

CHORAL EVENSONG

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST SUNDAY 15 OCTOBER 2023

6 PM

Welcome to St Peter's Cathedral. We are delighted to have you worship with us today for this service of Choral Evensong from the Book of Common Prayer. As the choir and clergy lead this service, allow the music and words to bring you into a stillness and prayerful reflection with God. Please join us in saying the words in bold. The hymns can be found in the separate hymn book. Indications for sitting, kneeling, and standing are a guide only.

St Peter's Cathedral resides on the lands of the Kaurna 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.

The unknown 5th century author of *Opus Imperfectum in Matthaeum* (an early Christian commentary on the Gospel of Matthew) wrote about the 'King' in Matthew 25:31-41 describing him thus: 'Even as Christ is healthy in souls that are healthy, he is ailing in souls that are ailing.' So we have the divine perspective on the human condition. By this perspective, we are not only called to review our understanding of the love of God, but also of our love of neighbour.

This Sunday, in the second of the series on the Inasmuch Sermon, I will be examining the topics of those who feel estranged from society, being either homeless in fact or, as strangers at the gate, locked out of home.

Blessings,

The Revd Dr Lynn Arnold AO

Officiant: The Revd Sally Sandford-Morgan Preacher: The Revd Dr Lynn Arnold AO

Readers: Christine Beal, Matt Wills Choir: St Peter's Cathedral Choir

Conductor: Anthony Hunt

Organist: David Heah

Please stand as the clergy and choir enter and remain standing as the choir sings the Inroit.

INTROIT David John Lang

The Lord bless you and keep you,
The Lord make his face to shine upon you,
and be gracious unto you.
The Lord lift up the light of his countenance upon you,
and give you peace. Amen.

PRECES Philip Radcliffe (1905-1986)

O Lord, open thou our lips.

And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

O God, make speed to save us. O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.

The Lord's name be praised.

Remain standing to sing the Office Hymn

HYMN 561 — How shall we sing salvation's song (Llangarron)

Please be seated. The choir sings

PSALM 23

Chant: Stephen Elvey 1805-60 after Camidge

I will declare thy Name unto my brethren; in the midst of the congregation will I praise thee.

O praise the Lord, ye that fear him: magnify him, all ye of the seed of Jacob; and fear him, all ye seed of Israel.

For he hath not despised nor abhorred the low estate of the poor;

he hath not hid his face from him; but when he called unto him he heard him.

My praise is of thee in the great congregation;

my vows will I perform in the sight of them that fear him.

The poor shall eat, and be satisfied;

they that seek after the Lord shall praise him: your heart shall live for ever.

All the ends of the world shall remember themselves, and be turned unto the Lord; and all the kindreds of the nations shall worship before him.

For the kingdom is the Lord's, and he is the Governor among the nations.

All such as be fat upon earth have eaten, and worshipped.

All they that go down into the dust shall kneel before him;

and no man hath quickened his own soul.

My seed shall serve him: they shall be counted unto the Lord for a generation.

They shall come, and shall declare his righteousness

unto a people that shall be born, whom the Lord hath made.

Please stand

Glory be to the Father and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Please sit

FIRST LESSON

JEREMIAH 29.4-14

The Lesson is written in the 29th chapter of the book of the Prophet Jeremiah, beginning at the 4th verse.

Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: Build houses and live in them; plant gardens and eat what they produce. Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease. But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare. For thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Do not let the prophets and the diviners who are among you deceive you, and do not listen to your dreams that you dream, for it is a lie that they are prophesying to you in my name; I did not send them, says the LORD.

For thus says the LORD: Only when Babylon's seventy years are completed will I visit you, and I will fulfill to you my promise and bring you back to this place. For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the LORD, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope. Then when you call upon me and come and pray to me, I will hear you. When you search for me, you will find me; if you seek me with all your heart, I will let you find me, says the LORD, and I will restore your fortunes and gather you from all the nations and all the places where I have driven you, says the LORD, and I will bring you back to the place from which I sent you into exile.

