



# LLANDAFF CATHEDRAL

## THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY after PENTECOST

(Trinity 17)

8th October 2017

- 7.30AM SAID MATINS Psalm: 136(vv. 1 - 9)
- 8.00AM HOLY EUCHARIST  
President & Preacher: Canon Graham Holcombe
- 9.00AM *NO PARISH EUCHARIST*
- 11.00AM LEGAL SERVICE FOR WALES  
President: The Dean  
Preacher: The Right Reverend June Osborne, Bishop of Llandaff  
*Special Order of Service*
- 12.30PM HOLY EUCHARIST {Lady Chapel}  
President: The Reverend Edward Le Brun Powell
- 3.30PM CHORAL EVENSONG *Stanford* in B - Flat  
Introit: O nata lux *Tallis*  
Responses: *Radcliffe*  
Hymns: 471, 140 Psalm: 129  
Anthem: Ubi caritas *Gjeilo*  
Organ Voluntary: Prelude & Fugue in B minor, BWV 544 *J S Bach*

*New worshippers are especially welcome  
and are invited to make themselves known to the clergy*

**Sunday 8 October 2017: THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY  
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**Collect**

Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you: teach us to offer ourselves to your service, that here we may have your peace, and in the world to come may see you face to face; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

*A reading from Isaiah*

**Isaiah 5. 1 - 7**

Let me sing for my beloved my love-song concerning his vineyard: My beloved had a vineyard on a very fertile hill. He dug it and cleared it of stones, and planted it with choice vines; he built a watch-tower in the midst of it, and hewed out a wine vat in it; he expected it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes. And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard. What more was there to do for my vineyard that I have not done in it? When I expected it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes? And now I will tell you what I will do to my vineyard. I will remove its hedge, and it shall be devoured; I will break down its wall, and it shall be trampled down. I will make it a waste; it shall not be pruned or hoed, and it shall be overgrown with briars and thorns; I will also command the clouds that they rain no rain upon it.

*This is the word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 80. 7 - 15**

Turn us again, O God of hosts  
show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.  
You brought a vine out of Egypt  
you drove out the nations and planted it.  
You made room around it  
and when it had taken root, it filled the land.  
The hills were covered with its shadow  
and the cedars of God by its boughs.  
It stretched out its branches to the Sea  
and its tendrils to the River.

Why then have you broken down its wall  
so that all who pass by pluck off its grapes?  
The wild boar out of the wood tears it off  
and all the insects of the field devour it.  
Turn again, O God of hosts  
look down from heaven and behold;  
Cherish this vine which your right hand has planted  
and the branch that you made so strong for yourself.

*A reading from Paul's Letter to the Philippians*                      **Philippians 3. 4b - 14**  
If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead. Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

*This is the word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God.**

*Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint Matthew.*

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

‘Listen to another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a fence around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a watch-tower. Then he leased it to tenants and went to another country. When the harvest time had come, he sent his slaves to the tenants to collect his produce. But the tenants seized his slaves and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. Again he sent other slaves, more than the first; and they treated them in the same way. Finally he sent his son to them, saying, “They will respect my son.” But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, “This is the heir; come, let us kill him and get his inheritance.” So they seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?’ They said to him, ‘He will put those wretches to a miserable death, and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the harvest time.’ Jesus said to them, ‘Have you never read in the scriptures: “The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; this was the Lord’s doing, and it is amazing in our eyes”?’ Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that produces the fruits of the kingdom. The one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and it will crush anyone on whom it falls.’ When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they realized that he was speaking about them. They wanted to arrest him, but they feared the crowds, because they regarded him as a prophet.

*This is the Gospel of the Lord.*

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Matthew 21. 33 - 46**

## SERVICES THIS WEEK

	Holy Eucharist	Evensong
<b>Monday</b> <i>Cynog, Abbot</i>	9.30am	5.15pm (sung)
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.30am Yr Offeren 12noon	5.15pm (sung)
<b>Wednesday</b>	9.30am 6.30pm Servers' Annual Eucharist	5.15pm (sung)
<b>Thursday</b>	10.00am Yr Offeren 11.00am	5.15pm (sung)
<b>Friday</b> <i>Edward the Confessor</i>	9.30am	5.15pm (sung)
<b>Saturday</b> <i>Esther John, Missionary &amp; Martyr</i>	9.30am	5.15pm (said)

