies, from the hands of all who hate us,

To show mercy to our forebears: and to remember your holy covenant.

This was the oath you swore to our father Abraham:

to set us free from the hands of our enemies,

Free to worship you without fear:

holy and righteous before you, all the days of our life.

And you, child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High:

for you will go before the Lord to prepare the way,

To give God's people knowledge of salvation: by the forgiveness of their sins.

In the tender compassion of our God: the dawn from on high shall break upon us,

To shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death:

and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

SECOND READING

A reading from the letter to Colossians.

COLOSSIANS 1:11-20

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

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

THE GOSPEL

The Lord be with you

And with thy spirit

The Holy Gospel is written in the 23rd Chapter of the Gospel according to Luke, beginning at the 33rd verse.

Glory be to thee, O Lord

LUKE 23.33-43

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, 'Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.' And they cast lots to divide his clothing. And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, 'He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!' The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, 'If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!' There was also an inscription over him, 'This is the King of the Jews.' One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, 'Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!' But the other rebuked him, saying, 'Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong.' Then he said, 'Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.' He replied, 'Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord: **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**



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St Peter's
nurturing spirit and mind
CATHEDRAL

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For the Church

International The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean Primate Abp James Richard Wong Yin Song

National Riverina: Donald Kirk (Camryn)

South Australia

Diocese of Adelaide Flinders Medical Centre & Repatriation Health Precinct: Hilary Reddrop (Alan), Peter Chapman

Diocese of Willochra Roxby Downs (Roxby Downs, Andamooka, Woomera): Glen McDonald (Beth)

Diocese of The Murray Increase in vocations to ordained and licensed ministry

For the People

We hold before God all those who have asked for our prayers, particularly:

Immediate Prayer: Marion Ferguson, Heather Scott, Audrey, Peter Black

Long Term Prayer: Francis Brooks, Peter Garland, Michael Ford, Max Lennard, Chris, Cynthia Thomas, Bridie Maxwell, Meredith Chesterman, Vernon Lewis, Pauline Van Buren, Alisha Coe-Fox, Anne Hogben, Matilda Lane, Patsy & Joan, Helena Fernandes, Norton and Judy Schenscher, Cricket Fox, Daniella

We pray for those whose years mind occurs at this time:

20th Robert William Beal

21st Gilbert Sinden SSM

22nd Andrew Gosse Hay

Jean Fenwick

23rd Ailsa Grindrod

26th Reginald Keith Sorby Adams

NOTICES

Sunday Night with Lynn Arnold – This week Lynn Arnold will be posting a replay of a previous discussion.

Tea/coffee after regular services:

Our community has slowly been returning to having morning tea on a semi-regular basis. We are now able to have the following gatherings:

- The Wednesday 10am community have tea and coffee after the first Wednesday each month. The next gathering will take place on Wednesday, 7th December.
- The Sunday 8am community have tea and coffee after the first Sunday of each month, The next gathering will take place on Sunday, 4th December
- After the 10:30am service, please join us for tea and coffee provided every week from now until December 18th.

New opportunities for Welcomers - We are delighted to be opening the Cathedral morning and afternoon, 10.30-1 and 1-3.30 from this month. If you are interested in volunteering to help us achieve this, please contact Suzanne in the office. Even one shift a month would help. Training provided.

Brass and Silver Polishing - The small, dedicated, and friendly team of brass and silver polishers are looking for willing hearts and hands to help with this rewarding task. Meet once a fortnight on a Friday or Saturday morning; no prior experience needed. **All welcome!** For more information or to express an interest, please contact Ranjini on 0412 790 544, or the Cathedral Office.

Lambeth Conference Bible Studies on I Peter – Bishop Chris and Susan are leading a Bible Study using the material from the Lambeth Conference 2022. 5 Tuesday evenings at 5.00pm in November, beginning 1 November and concluding 29 November. An informal meal at one of the local restaurants will follow each study for those who wish to join in. Registration through the Cathedral Office.

