

CHORAL EVENSONG

THE 22ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

20 OCTOBER 2024

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.

We welcome as preacher today the Reverend Rachel Taber-Hamilton. Rachel has been our Theologian in Residence. This program was offered in conjunction with St Barnabas College and part-sponsored by the Anglican Board of Mission. Rachel comes to us from the Diocese of Olympia in the Episcopal Church of the United States of America (ECUSA) where she is the Rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, Everett, Washington. Rachel is of First Nations heritage (Shackan, British Columbia, Canada). Rachel serves the church in many capacities including membership of the Anglican Indigenous Network, a network of the Anglican Communion. We have appreciated Rachel being with us and look forward to what she shares with us today. Rachel is accompanied by her partner, Nigel, who is also a priest in ECUSA.

The Right Rev'd Chris McLeod
Dean

Officiant: The Rev'd Canon Bill Goodes
Preacher: The Rev'd Rachel Taber-Hamilton
Readers: Michael Doherty, Michele de Courcy
Choir: St Peter's Cathedral Choir
Conductor: Anthony Hunt
Organist: Andrew Georg
Hymns: 25, 765

Please remain standing as the clergy and choir enter.

The choir sings

THE PRECES

Andrew Millington (b.1952)

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.

Please be seated for the welcome.

The choir sings

PSALM 91.9-16

Chant: T. Tertius Noble (1867-1953)

For thou, Lord, art my hope:
thou hast set thine house of defence very high.
There shall no evil happen unto thee:
neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling.
For he shall give his angels charge over thee:
to keep thee in all thy ways.
They shall bear thee in their hands:
that thou hurt not thy foot against a stone.
Thou shalt go upon the lion and adder:
the young lion and the dragon shalt thou tread under thy feet.
Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore will I deliver him:
I will set him up, because he hath known my Name.
He shall call upon me, and I will hear him:
yea, I am with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and bring him to honour.
With long life will I satisfy him:
and shew him my salvation.

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

THE FIRST LESSON

JOB 40.1-14

The lesson from the Book of Job, chapter 40, beginning at verse 1.

The Lord said to Job:

‘Shall a fault-finder contend with the Almighty?
Anyone who argues with God must respond.’

Then Job answered the Lord:

‘See, I am of small account; what shall I answer you?
I lay my hand on my mouth.
I have spoken once, and I will not answer;
twice, but will proceed no further.’

Then the Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind:

‘Gird up your loins like a man;
I will question you, and you declare to me.
Will you even put me in the wrong?
Will you condemn me that you may be justified?
Have you an arm like God,
and can you thunder with a voice like his?

‘Deck yourself with majesty and dignity;
clothe yourself with glory and splendour.
Pour out the overflowings of your anger,
and look on all who are proud, and abase them.
Look on all who are proud, and bring them low;
tread down the wicked where they stand.
Hide them all in the dust together;
bind their faces in the world below.
Then I will also acknowledge to you
that your own right hand can give you victory.

Here ends the Lesson.

Please stand. The choir sings

MAGNIFICAT

Charles V. Stanford (1852-1924) in C

*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

HEBREWS 6.19-7.3

The lesson from the letter to the Hebrews, chapter 6, beginning at verse 19.

We have this hope, a sure and steadfast anchor of the soul, a hope that enters the inner shrine behind the curtain, where Jesus, a forerunner on our behalf, has entered, having become a high priest for ever according to the order of Melchizedek.

This 'King Melchizedek of Salem, priest of the Most High God, met Abraham as he was returning from defeating the kings and blessed him'; and to him Abraham apportioned 'one-tenth of everything'. His name, in the first place, means 'king of righteousness'; next he is also king of Salem, that is, 'king of peace'. Without father, without mother, without genealogy, having neither beginning of days nor end of life, but resembling the Son of God, he remains a priest for ever.

Here ends the Lesson.

Please stand.

