

BCP EUCHARIST PROPERS



FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

SUNDAY 27TH 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.

'For in the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man'

(Matthew 24: 37)

The imagery is disturbing – as in the days of Noah a flood catching people unawares, some people taken halfway through a job, others left behind, thieves breaking in at unexpected times, and the Lord returning when we least expect it. Many of us find this Apocalyptic imagery difficult to understand and deeply troubling. However, through this graphic pictorial language a truth is proclaimed. God will reign on earth as in heaven. The kingdoms of this world are passing away, though they would like us to believe otherwise. However, God's Kingdom will come in all its fullness. We do not know exactly when this will happen, but we are ready because we have entered the Kingdom of God through Jesus Christ. In joyful expectation we live in the here and now with the values of the Kingdom of God that Jesus taught us.

Blessings,

The Right Rev'd Chris McLeod

Celebrant: The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

Preacher: The Right Rev'd Chris McLeod

Readers: Brian White, Barbara White

Please use this Propers booklet in conjunction with the yellow Order of Service.

COLLECT

ALMIGHTY God, give us grace that we may cast away the works of darkness, and put upon us the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which thy Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious Majesty, to judge both the quick and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, now and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

A reading from the Prophet Isiah.

ISAIAH 2.1-5

The word that Isiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

In days to come

the mountain of the Lord's house
shall be established as the highest of the mountains,
and shall be raised above the hills;
all the nations shall stream to it.

Many peoples shall come and say,
'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord,
to the house of the God of Jacob;
that he may teach us his ways
and that we may walk in his paths.'

For out of Zion shall go forth instruction,
and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem.

He shall judge between the nations,
and shall arbitrate for many peoples;
they shall beat their swords into ploughshares,
and their spears into pruning-hooks;
nation shall not lift up sword against nation,
neither shall they learn war any more.

O house of Jacob,
come, let us walk
in the light of the Lord!

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

PSALM 122

I was glad when they said to me: 'Let us go to the house of the Lord.'

And now our feet are standing: within your gates, O Jerusalem;

Jerusalem which is built as a city: where the pilgrims gather in unity.

There the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord:

as he commanded Israel, to give thanks to the name of the Lord.

There are set thrones of judgement: the thrones of the house of David.

O pray for the peace of Jerusalem: may those who love you prosper.

Peace be within your walls: and prosperity in your palaces.

For the sake of my kindred and companions: I will pray that peace be with you.

For the sake of the house of the Lord our God: I will seek for your good.

SECOND READING

A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans.

ROMANS 13.9-14

The commandments, 'You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet'; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law. Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

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 24th Chapter of the Gospel according to Matthew, beginning at the 36th verse.

Glory be to thee, O Lord

‘But about that day and hour no one knows, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. For as the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so too will be the coming of the Son of Man. Then two will be in the field; one will be taken and one will be left. Two women will be grinding meal together; one will be taken and one will be left. Keep awake therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. But understand this: if the owner of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.

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



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FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For the Church

International Embertide The Nippon Sei Ko Kai Primate Abp Luke Kenichi Muto

National Willochra: Bishop Elect: Jeremy James, Administrator: Martin Bleby (Viv)

South Australia

Diocese of Adelaide Chaplain to Flinders University: Deborah Jeanes (Jeff)

Diocese of Willochra Whyalla (Iron Knob, Whyalla): Sandra Bryson, Anglicare Outreach Centre in Whyalla, TACL (Training Aboriginal Christian Leaders) working with Indigenous People at Port Augusta, Ceduna and the Pitjantjatjara Lands

Diocese of The Murray Mothers' Union: Diocesan President Jocelyn Williamson, Chaplain Daniel Irvine (Jasamine)

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:

27th Douglas Edward Short
Marjory Grace Fitzgerald

28th Alan MacKay

29th Frank Woods
Harry Andersson
Roy Hardy

30th Aubrey William Pain

DECEMBER

1st Alwyn Shepherd
Josephine Ray

2nd Leonard Medder
Josephine Lillian Perryman

3rd Thomas Walter Hardy (1980)

NOTICES

Sunday Night with Lynn Arnold – This week Lynn Arnold will be posting a replay of his discussion with the Archbishop of Canterbury, Justin Welby.

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.

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.

Taizé service in the Cathedral, this Saturday 3rd December at 7.30pm. Led by the Rev'd Joan Claring-Bould. Musicians rehearse from 6.30pm. All welcome.

