

CHORAL EUCHARIST

10:30am 30 August 2020

The Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome: What's in a name? Last week Canon Jenny reflected on the question put by Jesus to Peter and the other disciples, "Who do you say I am?" This Sunday morning the Gospel reading continues with the puzzling and disturbing comment "Get behind me Satan!" and the invocation to "take up your cross and follow." When asked to provide a name, an identifier, God's response to Moses at the burning bush is both a name and a no-name: "I am who I am." (Exodus 3:13) The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob will prove through God's ongoing love and care, seen supremely in the crucifixion and resurrection, that God is, and must remain, identified only as "I am."

St Paul, writing to the Romans, spends the first eleven chapters explaining who Jesus is, and then in Romans 12, with startling clarity, spells out the implications for living once we take up the cross of Jesus, once we accept Jesus as the Christ, the Son of the Living God. Love of God and love of neighbour always go hand in hand in the Christian message.

Welcome to all as we gather to offer praise to the great "I am."

The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson, Dean

Celebrant

The Rev'd Canon Jenny Wilson

Preacher

The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

Deacon

The Rev'd Peter Jin

Subdeacon

Rijke Mellor

Master of Ceremonies

Jecinta Iluno

Music Setting

Dienes-Williams *Wellington Service*

Choir

St Peter's Cathedral Choir

Director of Music

Anthony Hunt

Organist

David Heah

Hymns: 4, 791, 526, 135

COVID Marshal
Rachel Bruerville

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

The Cathedral resides on the lands of the Kaurna people whom we acknowledge as the original custodians of the Adelaide Region.

St Peter's
nurturing spirit and mind
CATHEDRAL

When the handbell rings, please stand for the procession.

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

If you want to become a disciple of Jesus, deny yourself, take up your cross and follow him.
– *Matthew 16:24-25*

Please sit as the Choir sings the Hymn

Hymn: #4 [*Melcombe*]

New every morning is the love

1. New every morning is the love
our waking and uprising prove;
through sleep and darkness safely brought,
restored to life and power and thought.
2. New mercies, each returning day,
hover around us while we pray;
new perils past, new sins forgiven,
new thoughts of God, new hopes of
heaven.
3. If on our daily course our mind
be set to hallow all we find,
new treasures still, of countless price,
God will provide for sacrifice.
4. The trivial round, the common task,
will furnish all we need to ask,
room to deny ourselves, a road
to bring us daily nearer God.
5. Only, O Lord, in thy dear love
fit us for perfect rest above;
and help us, this and every day,
to live more nearly as we pray.

Please kneel/sit

Let us pray:

**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.**

'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' Jesus said: 'This is the great and first commandment.

And a second is like it: you shall love your neighbour as yourself.'

The Choir sings the Kyrie

Kyrie eleison
Lord, have mercy

Christe eleison
Christ, have mercy

Kyrie eleison
Lord, have mercy

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 the Gloria (Sung in Latin, APBA translation)

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

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

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.

Please remain standing for the Collect

O God, whose Son has shown the way of the cross to be the way of life: transform and renew our minds that we may not be conformed to this world but may offer ourselves wholly to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Saviour; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please sit for the first reading: Exodus 3:1-15 (read by Ian Clarke)

Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian; he led his flock beyond the wilderness, and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. ² There the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire out of a bush; he looked, and the bush was blazing, yet it was not consumed. ³ Then Moses said, 'I must turn aside and look at this great sight, and see why the bush is not burned up.' ⁴ When the Lord saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, 'Moses, Moses!' And he said, 'Here I am.' ⁵ Then he said, 'Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground.' ⁶ He said further, 'I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.' And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God.

⁷ Then the Lord said, 'I have observed the misery of my people who are in Egypt; I have heard their cry on account of their taskmasters. Indeed, I know their sufferings, ⁸ and I have come down to deliver them from the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land to a good and broad land, a land flowing with milk and honey, to the country of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites. ⁹ The cry of the Israelites has now come to me; I have also seen how the Egyptians oppress them. ¹⁰ So come, I will send you to Pharaoh to bring my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt.' ¹¹ But Moses said to God, 'Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?' ¹² He said, 'I will be with you; and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain.'

¹³ But Moses said to God, 'If I come to the Israelites and say to them, "The God of your ancestors has sent me to you", and they ask me, "What is his name?" what shall I say to them?' ¹⁴ God said to Moses, 'I am who I am.' He said further, 'Thus you shall say to the Israelites, "I am has sent me to you." ' ¹⁵ God also said to Moses, 'Thus you shall say to the Israelites, "The Lord , the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you":

This is my name for ever, and this my title for all generations.'

Hear the word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

The Choir sings Psalm 105:1-6, 23-26 (Chant: Sydney Bevan/Anthony Hunt)

O give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name:

tell among the peoples what things he has done.

Sing to him, O sing praises: and be telling of all his marvellous works.

Exult in his holy name: and let those that seek the Lord be joyful in heart.

