



THE CATHEDRAL AND METROPOLITICAL CHURCH OF CHRIST, CANTERBURY

Welcome to our Services on 2nd August 2015

Ninth 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 170-171.

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 – Nave

3.15pm Choral Evensong - Quire

Responses: *Bernard Rose (1916-96)*

Psalm: 88. 1-8 *Book of Common Prayer page 457*

First Reading: Job 28

Canticles: *Herbert Howells (1892-1983) Collegium Regale*

Second Reading: Hebrews 11. 17-31

Anthem: God is gone up *Gerald Finzi (1901-56)*

God is gone up with a triumphant shout,
The Lord with sounding trumpets' melodies:
Sing praise, sing praises out,
Unto our King sing praise seraphicwise!
Lift up your heads, ye lasting doors, they sing,
And let the King of Glory enter in!

Methinks I see heaven's sparkling courtiers fly
In flakes of glory down Him to attend,
And hear heart-cramping notes of melody
Surround His chariot as it did ascend,
Mixing their music, making every string
More to enravish as they this tune sing.

Words: Edward Taylor (1646-1729)

Hymn: *362 t185 during which a collection is received*

6.30pm Sermon and Compline – Quire

Preacher: The Archdeacon of Canterbury, Vice Dean

SUNDAY CLUB will not be meeting during the summer holidays, but there will be a comfy carpet, activity sheets, books and soft toys at the front of the north nave aisle for use by children and parents during our weekly 11am Sunday Eucharist. Please make yourselves at home. Sunday Club resumes on **6th September**.

CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY LUNCHES Lunch is today.
September lunch will be on Sunday 6th.

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.

FILM CLUB meets in the Lodge A/V room. All welcome.

Annual membership £10. Contribution for refreshments for non members £2.

Monday 10th. August 6.15pm drinks, 6.30pm. film. **August Rush.** There's music in the wind and sky. Can you hear it? And there's hope. Can you feel it? The boy August Rush can. The music mysteriously draws him, penniless and alone, to New York in a quest to discover who he is and who his parents are. Run time 109 mins. Classification PG.

Sunday 13th September 4.15pm drinks, 4.30pm film. **Philomena**
'Wonderfully moving and funny' Philomena played by Judi Dench falls pregnant as a teenager and is forced to give up her baby. She spends the next 50 years unsuccessfully searching for her child until she meets up with Martin, a journalist. Together they set off on a journey that changes both their lives. Run time 97 mins. Classification 12.

NEW HYMN BOOKS FOR ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL JERUSALEM

On a recent visit to St George's Cathedral, pilgrims from Canterbury, including members of our congregation, noticed that the hymn books had been donated by Canterbury Cathedral, but were now rather tatty – St George's does not have the funds to replace them. The Cathedral Chapter have resolved to donate a set of new hymn books (the latest version of Hymns Ancient & Modern) and to give members of our Cathedral community the opportunity to support St George's, part of our Anglican family, that ministers in difficult circumstances with limited resources. To buy one hymn book and have it shipped direct to Jerusalem, will cost £12. Hymn books can be sponsored anonymously, in memory of a loved one, or in your own name. Canterbury Cathedral bookplates fixed inside each hymn book will record these names. Our aim is to have them in Jerusalem for Christmas! If you would like to be part of this project, please take a form available on the congregational table after 11am service today and for the next few weeks, from cathedral staff at other services or from Cathedral House. Complete and return with cash or cheques made payable to 'Dean and Chapter Canterbury', to the congregational table or Cathedral House.

PREPARING FOR EARTHLY LIFE'S LAST GREAT ADVENTURE

Tuesday September 8th. 3.30pm. Cathedral Lodge. An opportunity to think about the importance of preparing for the end of our earthly lives. Planning funerals, putting our affairs in order and preparing spiritually. This will be a gentle and relaxed approach, no questions barred! Tea included.

This has proved a popular event in the past so if you would like to come, please sign up with Canon 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**. 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!

"KENT, SIR, EVERYONE KNOWS KENT..." The Friends of Canterbury Cathedral are sure you will know where the quotation above comes from but there are lots of other things to discover and learn about our wonderful county. So why not join us on **Tuesday 29th September** at 2.30pm in the Clagett Auditorium for a highly entertaining talk by Dick Bolton. Lt Col Bolton is one of our most popular speakers and he will illustrate his talk with art, architecture, and odds and ends! The talk will be followed by tea, coffee and biscuits – an ideal opportunity to meet up with other Friends and perhaps make new friends. Of course, you don't have to be a Friend to join us for this talk – all are welcome. Tickets cost £8 and are available from The Friends' Office at 3 The Precincts or call 01227 865292 to book places. If you are not a member of The Friends, why not join us for this talk and find out more about our active community?

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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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