

The Cathedral Church of St Saviour's, Goulburn Mother Church for the Anglican Diocese of Canberra & Goulburn



8th of October Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Preacher: 8am and 10am: The Revd Emma Street

Presider: 8am and 10am: Canon Anne Wentzel

Readings

Exodus 20.1-4,7-9,12-20

Psalm 19

Philippians 3

Matthew 21.35-46

We acknowledge the Traditional Owners as the custodians of this land, recognising their connection to land, waters and community. We pay our respects to Australia's First Peoples, and to their Elders, past present and emerging.



WEEKDAY EUCHARISTS

Monday & Thursday 9.30am in the Lady Chapel



SENTENCE

Forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, let us press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

COLLECT

Almighty God,

Your son Jesus was the ,stone rejected by the builders ,and by your doing, he has been made the chief cornerstone :

grant that, by the power of his Spirit working in us, we may become living stones built up into your dwelling place, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

One God for ever and ever .Amen

Introit Hymn

Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning,
Saviour, Master, King,
Lord Of Heaven, Our Lives Sustaining,
Hear Us As We Sing:

Yours The Glory And The Crown, The High Renown, The Eternal Name.

Word Incarnate, Truth Revealing, Son Of Man On Earth! Power And Majesty Concealing By Your Humble Birth:

Yours The Glory And The Crown, The High Renown, The Eternal Name.

Suffering Servant, Scorned, III-Treated, Victim Crucified!

Death Is Through The Cross Defeated, Sinners Justified:

Exodus 20.1-4,7-9,12-20

Then God spoke all these words:

I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me.

You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth.

You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.

Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. For six days you shall labour and do all your work.

Honour your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbour.

You shall not covet your neighbour's house; you shall not covet your neighbour's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbour.

When all the people witnessed the thunder and lightning, the sound of the trumpet, and the mountain smoking, they were afraid and trembled and stood at a distance, and said to Moses, 'You speak to us, and we will listen; but do not let God speak to us, or we will die.' Moses said to the people, 'Do not be afraid; for God has come only to test you and to put the fear of him upon you so that you do not sin.'

For the word of the Lord

Sunday 27 (Year A) Psalm 19

8 October



- 1 The heavens declare the | glory · of | God: and the | firmament · pro-| claims his | handiwork.
- One day | tells it to · a-|nother: and night to | night com-|muni-cates | knowledge.
- 3 There is no | speech or | language: nor | are their | voices | heard.
- 4 Yet their sound has gone out through | all the | world: and their | words to · the | ends of · the | earth.
- 5 There he has pitched a | tent · for the | sun: which comes out as a bridegroom from his chamber, and rejoices like a | strong man · to | run his | course.
- 6 Its rising is at one end of the heavens, and its circuit to their | farthest | bound: and nothing is | hidden | from its | heat.
- 7 The law of the Lord is perfect, re-|viving · the | soul: the command of the Lord is | true, and · makes | wise the | simple.
- 8 The precepts of the Lord are right, and re-|joice the | heart: the commandment of the Lord is pure, and gives | light | to the | eyes.
- 9 The fear of the Lord is clean, and en-|dures for | ever: The judgements of the Lord are unchanging, and | righteous | every | one.
- More are they to be desired than gold,* even | much fine | gold: sweeter also than honey, than the | honey · that | drips from · the | comb.
- 11 Moreover, by them is your | servant | taught: and in keeping them | there is | great re-|ward.
- Who can know their own un-|witting | sins:
 O | cleanse me · from my | secret | faults.
- 13 Keep your servant also from presumptuous sins, lest they get the | master y | over me: so I shall be clean,* and | innocent · of | great of | fence.
- May the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart*
 be acceptable | in your | sight:
 O Lord my | strength, and | my re-|deemer.

Philippians 3

Finally, my brothers and sisters, rejoice in the Lord.

To write the same things to you is not troublesome to me, and for you it is a safeguard.

Beware of the dogs, beware of the evil workers, beware of those who mutilate the flesh! For it is we who are the circumcision, who worship in the Spirit of God and boast in Christ Jesus and have no confidence in the flesh— even though I, too, have reason for confidence in the flesh.

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

Philippians 3 Continued

in Christ Jesus. Let those of us then who are mature be of the same mind; and if you think differently about anything, this too God will reveal to you. Only let us hold fast to what we have attained.

Brothers and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ. He will transform the body of our humiliation so that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself.

