

CHORAL EUCHARIST CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY 26 NOVEMBER 2023 10.30 AM

Welcome to St Peter's Cathedral. We are delighted to have you worship with us today for this Choral Eucharist from A Prayer Book for Australia. Please join us in saying the words in bold. The hymns can be found in the separate hymn book. All indications for sitting, kneeling, and standing are a guide only: please do whatever is most comfortable for you.

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.

Today we think about Christ as the King of Heaven, sitting on a throne and dividing the people of all nations into two groups based on their care and treatment of the less fortunate and needy members of society. We have a multitude of ways open to us to help others. We can act independently, offering assistance to those that we meet or have a connection with, but we can also assist agencies that already exist, and have the infrastructure already in place to connect with those in need. Some of the Anglican agencies are Anglicare, the Anglican Board of Mission (ABM) and Bush Church Aid (BCA), and there are many others that exist that are linked to other churches, are non-denominational or secular. The cathedral community is currently supporting the work of ABM in Myanmar and Gaza, and has also been providing food hampers for Anglicare to distribute over Christmas. Thank you for your generosity in these endeavours.

Blessings,

The Revd Sally Sandford-Morgan Assistant Priest

Celebrant: The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson **Preacher:** The Rev'd Sally Sandford-Morgan

Readers: Sandy Mitchell, Ben Begg Intercessor: Josh Wheaton

Choir: St Peter's Cathedral Choir

Conductor: Anthony Hunt Organist: David Heah

Hymns: 227, 435, 453, 232

HYMN 227 - CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS (DIADEMATA)

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

O shout to the Lord in triumph all the earth. Serve the Lord with gladness and come before his face with songs of joy. $PSALM\ 100.1$

Let us pray.

Please sit / kneel

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

KYRIE Jonathan Dove (b.1959) Missa Brevis

Kyrie eléison

Christe eléison

Kyrie eléison

Lord, have mercy

Christ, have mercy

Lord, have mercy

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy, welcoming sinners and inviting them to the Lord's table.

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

GLORIA

Jonathan Dove (b.1959) Missa Brevis

Gloria in excelsis Deo, et in terra pax hominibus bonae voluntatis. Laudamus te, benedicimus te, adoramus te, glorificamus te, gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam. Domine Deus, Rex coelestis, Deus Pater omnipotens.

Domine Fili unigenite, Jesu Christe: Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis, qui tollis peccata mundi, suscipe deprecationem nostram. Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris, miserere nobis.

Quoniam tu solus sanctus, tu solus Dominus, tu solus altissimus, Jesu Christe, cum Sancto Spiritu, in gloria Dei Patris. Amen. Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of The Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

COLLECT

God of power and love, who raised your Son Jesus from death to life, resplendent in glory to rule over all creation: free the world to rejoice in his peace, to glory in his justice, and to live in his love. Unite the human race in Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please sit

FIRST READING

EZEKIEL 34.11–16, 34.20–24

A reading from the Prophet Ezekiel.

For thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice. Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge

between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep. I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the Lord, have spoken.

Hear the word of the Lord,

Thanks be to God.

The choir sings

PSALM 100 Chant: Andrew Seivewright (1926-2010)

O shout to the Lord in triumph, all the earth:

serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his face with songs of joy.

Know that the Lord he is God:

it is he who has made us and we are his; we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

Come into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise:

give thanks to him, and bless his holy name.

For the Lord is good, his loving mercy is for ever: his faithfulness throughout all generations.

SECOND READING EPHESIANS 1.15–23

A reading from the letter to the Ephesians.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love towards all the saints, and for this reason. I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please stand to sing the Gradual Hymn

HYMN 435 – CHRISTIAN PEOPLE, RAISE YOUR SONG (AVE VIRGO VIRGINUM)

During the hymn, children are invited to gather at the rear of the nave in the centre aisle to listen to the Gospel together. After the Gospel they will follow the procession to the altar and then move to the Cynthia Poulton Hall for Cathedral Kids. They will return to the Cathedral in time for Holy Communion.

Please remain standing

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

The choir sings the alleluia, which is repeated by the congregation



Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David!