Here endeth the lesson.

Please stand. The choir sings

MAGNIFICAT

Roland Martin (b.1955) St Paul's Buffalo Service

My soul doth magnify the Lord: and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

For he hath regarded: the lowliness of his hand-maiden.

For behold, from henceforth: all generations shall call me blessed.

For he that is mighty hath magnified me: and holy is his name.

And his mercy is on them that fear him: throughout all generations.

He hath shewed strength with his arm:

he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.

he hath put down the mighty from their seat: and hath exalted the humble and meek.

He hath filled the hungry with good things: and the rich he hath sent empty away.

He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel:

as he promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed, for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;

as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Please sit

SECOND LESSON LUKE 10.25-37

The Lesson is written in the 10th chapter of the Gospel according to St Luke, beginning at the 25th verse.

An expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind and your neighbour as yourself." And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live."

But wanting to vindicate himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbour?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and took off, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while traveling came upon him, and when he saw him he was moved with compassion. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, treating them with oil and wine. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him, and when I come back I will repay you whatever more you spend.' Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

Here endeth the lesson.

Please stand. The choir sings

NUNC DIMITTIS

Roland Martin (b.1955) St Paul's Buffalo Service

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace: according to thy word.

For mine eyes have seen: thy salvation,

which thou hast prepared: before the face of all people;

to be a light to lighten the Gentiles: and to be the glory of thy people Israel.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;

as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Remain standing

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Remain standing. The choir sings

THE LESSER LITANY AND RESPONSES

Philip Radcliffe (1905-1986)

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

Please kneel/sit

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

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

- O Lord, shew thy mercy upon us. And grant us thy salvation.
- O Lord, save the King.

 And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Endue thy ministers with righteousness.

And make thy chosen people joyful.

O Lord, save thy people.

And bless thine inheritance.

Give peace in our time, O Lord.

Because there is none other that fighteth for us, but only thou, O God.

O God, make clean our hearts within us. And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

COLLECTS

THE COLLECT OF THE WEEK

O GOD, forasmuch as without thee we are not able to please thee; Mercifully grant, that thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PEACE

O GOD, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed: Give unto thy servants that peace which the world cannot give; that both our hearts may be set to obey thy commandments, and also that by thee we being defended from the fear of our enemies may pass our time in rest and quietness; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour. *Amen*.

THE COLLECT FOR AID AGAINST ALL PERILS

LIGHTEN our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of thy only Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. *Amen*.

Please remain seated. The choir sings

ANTHEM

Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

O hearken Thou unto the voice of my calling, my King, and my God, for unto Thee will I make my prayer.

Please kneel or remain seated

THE PRAYERS

Please stand to sing the Second Hymn

HYMN 792 — THE GOD OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS (UNIVERSITY)

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

Many choose to make regular donations electronically or by using envelopes. Complete a Planned Giving form to become a regular and faithful financial supporter of the ministry of the Cathedral. For online or electronic donations, please refer to the details below the Blessing.

Please sit

SERMON

The Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold AO

HYMN 10 — ABIDE WITH ME (EVENTIDE)

Remain standing

THE BLESSING

The peace of God, which passeth 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 Ghost, be amongst you and remain with you always.

Amen.

Please remain standing as the choir and clergy depart.

After this, you are invited to sit to listen to the organ postlude

POSTLUDE

Nimrod, Enigma Variations, Op.36: IX Edward Elgar (1857-1934)



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Sunday Night with Lynn Arnold on 1079 LIFE – Tonight the Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold's guest will be the Revd James Bhagwan, General Secretary of the Pacific Council of Churches, who visited Adelaide last week to deliver the Uniting Church's Polkinghorne Oration.

Tea/coffee after regular services: Our community offer hospitality at the following times:

- The Wednesday I0 am community have tea & coffee after the first Wednesday each month. The next gathering will take place on Wednesday I November October.
- The Sunday 8 am community have tea & coffee after the first Sunday of each month. The next gathering will take place on Sunday 5 November.
- After the 10.30 am Choral Eucharist, there is tea and coffee provided every week.