The choir sings

NUNC DIMITTIS

Stanford in C

*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

Andrew Millington

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.

○ Lord, shew thy mercy upon us.

And grant us thy salvation.

○ Lord, save the King.

And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Endue thy ministers with righteousness.

And make thy chosen people joyful.

○ Lord, save thy people.

And bless thine inheritance.

Give peace in our time, ○ Lord.

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

○ God, make clean our hearts within us.

And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

COLLECTS

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

GRANT, we beseech thee, merciful Lord, to thy faithful people pardon and peace, that they may be cleansed from all their sins, and serve thee with a quiet mind; 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

Henry Balfour Gardiner (1877-1950) Evening Hymn

*Te lucis ante terminum,
Rerum Creator, poscimus,
Ut pro tua clementia,
Sis praesul et custodia.*

To thee before the close of day,
Creator of the world, we pray
That, with thy wonted favor, thou
Wouldst be our guard and keeper now.

*Procul recedant somnia,
Et noctium phantasmata:
Hostemque nostrum comprime,
Ne pollutantur corpora.*

From all ill dreams defend our sight,
From fears and terrors of the night;
Withhold from us our ghostly foe,
That spot of sin we may not know.

*Praesta, Pater piissime,
Patrique compar Unice,
Cum Spiritu Paraclito,
Regnans per omne saeculum.*

O Father, that we ask be done,
Through Jesus Christ, thine only Son,
Who, with the Holy Ghost and thee,
Doth live and reign eternally.

Amen.

Amen.

Translation: John Mason Neale

Please kneel or remain seated

THE PRAYERS

Please stand to sing the Hymn.

HYMN 25 – WE PRAISE YOU, FATHER, FOR YOUR GIFT (GONFALON ROYAL)

Please sit

SERMON

The Rev'd Rachel Taber-Hamilton

Please stand to sing the hymn

HYMN 765 – PRAISE TO THE LORD (LOBE DEN HERREN)

During this hymn a 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 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

Sigfrid Karg-Elert (1877–1933) *Nun danket alle Gott*, Op.65 no.59

Thank you for worshipping with us today.

*The life and work of this Cathedral
is made possible through the
generosity of individuals like you.*



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NOTICES

Tea/coffee after services

- The Sunday 8 am community offers tea and coffee after the Eucharist on the first Sunday of each month. The next gathering will take place on Sunday 3 November.
- The Wednesday 10 am community offers tea and coffee after the Eucharist on the first Wednesday each month. The next gathering will take place on Wednesday 6 November.
- After the 10:30 am Choral Eucharist, tea and coffee is offered every week.

The Open Door – Thursday 24 October at 6pm: *Church with a difference.* We invite you to join us for an informal dinner gathering in the Cynthia Poulton Hall. It is a safe and honest space to explore the Christian faith, life, and meaning, offering mutual prayer, support and friendship. RSVP Susan McLeod 0428 838 139

Music Foundation Raffle: Parishioner and music-lover Bruce Williams has painted a wonderful artwork of flowers in the Cathedral, which he has donated to the Music Foundation to raffle. Bruce was a chorister in the Cathedral Choir, and he hopes and prays that the subject and nature of the art may raise a sum of money for our wonderful music heritage, and all the people and youth involved, via the Music Foundation. Tickets are \$10, and available at www.musicfoundation.org.au/raffle and will be drawn on **Saturday 26 October**.

Pride Eucharist. On Sunday 27 October at 3 pm the Cathedral will host the annual Pride Eucharist, organised by the Adelaide Rainbow Network, a fellowship group for LGBTIQA+ people in the church. This celebration is held each year around this time, and this is the first time the Cathedral has hosted it. Refreshments will follow in the CP Hall.