After the verse, the alleluia is sung again by all

Please remain standing

THE GOSPEL MATTHEW 25.31–46

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.



Jesus said to the disciples:

'When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, "Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me." Then the righteous will answer him, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?" And the king will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me." Then he will say to those at his left hand, "You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me." Then they also will answer, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?" Then he will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me." And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



The organist plays as the procession returns to the altar. Cathedral Kids, please move towards the altar now. Please sit at the invitation of the preacher.

THE SERMON

The Rev'd Sally Sandford-Morgan

Following the sermon, a brief period of silence may be kept to aid reflection.

Please stand

THE NICENE 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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Let us pray for the world and for the church.

Please sit / kneel

The prayers conclude

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



THE ADMISSION OF CHORISTERS TO THE CHOIR

Lulu Chen Isabella Herr Ryan Khalili Ethan Zhang

Notices may be given before the Greeting of Peace.

Please stand

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.

Please remain standing to sing the Offertory Hymn

HYMN 453 – LORD, ENTHRONED IN HEAVENLY SPLENDOUR (ST HELEN)

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

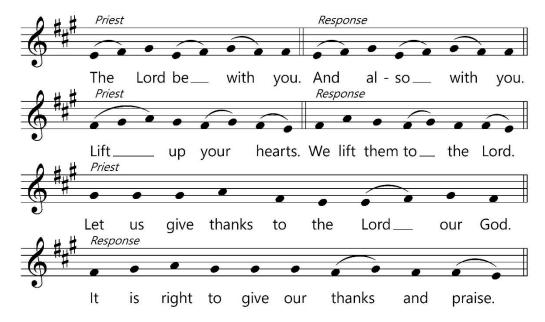
For online or electronic donations, please refer to the details below the Blessing. Many choose to make regular donations electronically or by using envelopes. Complete a Planned Giving form to become a regular and faithful financial supporter of the ministry of the Cathedral.

Remain standing

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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 following may be said or sung



It is right to praise you, faithful God, always and everywhere, for with your only begotten Son and life-giving Spirit, you are the one true God from everlasting to everlasting. At the dawn of time you wrought from nothing a universe of beauty and splendour, bringing light from darkness and order from chaos.

You formed us, male and female, in your image, and endowed us with creative power. We turned away from you but you did not abandon us. You called us by name and searched us out, making a covenant of mercy, giving the law, and teaching justice by the prophets. And so we praise you, joining with your faithful people of every time and place, singing the eternal song:

The choir sings

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus, Dominus Deus Sabaoth, pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis.

Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis. Jonathan Dove (b.1959) Missa Brevis

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

When the fullness of time was come, you sent your Son to be born of Mary. Bright image of your glory, he learnt obedience to you in all things, even to death on a cross, breaking the power of evil, freeing us from sin, and putting death to flight. You raised him from death, exalting him to glory, and the new day dawned.

On the night he was betrayed your Son Jesus Christ shared food with his friends, his companions on the way. While at table he took bread, blessed, and broke it, and giving it to them, said: 'Take, eat; this is my body.'

He took a cup of wine, and, giving thanks, he gave it to them, and said, 'This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many. Do this in remembrance of me.'

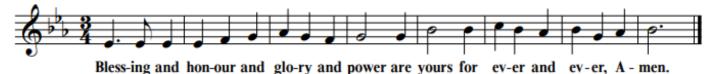
Therefore, living God, as we obey his command, we remember his life of obedience to you, his suffering and death, his resurrection and exaltation, and his promise to be with us for ever. With this bread and this cup we celebrate his saving death until he comes.

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:



Accept, we pray, our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and send your Holy Spirit upon us and our celebration that all who eat and drink at this table may be strengthened by Christ's body and blood to serve you in the world.

As one body and one holy people, may we proclaim the everlasting gospel of Jesus Christ our Lord, through whom, with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, eternal God, now and for ever.



THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND THE COMMUNION

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 sit/kneel. The choir sings

AGNUS DEI

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: miserere nobis.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: dona nobis pacem.

