



THE CATHEDRAL AND METROPOLITICAL CHURCH OF CHRIST, CANTERBURY

Welcome to our Services on 12th July 2015

The Sixth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion BCP – High Altar

The Service begins in the Book of Common Prayer page 236. The readings are on pages 165-167.

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 Ayleward (1626-69)*

Psalm: *66 Book of Common Prayer page 424*

First Reading: *Ecclesiasticus 4. 11-end*

Canticles: *Grayston Ives (b 1948) Lichfield Service*

Second Reading: *Romans 15. 14-29*

Anthem: *Hear my prayer Mendelssohn (1809-47)*

Hear my prayer, O God, incline Thine ear!
Thyself from my petition do not hide!
Take heed to me! Hear how in prayer
I mourn to Thee!
Without Thee all is dark, I have no guide.

2 The enemy shouteth, The godless come fast!
Iniquity, hatred upon me they cast!
The wicked oppress me, Ah, where shall I fly?
Perplexed and bewildered, O God, hear my cry!

3 My heart is sorely pained within my
breast,
My soul with deathly terror is
oppressed,
Trembling and fearfulness upon me fall,
With horror overwhelmed,
Lord, hear me call!

4 O for the wings of a dove!
Far away would I rove!
In the wilderness build me a nest,
And remain there for ever at rest.

Words: Psalm 55. 1-7

Hymn: *372 during which a collection is received*

6.30pm Sermon and Compline – Quire

Preacher: The Reverend C P Irvine, Canon Librarian

TANNERY ESTATE FIRE APPEAL Members of local churches are being encouraged to support the appeal being run by the Kentish Gazette, to aid those whose homes and contents have been destroyed or badly damaged by last weekend's fire. All money raised will be passed to the Town and Country Foundation, a charitable arm of the housing association which manages the homes. There will be a retiring collection at Sunday services this week and next. If you prefer, you can use the JustGiving website at, <https://crowdfunding.justgiving.com/tanneryfireappeal>.

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.

THE ANCESTORS On now and until 23rd August 2015

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

A series of lectures will accompany the exhibition. The next lecture will take place on **Friday 24th July** at 18.30 in the Archives – 'Series of Ancestors, Series of Miracles: The glazing of the Trinity Chapel'. Given by Dr Rachel Koopmans, Associate Professor of Medieval History, York University, Toronto. Tickets cost £7.50 and are available from The Canterbury Ticket Shop www.canterburyshop.com or 01227 787787.

SAYING GOODBYE SERVICE Saturday 18th July 12.30pm in the Chapel of Our Lady Undercroft. This is a service for all those who have experienced the death of a child before birth or in the early years of life, very recently or a long time ago, as parents, grandparents, family and friends. It is an opportunity to come together, to remember and to both give thanks and mourn those lives.

This is a service for all who would like to come. Come yourselves, tell others who have been affected by the death of a child if you think they might like to come, or invite them to come with you. It is a gentle service and people are free to join in as much or as little as is right for them. Refreshments will be served by the Mothers' Union after the service.

CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY LUNCHES All tickets have been sold for today's lunch. Our next lunch will be on **2nd August**. Tickets on sale at the congregational table after 11am service today and at today's lunch. Please note, no refunds or exchanges.

FILM CLUB meets **Thursday 23rd July** in the Cathedral Lodge AV room. Enjoy a glass of wine or soft drink and nibbles at 6.15pm. Film starts 6.40pm.

Directed by Chris Noonan and starring Renée Zellweger and Ewan McGregor, **Miss Potter**, is the enchanting love story inspired by Beatrix Potter's love affair with her publisher Norman Warne.

'A heartfelt portrait of a rare genius'. Length, 90 mins. Visitors welcome. Donation for non-members refreshments £2.50.



JOIN THE FRIENDS AT THE BRITISH LIBRARY!

On **Wednesday 22nd July**, The Friends are off to the British Library for the special exhibition Magna Carta: Law, Liberty & Legacy. It will be an excellent opportunity to see the copy of the Canterbury Magna Carta. Tickets for this trip are £32 for Friends and £37 for guests. There is return coach travel from three collection points in Canterbury included in the cost. Please contact The Friends' Office at 3 The Precincts or call 01227 865292 to book places.

If you are not already a member of The Friends, why not join us on this trip to find out more about our active community?

MONDAY 27th to FRIDAY 31st JULY

4 NIGHT STAY AT ST CUTHMAN'S, COOLHAM, SUSSEX

Enjoy a few days away at this beautiful country house in extensive grounds with its own lake! An opportunity for times of quiet reflection and time to enjoy being in the company of others. Time for space to do as little or as much as you'd like. Daily worship. Led reflections in the mornings. In the afternoons time to explore the grounds, walk on your own or with others, join an outing to local places of interest or simply laze in the gardens. Single or twin ensuite rooms available. £300 full board, no single supplement, includes transport from Canterbury. Leaving mid-morning and stopping for lunch on the way. Led by Canon Clare. Only 4 rooms left. Booking forms available at the congregational table after 11am service today. For further information contact Clare on 01227 865227 or email canonclare@canterbury-cathedral.org

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 **3 The Precincts** (please note new address). 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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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.