Seek the Lord and his strength: O seek his face continually.

Call to mind what wonders he has done:

his marvellous acts, and the judgements of his mouth,

O seed of Abraham his servant: O children of Jacob his chosen one.

Then Israel came into Egypt: and Jacob dwelt in the land of Ham.

There the Lord made his people fruitful: too numerous for their enemies,

Whose hearts he turned to hate his people: and to deal deceitfully with his servants.

Then he sent Moses his servant: And Aaron whom he had chosen.

Second reading: Romans 12:9-21 (read by Roslyn Clarke)

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; ¹⁰ love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honour. ¹¹ Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. ¹² Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. ¹³ Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers.

¹⁴ Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. ¹⁵ Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. ¹⁶ Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. ¹⁷ Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. ¹⁸ If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. ¹⁹ Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, 'Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.' ²⁰ No, 'if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads.' ²¹ Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

Hear the word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

Please remain seated as the Choir sings the Gradual Hymn

Hymn: #791 [Leoni]

The God of Abraham praise

1. The God of Abraham praise
who reigns enthroned above,
Ancient of everlasting days,
and God of love:
Jehovah, great I AM,
by earth and heaven confest;
we bow and bless the sacred name
for ever blest.
8. The God who reigns on high
the great archangels sing,
and 'Holy, Holy, Holy,' cry,
'almighty King,
who was, and is the same,
and evermore shall be.
Jehovah, Father, great I AM,
we worship thee.'
10. The whole triumphant host
give thanks to God on high;
'hail, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,'
they ever cry:
hail, Abraham's God, and mine,
(I join the heavenly lays)
all might and majesty are thine,
and endless praise.

Please stand for the Gospel Reading: Matthew 16:21-28

Choir sings: Alleluia! I am who I am: This is my name for ever. Alleluia!

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. ²² And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, 'God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you.' ²³ But he turned and said to Peter, 'Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling-block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'

²⁴ Then Jesus told his disciples, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. ²⁵ For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. ²⁶ For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life?

²⁷ 'For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. ²⁸ Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Children are invited to follow the Gospel procession down the aisle, then go to the Cynthia Poulton Hall for Cathedral Kids.

They will return in time for Communion.

Please sit for the Sermon: The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

Silence may follow

Please stand for the 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.

Please kneel/sit for the prayers (led by Bill Goodes)

Let us pray for the world and for the Church

The intercessor concludes:

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

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

Please stand for 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 sit as the Choir sings the Offertory Hymn

Hymn: #526 [Kingsfold]

Earth's fragile beauties we possess

1. Earth's fragile beauties we possess
as pilgrim gifts from God,
and walk the slow and dangerous way
his wounded feet have trod.
Though faith by tragedy is rocked,
and love with pain is scored,
we sing the pilgrims' song of hope:
'Your kingdom come, O Lord!'
2. Earth's human longings we possess
by grief or love compelled
to take and bear the heavy cross
Christ's wounded hands have held.
By cloud and fire he leads us on
through famine, plague or sword,
singing with faith the pilgrims' song:
'Your kingdom come, O Lord!'
3. God's own true image we possess
in innocence first known,
now tainted by the hate and spite
to Christ's own body shown.
By that same wounded heart of love
God's image is restored,
to sing again the pilgrims' song:
'Your kingdom come, O Lord!'

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Please stand

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 Lord be with you.

Lift up your hearts.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

And also with you.

We lift them to the Lord.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

All thanks and praise, glory and honour, be yours at all times, in every place, holy and loving Father, true and living God.

We praise you that through your eternal Word you brought the universe into being and made us in your own image.

You have given us this earth to care for and delight in, and with its bounty you preserve our life.

We thank you that you bound yourself to the human race with the promises of a gracious covenant and called us to serve you in love and peace.

Above all, we give you thanks for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ: born as one of us, he lived our common life and offered his life to you in perfect obedience and trust. By his death he delivered us from sin, brought us new life, and reconciled us to you and to one another.

Therefore with angels and archangels, with apostles, and prophets, with holy men and women of every age, we proclaim your great and glorious name:

The Choir Sings the Sanctus & Benedictus (Sung in Latin, APBA translation)

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.

Holy God, we thank you for these gifts of your creation, this bread and wine, and we pray that we who eat and drink them in obedience to our Saviour Christ, by the power of the Holy Spirit, may be partakers of his body and blood, and be made one with him and with each other in peace and love.

On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread; and when he had given you thanks he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper, he took the cup, and again giving you thanks he gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Drink from this, all of you. This is my blood of the new covenant shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded: proclaiming his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again, we celebrate, with this bread and this cup, his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world.

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died: Christ is risen: Christ will come again.

As we eat and drink this holy sacrament, renew us by your Spirit that we may be united in the body of your Son and serve you as a royal priesthood in the joy of your eternal kingdom.

Receive our praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom and in whom, by the power of the Holy Spirit, we worship you in songs of never-ending praise:

Blessing and honour and glory and power are yours for ever and ever, Amen.