Jonathan Dove (b.1959) Missa Brevis

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

ANTHEM

William Mathias (1934-1992) Lift up your heads, O ye Gates

Lift up your heads, O ye gates, and be ye lift up ye everlasting doors, and the King of glory shall come in.
Who is this King of glory?
The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.
Who is this King of glory?
The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory.

Baptised and communicant Christians of all denominations are welcome to come forward and receive Holy Communion. Gluten free bread is available on request. If you do not wish to receive Holy Communion, you may like to come forward to receive a blessing (simply bow your head as a signal to the priest).

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Gracious God, we thank you that in this sacrament you assure us of your goodness and love. Accept our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving and help us to grow in love and obedience that we may serve you in the world and finally be brought to that table where all your saints feast with you for ever.

Father, we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Lord. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.

Please stand to sing the Post-Communion Hymn

HYMN 232 – THE HEAD THAT ONCE WAS CROWNED WITH THORNS (ST MAGNUS)

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.

Please remain standing as the choir and clergy depart.

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

Postlude

Sigfrid Karg-Elert (1877-1933) Nun danket alle Gott, Op. 65 No 13



Thank you for worshipping with us today. The life and work of this Cathedral is made possible through the generosity of individuals like you. Your gift helps us to maintain this iconic building for all people to enjoy, to continue a strong music and liturgy tradition, and to support the mission of the Church. You can donate in these ways:

- Envelopes and/or cash in the Collection plates or the Donation Boxes around the Cathedral.
- Electronic Funds Transfer: BSB 705-077 Account Number 00040056 (include your name as reference)
- Use the \$10/\$20/\$30/\$50 Tap & Go machine to make an instant donation.
- Debit/Credit card: Scan the QR code to be taken directly to our online donation page.



NOTICES

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

- The Wednesday 10 am community have tea & coffee after the first Wednesday each month. The next gathering will take place on Wednesday 6 December.
- The Sunday 8 am community have tea & coffee after the first Sunday of each month. The next gathering will take place on Sunday 3 December.
- After the 10.30 am Choral Eucharist, there is tea and coffee provided every week.

Anglicare Christmas Hampers

Thank you to the many people that have continued to add to the ever-growing pile of Christmas Hampers in the Narthex. Today is the last opportunity to bring in your contributions. Anglicare will collect the hampers and distribute them to families in need over the Christmas period. Your great generosity is much appreciated as it is anticipated that the number of people requiring assistance will be greater this year than it has been in previous years. We will let you know our final tally of hampers next week.

Christian Meditation moved to December 2 - The next Christian Meditation will be held on <u>Saturday 2 December</u> in the Cynthia Poulton Hall at 9.30am. No experience is necessary. Let go of the stresses of this busy time of the year and sit in peace.

Taizé next Saturday - Prayers for SA Police

The dual tragedies to hit SA Police in the last week - the death in the line of duty of Brevet Sergeant Jason Doig, and the loss of Commissioner Grant Steven's son Charlie in a car accident - have led to an outpouring of support from the wider community. A prayer point has been set up in the Peace Chapel, and the next Taizé service on 2 December will be themed around "Gratitude and Grief". Please keep all those who work to keep the community safe in your prayers, especially at this difficult time.

The Music Foundation Concert "Wings of a Dove" will be held next Saturday at 2 pm. Tickets are available via the QR code or website, or at the door.

Christmas Market

Many thanks to all those who supported the Cathedral Shop's Christmas Market last Sunday. Some \$2,400 was raised to support the ministry of the Cathedral. Many thanks also for your support of the baked goods stall. \$525 was raised, and has been sent to the Anglican Board of Mission to support the vital work of the Al Ahli hospital in the north of Gaza.

Conservation Works

The first works on our current stonework conservation project will begin next week. For three or four hours each day, stonemasons will be working on the bluestone plinths of the spires to remove unsuitable and damaged pointing. This work is expected to take a few weeks, then the areas will be left to dry out over summer before being repointed in March or April.