October Evensong "Inasmuch" sermon series: At Evensong today, the Revd Dr Lynn Arnold continues his exploration of the contemporary implications of Jesus' call as recorded in Matthew 25:31-41 including poverty, homelessness, refugees, prisoners.

We were delighted to receive a message from **Shirley-Anne Gale** during the week to thank the members of the Cathedral community for their prayers and good wishes following her recent hip replacement surgery. The procedure was successful, and she is getting about (and reluctantly doing her exercises) without the pressure of constant pain. She hopes to be back at the Cathedral in the next few weeks.

For many years the congregation of St Peter's Cathedral has provided a 3 course meal of soup, casserole and vegetables and dessert on a designated Saturday evening for the **Mary Mags Dinner** outreach activity put on by St Mary Magdalene Church. Our next rostered day is on **November II**, and your support is needed in the following areas.

- Provide a casserole:12 required.
- Be a helper on the night: 8 helpers needed.
- Make a cash donation

If you are willing to provide a casserole, please put your name on the clipboard (on the table near the main doors) and take a copy of the common casserole recipe that we use. Casseroles should be delivered to CP Hall fridge by Friday 4pm or taken to St Mary Magdalene's Church, Moore Street, Adelaide, between 4pm and 5pm on Saturday afternoon. Please add your name to the clipboard if you can help on the night (approximately 4.45pm until 7.30pm). If you would like to help with the expenses, there are specially marked envelopes for your donations, also on the clipboard.

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For the Church International National

The Anglican Church of Kenya, Archbishop Jackson Ole Sapit

Melbourne, Archbishop Philip Freier (Joy)

South Australia

Diocese of Adelaide Parkside: Ali Wurm, Deirdre Ragless

Diocese of Willochra Ministry District of Yorke Peninsula (Edithburgh, Yorketown, Corny

Point, Warooka): Andrew Lang (Louise), Louise Lang (Andrew),

Sorél Coward (Jane)

Diocese of The Murray Mannum - Mt Pleasant - Mt Torrens: Bruce Hicks (Melita)

For the People

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

Immediate Prayer: David, Christine Chomel, Alison Lockett, Oliver (WCH),

Shirley-Anne Gale

Long Term Prayer: Francis Brooks, Peter Garland, Max Lennard, Chris, Bridie Maxwell, Meredith Chesterman, Vernon Lewis, Pauline Van Buren, Alisha Coe-Fox, Anne Hogben, Matilda Lane, Helena Fernandes, Cricket Fox, Daniella, Heather Scott, Peter Black, Jean Arnold, Martin Reece, Norton & Judy Schenscher, Joseph Burgess (WCH), John Hankin.

Those who have died recently, especially Jane Littleton.

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

15th Donald Llewellyn Redding (bishop)

17th William Irwin

18th Ray Parsons

19th Frank Weston

20th Anthony Bensley Williams

Gordon John Johnson

Donald Wallace

The Cathedral is compiling a database of the lives of those whose names appear on the Year's Mind list. If you have any biographical details of any of the people remembered today, please contact Stuart Langshaw - langshawstuart@gmail.com

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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 16 Oct	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	9.15am	Morning Prayer (St Barnabas College)
	10:30am-1:00pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
Tues 17 Oct	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45am	Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10:30am-3:30pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
WED 18 OCT	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 19 Oct	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45am	Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10:30am-3:30pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
Fri 20 Oct	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45am	Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10:30am-3:30pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
SAT 21 OCT		Closed
Sun 22 Oct Twenty-First Sunday After Pentecost	8:00am	Eucharist from The Book of Common
	10:30am	Prayer
		Choral Eucharist
	6:00pm	Preacher – The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson
	·	Choral Evensong
		Preacher – The Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold AO
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CATHEDRAL STAFF

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