For the word of the Lord

Gradual Hymn

- 1 On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry announces that the Lord is nigh: come then and hearken, for he brings glad tidings of the King of kings.
- 2 Then cleansed be every heart from sin; make straight the way for God within; prepare we in our hearts a home where such a mighty guest may come.
- 3 For you are our salvation, Lord, our refuge and our great reward; without your grace we waste away like flowers that wither and decay.
- 4 To heal the sick stretch out your hand, and bid the fallen sinner stand; shine forth, and let your light restore earth's own true loveliness once more.
- 5 To him who left the throne of heaven to free us all, let praise be given; and praise be to the Father done, and Holy Spirit, Three in One.

Gospel of Matthew 21.33-46

'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.

Communion Hymn

- 1 Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne; hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own: awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for me, and hail him as your chosen king through all eternity.
- 2 Crown him the Son of God before the worlds began: and we who tread where he has trod crown him the Son of Man, who every grief has known that wrings the human breast, and takes and bears them for his own, that all in him may rest.
- 3 Crown him the Lord of love; behold his hands and side, those wounds yet visible above in beauty glorified; no angel there on high can fully bear that sight, but downwards bends a burning eye at mysteries so bright.

- 4 Crown him the Lord of life, who triumphed o'er the grave, and rose victorious in the strife for those he came to save: his glories now we sing who died, and rose on high; who died eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.
- 5 Crown him the Lord of peace, whose power a sceptre sways from pole to pole, that wars may cease absorbed in prayer and praise: his reign shall know no end, and round his pierced feet fair flowers of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.
- 6 Crown him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time, Creator of the rolling spheres, majestic and sublime: all hail, Redeemer, hail! for you have died for me; your praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.

Final Hymn

- 1 May the mind of Christ my Saviour, live in me from day to day, by his love and power controlling all I do and say.
- 2 May the word of God dwell richly in my heart from hour to hour so that all may see I triumph only through his power.
- 3 May the peace of God my Father rule my life in everything, that I may be calm to comfort sick and sorrowing.
- 4 May the love of Jesus fill me as the waters fill the sea; him exalting, self denying, this is victory.

5 May I run the race before me strong and brave to face the foe, looking only unto Jesus as I onward go.



Monday 9th October Wardens Meeting 12 noon

Thursday 12th October MU 1.30pm Mary Thomas Room

Monday 16th October Parish Council 12 noon

Thursday 26th October Craft Group CATH meets 1.30pm in Mary Thomas Room

Saturday 28th October Friends of the Cathedral Service, AGM and High Tea 12 noon

At the time of choosing a new Dean

Bountiful God,

Give this parish a faithful Dean

who will faithfully speak your word

and minister your sacraments;

an encourager who will equip you people for ministry

and enable us to fulfil our calling.

Give to those who choose, wisdom, discernment and patience,

and give to us warm generous hearts

for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

S^{t.}Saviour's Cathedral Children's Choir Rehearsals (Thursdays 4-5pm

St. Saviour's Cathedral children's choir has begun rehearsing during school term on Thursday afternoons. We would like to invite children aged 9-15 to join us. The choir will learn singing techniques, how to read vocal music and sing as a choir, during services and concerts. If you would like more information, please contact Debra McConnell 0458221339.







CATHEDRAL FOOD PANTRY

FOR THOSE IN THE COMMUNITY IN NEED

The following items are needed



Urgently Required: UHT Milk, pasta sauce, baked beans, canned spaghetti, beef casseroles, tinned fish tinned meals eg: steak and sausage and vegetables, soup,.

After Service Fellowship

Ist Sunday 8am in the Mary Thomas Room

2nd Sunday 8am in the Mary Thomas Room

3rd Sunday 8am in the Mary Thomas Room

10am in the Mary Thomas Room

4th Sunday 8am in the Mary Thomas Room =

10am in the Mary Thomas Room

5th Sunday 8am Mary Thomas Room



Mothers Union

Our Next Meeting is Thursday 12th October at 1.30 Mary Thomas Room
Our Advent service 11.00am, Luncheon 12.30 at Cascades \$40

on !6th November (put in your diary)
Readings for next Sunday 15th of October

Exodus 32.1-14

Psalm 106.1-6,20-24

Philippians 4.

Matthew 23.1-14

From the Parish Treasurer for Parish Council

Our Parish Bank Details

Name: St Saviour's Cathedral Parish

BSB: 032 721

Account: 280 248

Reference: Ministry

Envelopes: Place them in the offertory plate. If you are unable to attend please phone me to arrange pick up of your envelopes.

For collection phone: 4822 8394

Tap –Go: In the Cathedral any debit card to donate to the Cathedral in \$10 increments.

Please note donations to everday expenses and Sowerby

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SOWERBY TRUST

This Trust is vital to our Cathedral's continuing ministry should you wish to contribute, please note:

BSB: 702389

ACCT: 05209886

Thank you.



If you are a visitor to our service today or a new resident to Goulburn, WELCOME!

We hope you are uplifted by the worship and enjoy your time with us.