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 kneel/sit as the Choir sings the Agnus Dei (Sung in Latin, APBA translation)

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us your peace.

Baptised and communicant Christians of all denominations are welcome to receive Holy Communion (bread only), administered at the nave platform.

If you do not wish to receive Holy Communion, you may like to come forward and receive a blessing (simply bow your head as a signal).

Gluten free bread is available; please ask for this from the priest giving communion.

During the administration of Holy Communion the Choir sings the Motet:

Stainer (1840-1901) – God so loved the world

God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son,

That whosoever believeth in Him should not perish,

But have everlasting life.

For God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world,

But that the world through Him might be saved.

Please kneel/sit for the prayers after Communion

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.

Most loving God, **you send us out into the world you love. Give us grace to go thankfully and with courage in the power of your Spirit.**

Please remain seated as the Choir sings the Post-Communion Hymn

Hymn: #135 [Breslau]

Take up thy cross

1. Take up thy cross, the Saviour said,
if thou wouldst my disciple be;
deny thyself, the world forsake,
and humbly follow after me.
2. Take up thy cross: let not its weight
fill thy weak spirit with alarm;
his strength shall bear thy spirit up,
and brace thy heart, and nerve thine arm.
3. Take up thy cross, nor heed the shame,
nor let thy foolish pride rebel:
thy Lord for thee the cross endured,
to save thy soul from death and hell.
4. Take up thy cross then in his strength,
and calmly every danger brave;
'twill guide thee to a better home,
and lead to victory o'er the grave.
5. Take up thy cross, and follow Christ,
nor think till death to lay it down;
for only they who bear the cross
may hope to wear the glorious crown.
6. To thee, great Lord, the One in Three,
all praise for evermore ascend:
O grant us in our home to see
the heavenly life that knows no end.

Please stand for the 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.

You are invited to listen reflectively to the organ postlude:

Herbert Murrill (1909-1952) – *Carillon*

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

A prayer for all affected by coronavirus

Keep us, good Lord, under the shadow of your mercy. Sustain and support the anxious, be with those who care for the sick, and lift up all who are brought low; that we may find comfort knowing that nothing can separate us from your love in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Amen.

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Parish 'Mission Action Planning'

Immediate Prayer

David Thomas, Margaret Middleton, Chris Perks,
Michael Galloway, Samuel, Ossy Grotto

All who are ill at this time (*Please help us to keep this list up to date by emailing new requests for prayer, or letting us know when no longer needed*)

Those working on the 'front-line' in our health services

Year's Mind

August: 31st Doris Elvira Hopton, Shirley Anne Neale

September: 1st Ethel May Round

3rd Don Winter, Arpat Bin Ain, Colin Byrne, Gayle Atherton,
Michelle So-ares

4th Samuel Adams Coombe George, Dudley Lewis Wickes,
Benjamin Raymond Jones

5th Edward Gerald Radcliffe, Arthur Edward Kain,
George Shetliffe, Hilda MacRae Jamieson, Arthur Dibben

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Sunday Night with Lynn Arnold: 7pm
on 1079Life. Tonight Lynn's guest will be
Rev Craig Broman of Engage Work Faith
(formerly City Bible Forum in SA).

Cathedral Shop Open: The Shop is open on
Sunday mornings before and after the 10.30
service, and, if requested, can be on Sunday
evenings. It is also open on weekdays
between 11.00am and 1.00pm.

Cathedral Weekday Visiting Hours:
Open for private prayer and visitors
Monday to Friday 11.00am - 1.00pm.

Divine Intervention

Chris Oaten's upcoming photography exhibition will feature stunning photos from the scaffolding during our Cathedral Organ restoration.

11 September - 11 October 2020, Kay Brothers Wines, 57 Kays Rd, McLaren Vale, at *shimmer [festival of photography]*.

The complexity of the pipe organ - once the most complicated of machines made by humans - forms the major focus of this exhibition, which turns the camera on both the organ restoration and salient details of St Peter's Cathedral.

The imagery was made possible by the extensive scaffolding put in place to support the restoration work. Not in our lifetimes will such access again be possible.

Chris extends his gratitude to St Peter's Cathedral, whose sponsorship made this exhibition possible.

www.onkapingacity.com/shimmer

THIS WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY 30TH AUGUST 2020

Pentecost 13

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

10:30am Choral Eucharist

Preacher: The Very Rev'd Frank Nelson

6:00pm Choral Evensong (BCP)

Preacher: The Rev'd Peter Jin

WEEKDAYS

7:30am Eucharist

(Lady Chapel)

WEDNESDAY

10:00am Holy Communion (BCP)

(Lady Chapel)

SUNDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2020

Pentecost 14

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold AO

10:30am Choral Eucharist

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr Lynn Arnold AO

6:00pm Choral Evensong (BCP)

Preacher: The Rev'd Joan Claring-Bould



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