Christmas Market - We are looking forward to a wonderful Christmas Market this morning - Sunday 20 November, 9am-1pm. Nativities, children's Christmas books, Christmas decorations, serviettes, plants, gifts, cards, advent calendars, cakes, treats, puddings etc and we will also have a gingerbread house \$1 per ticket raffle!

Planned Giving – The Cathedral is migrating its Planned Giving Bank Account to Anglican Funds SA. Please arrange for your Planned Giving to go to BSB: 705-077, Account No: 00040056, Account Name: St Peter's Cathedral Planned Giving, Reference: Your Name.

New assistant curate - The Rev'd Sally Sandford- Morgan will be the assistant curate at the Cathedral in 2023. Sally will begin her ministry here in February next year. We look forward to Sally joining the team.

Meeting God on Mondays - You are warmly invited to join Canon Jenny and the Monday Study Group this Monday, 21st November at 10am in the CP Hall.

Lost property - If you have lost a hat or cardigan in recent weeks, please contact the office. – 8267 4551

FRIENDS PROJECT HITS HALF-WAY MARK. For the past 6 months the Friends of the Cathedral have been collecting those pesky plastic bread-bag tags. Now at the half-way mark we have 1.315 kgs of plastic tags (or 2.9 pounds weight) - a great effort. Please keep bringing them in to the Cathedral or to the office until the end of May 2023. Remember, proceeds help provide wheelchairs in South Africa for those who can't afford them - a great cause.

Ordination - Please pray for Samuel Yengi and Ben Falcon who will be ordained to the Diaconate and Cameron Burr and Sally Sandford-Morgan who will be ordained to the Priesthood on Saturday 26th November at 10am in St Peter's Cathedral. All are welcome to attend.

Funeral Service for Sylvia Bridgman will be held on Thursday 24 November at 2pm in the Cathedral.



Advent Carols Service

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
27TH NOVEMBER
6PM
ST PETER'S CATHEDRAL

This beautiful service at the beginning of the season of Advent brings together music, readings, and the lighting of candles, as we move from darkness to light in the expectation of Christ's coming.

THIS WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL

For some services, the West Doors of the Cathedral are not opened. Please make your way to the northern (carpark) side of the Cathedral and enter through the St Barnabas Porch.

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| MON 21ST NOV | 7:30am | Eucharist (Lady Chapel) |
| | 9.15am | Morning Prayer (St Barnabas College) |
| | 10:30am-1:00pm | Open for visiting and private prayer |
| TUES 22ND NOV | 7:30am | Eucharist (Lady Chapel) |
| | 8:45am | Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel) |
| | 10:30am-3:30pm | Open for visiting and private prayer |
| WED 23RD NOV | 7:30am | Eucharist (Lady Chapel) |
| | 8:45am | Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel) |
| | 10:00am | Eucharist (Lady Chapel) |
| | 10:30am-3:30pm | Open for visiting and private prayer |
| THURS 24TH NOV | 5:30pm | Evening Prayer (Dean's Chapel) |
| | 7:30am | Eucharist (Lady Chapel) |
| | 8:45am | Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel) |
| | 10:30am-3:30pm | Open for visiting and private prayer |
| FRI 25TH NOV | 7:30am | Eucharist (Lady Chapel) |
| | 8:45am | Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel) |
| | 10:30am-3:30pm | Open for visiting and private prayer |
| SAT 26TH NOV | | Closed |
| SUN 27TH NOV FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT | 8:00am | Eucharist from The Book of Common Prayer |
| | 10:30am | Choral Eucharist |
| | | Preacher – The Right Rev'd Chris McLeod |
| | 6:00pm | Advent Carols |

CATHEDRAL STAFF

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| Dean | The Right Reverend Chris McLeod |
| Canon Precentor | The Reverend Canon Jenny Wilson |
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