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Conductor - Anthony Hunt Cathedral Organist - David Heah

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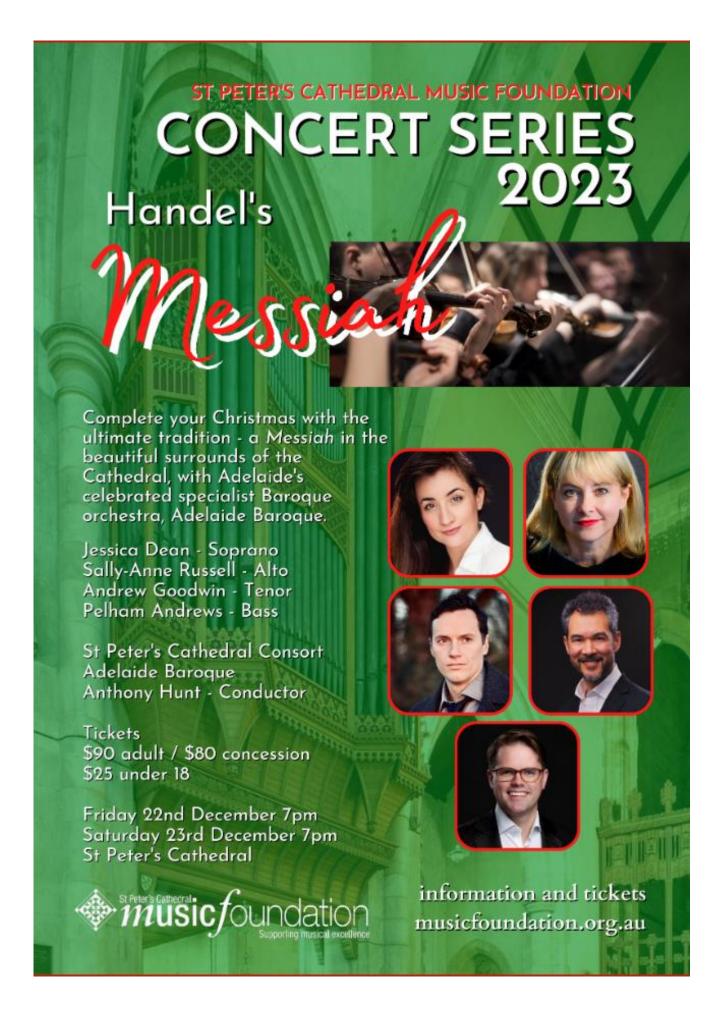
Saturday 2nd December, 2pm St Peter's Cathedral







information and tickets musicfoundation.org.au



FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For the Church

International The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)

Primate Abp Henry C Ndukuba

National Wangaratta: Clarence Bester (Michelle)

South Australia

Diocese of Adelaide St Columba College: principal Leanne Carr, chaplain vacant

Diocese of Willochra Anglicare-Willochra: Louise Lang (Andrew), the Committee;

Mission Agencies of our Church including ABM, BCA, CMS

Diocese of The Murray ac.care

For the People

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

Immediate Prayer: David, Christine Chomel, Oliver (WCH), Sarah Boorman,

Stephen Lane, Sandra Morrison, Audrey Ball.

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, Brooke Garry.

Those who have died recently: June Hillier

Those whose year's mind occurs at this time:

26th Reginald Keith Sorby Adams

27th Eric George Richman

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

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

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 27 Nov	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	9.15am	Morning Prayer (St Barnabas College)
	10:30am-1pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
Tues 28 Nov	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45am	Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10:30am-3:30pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
WED 29 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 30 Nov	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
Andrew,	8:45am	Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
APOSTLE AND MARTYR	10:30am-3:30pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
FRI I DEC	7:30am	Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45am	Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10:30am-3:30pm	Open for visiting and private prayer
SAT 2 DEC	9:30am	Christian Meditation (CP Hall)
	2:00pm	Wings of a Dove Music Foundation Concert
	7:30pm	Taizé Service "Gratitude and Grief"
SUN 3 DEC FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8:00am	Eucharist from The Book of Common Prayer
	10:30am	Choral Eucharist
		Preacher – The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson
	6:00pm	Advent Carols

CATHEDRAL STAFF

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