



THE CATHEDRAL AND METROPOLITICAL CHURCH OF CHRIST, CANTERBURY

Welcome to our Services on 10th May

The Sixth Sunday of Easter
The Fifth Sunday after Easter (BCP)

8.00am Holy Communion BCP – High Altar

The Service begins in the Book of Common Prayer page 236. The readings are on pages 142-144.

If you wish to receive Communion without the need to climb the steps to the High Altar, please take a seat at the bottom of the steps during Communion and the sacrament will be brought to you.

9.30am Morning Prayer (said) – Quire

11.00am Sung Eucharist – Quire

3.15pm Choral Evensong - Quire

Responses: *Richard Lloyd (b 1933)*

Psalm: 45 *Book of Common Prayer page 402*

First Reading: Song of Solomon 4. 16 - 5.2

Canticles: *Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924) in C*

Second Reading: Revelation 3. 14-end

Anthem: Cherubic Hymn *Mikhael Ivanovitch Glinka (1804-57)*
(sung in Old Church Slavonic)

*We, who mystically represent the Cherubim,
And chant the thrice-holy hymn to the Life-giving Trinity,
Let us set aside the cares of life
That we may receive the King of all,
Who comes invisibly escorted by the Divine Hosts.*

Words: Liturgy of St John Chrysostom

Hymn: 338 *during which a collection is received*

6.30pm Sermon and Compline – Quire

Preacher: The Reverend C P Irvine, Vice Dean

NEPAL EARTHQUAKE There will be an additional retiring collection for the DEC Appeal for victims of the earthquake in Nepal following **today's services**. Gift Aid envelopes are available.

SUNDAY CLUB meets in the Water Tower during the Sunday Eucharist. Children of all ages are welcome. Parents/carers should stay with children who are under school age. Do ask the Stewards for directions.

GEFION GIFFEN A Thanksgiving Eucharist for Gefion Giffen will be held in the Cathedral on **26th May** at 2.00pm. The service will be followed by refreshments in the Auditorium. Please let Cathedral House Reception know that you are intending to come in order to help with catering numbers.

CATHEDRAL FILM CLUB – usually meets last Sunday of the month.

 **Sunday 31st May.** Tea with Mussolini. Set in Florence in 1934, a diverse group of women meet each afternoon for tea. Together they 'adopt' a young boy and as the political climate shifts towards fascism there are many changes to face.

4.15 tea and cake, 4.30pm film starts. Cathedral Lodge, AV room. New members always welcome, £10 a year. Guests and visitors, £2 for refreshments.

CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY LUNCHES Next lunch **21st June**, tickets on sale after 11.00am Eucharist from **24th May**. £11 per person for 3-course meal with wine and tea/coffee. Pre-ordered vegetarian alternative available.

ACCESS TO THE PRECINCTS The work to erect the scaffolding has taken longer than expected and it will therefore be necessary to extend the period of closure again until the end of next week (**15th May**). If you are attending 7.30am or 8.00am services, please continue to enter the Precincts via the Postern or Quenin Gates.

THE GATHERING 2015 **Friday 15th May and Saturday 16th May.**

Food for the Journey, this year's diocesan faith festival with an amazing line up of speakers, events and worship. The Wintershall Players, performing in the nave - 'The Last Supper', bible study, messy church and lots more. Printed information available on the congregational table or for information and to buy tickets go to www.the-gathering.co.uk.

THE ANCESTORS **18th May to 23rd August 2015**

This summer a series of the Cathedral's earliest and most important surviving examples of stained glass goes on public display in the Chapter House. The exhibition will be open Monday – Saturday 10.00 to 16.00 and Sunday 12.30-15.00. Further details at www.canterbury-cathedral.org.

A series of lectures will accompany the exhibition. The first will take place on **Friday 22nd May** at 18.30 in the Archives– 'Before the Ancestors: the clerestory windows of the early 12th century' given by Sandy Heslop BA FSA FRHistS, Professor of Visual Arts, University of East Anglia. All are welcome.



Open Gardens

2015

A chance to view five private gardens,
enjoy wonderful refreshments, see classic cars,
meet birds of prey, beekeepers & more!

Saturday 30th May 11.00 - 17.00

General Admission: £5 Gardens entry plus normal Precinct charges

Precinct Pass holders: £5 Gardens entry

Sunday 31st May 14.00 - 17.00

General Admission: £5 Gardens entry (no Precinct charges after 14.00)

Proceeds go to charity!



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OPEN GARDENS CAFE Calling all cake-makers and bakers! As in previous years, tea, coffee and delicious cake will be served on Green Court during the Open Gardens weekend. If you would like to help us by baking a cake, we would be most grateful. For more information please contact Ann on 01227 462034 or email johnandannmeardon@hotmail.com. Thank you

THE FRIENDS OF CANTERBURY CATHEDRAL The Friends are the Cathedral's fan club. We are admirers of the building, its history and its community. Why not come and join us and take part in our outings, social events, and activities? To find out more, please visit the Friends' Desk in the Cathedral or call in at 8 The Precincts. Alternatively, please phone us on 01227 865292 or visit www.canterbury-cathedral.org/friends to download our leaflet. The Friends look forward to welcoming you!

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THE COLLECTION If you are a UK tax payer we would encourage you to use the Cathedral's Gift Aid envelope for your donation. Please ensure that you complete all sections of the envelope including the box confirming that you are a UK taxpayer. The Cathedral will reclaim an extra 25p for every £1 placed in the envelope. Gift Aid envelopes can be obtained from the stewards. *giftaid it*

If you would like to give regularly to the Cathedral we can provide you with a personalised envelope to save you completing an envelope each week. Alternatively you can pay by standing order. Please contact the Cathedral's Accounts Department if you would like further information. accounts@canterbury-cathedral.org or telephone 01227 862763. Cheques should be made payable to 'Dean and Chapter of Canterbury'.

Large print copies of the orders of service are available from the stewards. They will be pleased to help you.

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