Friends of Cathedral 'Jolly Jaunt' 2024: Saturday 2 November, visiting St Nicholas Russian Orthodox Church on Greenhill Road, Wayville, and the Coptic Orthodox Church of St Mary - Anba Bishoy in Cowandilla. Depart 10 am from the Cathedral. \$25 plus cost of own lunch at the Highway Hotel. See Pam Saint or others on the Friends Committee for details.

All Saints Day, which falls on 1 November each year, is one of the great festivals of the Church's year, and the Australian lectionary encourages its observance on the following Sunday. On this day we remember those who in their earthly labours were particularly shining examples of life in Christ. Closely related to All Saints Day is **All Souls Day** (observed on 2 November) when we remember and pray for all those who have died, especially those who have meant much to us in the course of our lives. On Sunday 3 November, we will celebrate both of these festivals, with All Saints in the morning, and in the evening, instead of Evensong, the Cathedral Choir will sing Fauré's beautiful Requiem in celebration of All Souls, set within the context of the eucharist.

Soldier On Fundraiser: On **Sunday 17 November at 2pm** we will be hosting a fundraising concert for *Soldier On*, an organisation which delivers holistic support services that enable current and former Australian Defence Force personnel, and their families, to lead meaningful civilian lives. The concert will feature a community choir, members of the 17/20 Army Band and vocalist Libby O'Donovan. Contact Joan Claring-Bould 0409520823. Singers welcome.

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For the Church

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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:

Short Term Prayer: Bruce Williams, Bill Ashman, Francis Brooks, Joseph Burgess (WCH), Dawn Falland, Ruth.

Long Term Prayer: Max Lennard, Chris, Bridie Maxwell, Meredith Chesterman, Vernon Lewis, Pauline Van Buren, Alisha Coe-Fox, Anne Hogben, Helena Fernandez, Cricket Fox, Daniella, Peter Black, Norton & Judy Schenscher, John Hankin, Brooke Garry, David, Christine Chomel, Oliver (WCH), Sarah Boorman, Edna Allison, Jane Mitchell, Audrey Ball, Garry Weatherill, Helen Scotcher, Fay Ballard.

Those who have died recently, especially Diana Bleby.

Those whose year's mind occurs at this time:

20th Anthony Bensley (Ben) Williams
Gordon John Johnson
Donald Wallace

21st Jane Elizabeth Polkinghorne

22nd Gordon Edward Henry Bleby

23rd Edward John Waterhouse
Alfred John Robjohns
James William Harvey Hall
Miriam Willa Lindley

24th Lola Fai Bray
Bill Lindley

25th Hilda Janet Bell

26th Jan Elizabeth Taylor

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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.

MONDAY 21 OCTOBER	7:30 am Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45 am Morning Prayer (at St Barnabas College)
	10:30 am - 1pm Open for visiting and private prayer
TUESDAY 22 OCTOBER	7:30 am Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45 am Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10:30 am - 3:30 pm Open for visiting and private prayer
WEDNESDAY 23 OCTOBER	7:30 am Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45 am Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
	10 am Eucharist (BCP) (Lady Chapel)
THURSDAY 24 OCTOBER	10:30 am - 3:30 pm Open for visiting and private prayer
	7:30 am Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45 am Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
FRIDAY 25 OCTOBER	10:30 am - 3:30 pm Open for visiting and private prayer
	7:30 am Eucharist (Lady Chapel)
	8:45 am Morning Prayer (Dean's Chapel)
SATURDAY 26 OCTOBER	10:30 am - 3:30 pm Open for visiting and private prayer
	2 pm Music Foundation Concert "Organ Fireworks"
	5.15 pm St Mark's College End-of-Year Service
SUNDAY 27 OCTOBER PENTECOST 23	8 am Eucharist (BCP)
	10:30 am Choral Eucharist
	Preacher – The Rev'd Helen Phillips
	3 pm Pride Eucharist
	Preacher – The Revd Dr Josephine Armour
	6 pm Choral Evensong (of St Simon & St Jude)
	Preacher – The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

CATHEDRAL STAFF

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