## WEEKLY PRAYER INTENTIONS

- Sunday : Diocese of St Albans (Canterbury, England)  
Rectorial Benefice of Llantwit Major: Canon Edwin Counsell
- Monday : Diocese of St Asaph (Wales)  
Archdeaconry of Morgannwg: The Venerable Christopher Smith
- Tuesday: Diocese St Davids (Wales)  
Deanery of Cynon Valley: Area Dean The Rev'd Michael Jones
- Wednesday: Diocese of St Edmundsbury & Ipswich (Canterbury, England)  
Initial Ministerial Education Officer: The Rev'd Zoe King
- Thursday: Dioceses of St Helena & St Mark the Evangelist (Southern Africa)  
Aberaman & Cwmaman: The Rev'd Matthew Gibbon
- Friday: Diocese of Sunyani & Tamale (Ghana, West Africa)  
Abercynon: For the Appointment of a Parish Priest
- Saturday: Diocese of Swansea & Brecon (Wales)  
Aberdare: The Rev'd Robert Davies

## Those Who Have Asked For Prayer

Stephen Williams, Jean Howells, Diane Jones, Susan Evans, Howard Bartlett, Henry Wolff, Fr Roger Dixon, Rachael Bland, Sheila Davies, Marina Arulanandam, Archie Conway-Gardner, Ramsay Withers

## The Longterm Sick & Housebound, among them:

Mary Wines, Natalie Doreen Evans, Morley Lewis, Audrey Lisk, Alun Brunt, Ruth Phelps, Sid Baldwin, Tania Shankland, John Brewster, Philippa Whitmore, Fred Mudge, Tom Bailey, Sue Gaunts, Dafydd Hughes, Pat Williams

## THE DEPARTED

*Recently departed:* Ed Sweeny, John Gibeon Doel, Bryn David,  
Alexander Johnstone, Jean Jones

### *Year's mind:*

08 October	Dorothy Iris Creese, Herbert Frank Robins, Dudley Austin
09 October	Lambert Charles Rogers, Lily Maud Williams, Beryl Hough Hodgson
10 October	Willaim Edmund Davies, Sylvia Osborne
11 October	Stanle Frederick Jenkin Davies,
12 October	Phyllis Alexandra Willaims
13 October	Kathleen Beryl Anstee
14 October	Sidney Vivian Abel, Patricia Rees

# ADVANCE NOTICES

**Harvest Supper:** We will be having our Harvest Supper in Prebendal House on the 13<sup>th</sup> October at 7pm. Tickets are available from the Virgers and the Cathedral Office priced at £15. This includes a two-course supper and entertainment. All are welcome.

**Safeguarding Training:** A reminder that the Church in Wales Safeguarding Training Session for Llandaff Cathedral staff and volunteers will take place on Monday 16th October from 9:30 - 1pm in the Prebendal House. All individuals invited to this particular session have already been informed about this opportunity to update their knowledge of Safeguarding issues.

**'Saying Goodbye Service' - 21<sup>st</sup> October 2017 at 2.30pm:** This is a service of remembrance for people who have suffered the loss of a baby at any stage, and whether this loss was recently or even decades ago. The Service provides a safe space for everyone collectively to 'say goodbye'. This Service also welcomes anyone who is grieving the fact that they have been unable to have children.

**Giving to the Cathedral by creating a Standing Order:** A number of people have asked me whether or not, in setting up a standing order to the Church in Wales for the benefit of the Cathedral, we actually receive it in full. The Representative Body of the Church in Wales, set up a scheme on behalf of the Churches in order to help with the administration of the scheme and to claim Gift Aid for those who pay tax. Donations are taken by the Church in Wales, but the full amount of your gift reaches us, plus the Gift Aid. As long as you nominate the Cathedral on the form, we claim the full amount you've chosen to give. So, for example, if you chose to give £100 a month, we receive £100 and furthermore, if you have gift aided your donation the amount we receive is £125. Many thanks, The Dean.

## DURING THE WEEK

Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Linen & Vestment
	2.00pm	Guild of St Teilo: 200 years of Wedding Dresses
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	6.30pm	Servers' Annual Eucharist
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	Harvest Supper

**Next Sunday: 15th October 2017**

**THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY after PENTECOST**  
**(Trinity 18)**

7.30AM	Matins
8.00AM	Holy Eucharist
9.00AM	Parish Eucharist
11.00AM	Choral Eucharist
12.30PM	Holy Eucharist
3.30PM	Choral Evensong

**Weekly Notes**

Notices for the Weekly Notes to be received no later than 9.30am each Thursday

Please send to or telephone the Cathedral Office

A printable version of the weekly notes is now on the website

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**For more information, please contact the Stewardship Secretary**

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