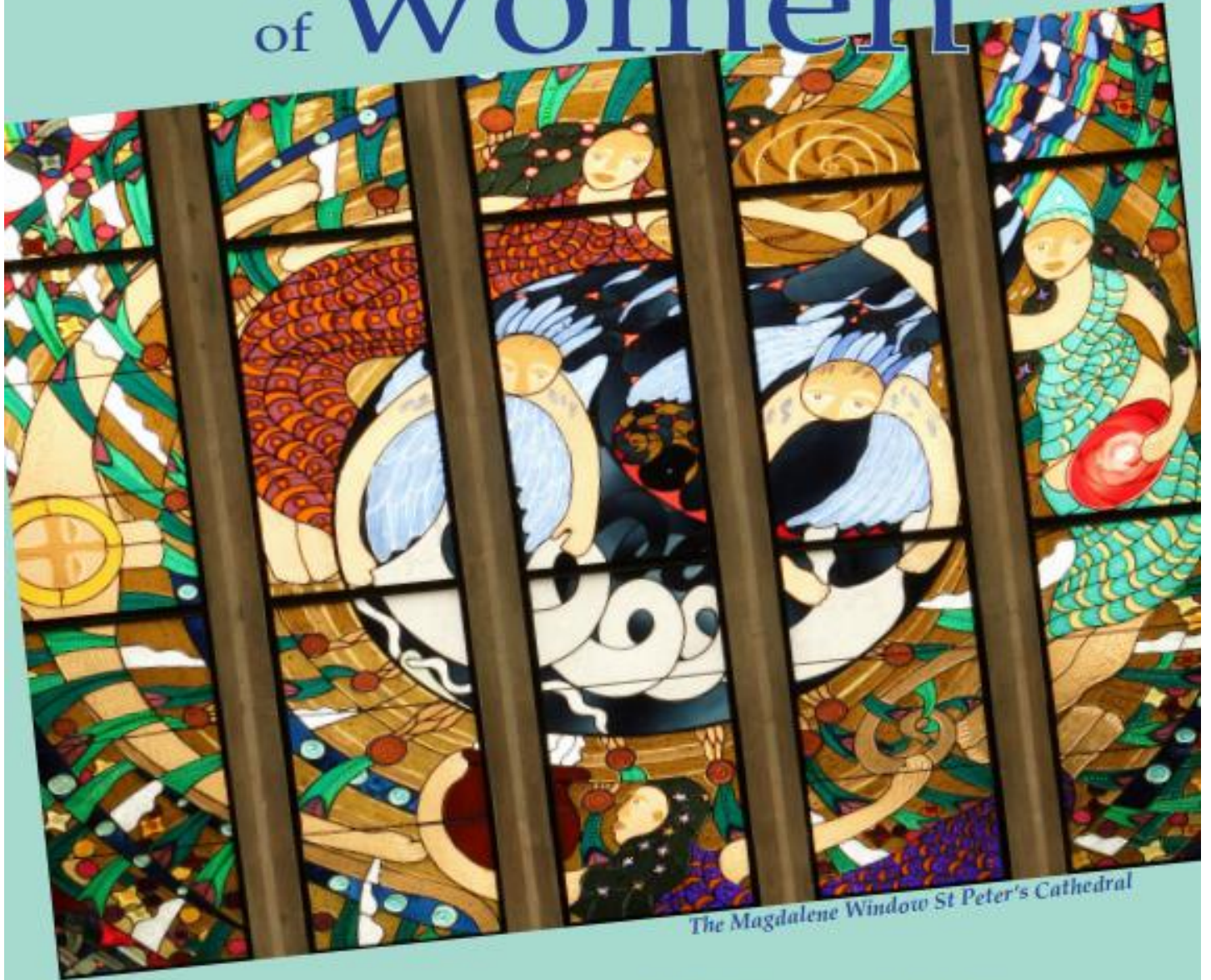
Christian Meditation postponed – Christian Meditation will take place on Saturday 3rd December, in the CP Hall at 9:30am. No experience necessary. Let go of the stresses of the week and sit in peace.

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.

Advent Carols Service takes place this evening – 6pm.

Sunday 4 December 2022 at 6pm in St Peter's Cathedral

30th anniversary of the ordination of women



The Magdalene Window St Peter's Cathedral

In the Anglican Diocese of Adelaide on 5 December 1992 women were ordained as priests for the first time. This was only the second time in the Anglican Church in Australia.

Since then nearly 900 women have been ordained as priests and 10 have become bishops.

In the Diocese of Adelaide more than 40 women priests have served in parishes, schools and hospitals.

Everyone is welcome to St Peter's Cathedral on 4 December 2022 at 6pm for a service of celebration and thanksgiving.

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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.

MON 28TH NOV	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	9.15am	Morning Prayer (St Barnabas College)
	10:30am-1:00pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
TUES 29TH NOV	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45am	Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10:30am-3:30pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
WED 30TH NOV ANDREW, APOSTLE AND MARTYR	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
	5:30pm	Evening Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
THURS 1ST DEC	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45am	Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10:30am-3:30pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
FRI 2ND DEC	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45am	Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10:30am-3:30pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
SAT 3RD DEC		Closed
SUN 4TH DEC SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT ANNIVERSARY OF THE ORDINATION OF WOMEN	8:00am	Eucharist from The Book of Common Prayer
	10:30am	Choral Eucharist Preacher – The Rev'd Joan Claring-Bould
	6:00pm	Choral Evensong Preacher – The Right Rev'd Denise Ferguson

CATHEDRAL STAFF

Dean	The Right Reverend Chris McLeod
Canon Precentor	The Reverend Canon Jenny Wilson
Honorary Assistant Priest	The Reverend Dr Lynn Arnold AO
Honorary Assistant Priest	The Reverend Joan Claring-Bould
Cathedral Office	Suzanne Wilson, Robyn Shilcock, Marco Callisto, Emma Simpson-Smith
Director of Music	Anthony Hunt
Cathedral Organist	David Heah
Dean's Warden	Kevin Stracey
People's Warden	Reuben Jacob