Please make yourself known to our Clergy.

Cathedral Mission Statement

As the mother church of the Canberra Goulburn Diocese and Cathedral of Goulburn St Saviours is a haven for nurturing Christians and fostering new faith in Christ In the love of Christ and the grace of the Holy Spirit the Cathedral community is committed to reinforcing the wisdom of the Anglican tradition and engaging with the ever changing world.

We Are Committed to:

Prayer and joyful worship
The ministry of hospitality
Serving the broader community

Supporting those from diverse backgrounds including those with special needs Supporting Goulburn and the Diocese in good times and in times of adversity

ABM Reflection
Ordinary Sunday 27 A [Pentecost 19] — Sunday 8 October 2023 • Exodus 20.1-4, 7-9, 12-20; Psalm 19; Either Philippians 3 or Philippians 3.4b-14; Matthew 21.33-46 The final verse of Psalm 19 is a familiar prayer often used by preachers as they begin their sermons, 'May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer'. I imagine we have all heard it, perhaps in the '... and the meditations of all our hearts' version. It's a prayer that shouldn't be restricted to preachers because it is a beautiful, simple and easy-to@remember prayer that we can all pray each day, perhaps when we first awaken. Give it a try — it'll set you up for a God@focussed day. • May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer. • Give thanks for the work and witness of CAPA, the Council of the Anglican Provinces of Africa. Text: Robert McLean © Anglican Board of Mission, 2023

Canon Anne writes:

Safe Ministry 2023.

It has been a year of courses running across the diocese .For those who must complete Level 3 of safe ministry training. As it draws to a close our Safe Ministry Coordinator Kylie needs to know from you personally that you have completed level's 1,2,3, where and when you have done the course and in what years .Please contact Kylie at :office@goulburncathedral.org.au .Or ring during office hours 48212206 .PLEASE DO THIS BY SUNDAY 15th October. Note that certificates of completion are no longer issued. It is your responsibility to advise the coordinator when you completed the course Kylie will notify the diocese body for keeping these records .

More Safe Ministry training available for 2023.

25 October. Level 1 – Bungendore – 10-12pm

25 October – Level 3 – Gungahlin – 7-9pm

26 October – Level 3 – Curtin – 7-9pm

2 November – Level 3 Wanniassa – 7-9pm

3 November – Level 3 – Holbrook – 10-12 noon

3 November - Level 3 - Junee - 2 - 4pm

4 November – Level 3 – Queanbeyan – time to be confirmed

We had a wonderful three days of bell ringing with visiting teams. A huge thanks to Christopher and our own ringers who joined them and provided much needed refreshments as they 'worked.' It was a great sound across the city and a reminder of our wonderful cathedral. It is amazing how many people follow the sound and visit us on these occasions!

It is a paradox that many of us don't handle well. We were created by God to be rational human beings and we carry around with us a desire to know and understand, but we must not forget that we will never experience inner peace simply because all our question have been answered. Biblical faith is

Canon Anne Writes continued

not irrational, but it takes us beyond our ability to reason. As believers in our identity as God's image- bearers and the truthfulness of his Word, we do recognize that it is important to study, to learn, to examine, to evaluate, and to know. But we are not rationalists. We do not trust our reason more than we trust God. We do not reject what God says is true when it doesn't make sense to us, and we know that God's secret will leave us with mysteries in our lives; mysteries that, even with the best of our theology, we won't be able to solve. Biblical literacy does not dispel all confusion and mystery from your life because while God reveals his will for you in the Bible, he does not reveal all the things he will do in your life for your good and his glory. God surprises you.

Every Blessing Anne

SPEND THE AFTERNOON WITH CATH

FOURTH THURSDAY EVERY MONTH, 1.30 PM—3.00 PM,
MARY THOMAS ROOM, ST SAVIOUR'S

CRAFT AT THE CATHEDRAL



Social Afternoon, tea, coffee and tim-tams

Thursday: 28th of October,



Bring your craft

Thursday: 23rd of November



Learn another craft

Share your craft

Informal afternoon gathering where you can relax, catch up with others, continue with your own craft, share ideas and be inspired

As time goes by, we may make themed craft together (eg Christmas) but for now, it is just an opportunity to meet like-minded people and share time and craft together.

Want to know more? Email Margaret Emil margaret.at.stsaviours@gmail.com

Our Cathedral Prayer

Almighty God whose hand has guided and sustained your Church through many generations, accept our prayers for this Cathedral church, bless all who serve within its walls and strengthen the hands of those who seek to ensure its future. Make it a constant witness to your glory and a place of peace and joy: for the sake of your Son our Saviour Amen

A Prayer for St. George's Cathedral,

our sister church in Jerusalem Our God, as you nurture the Body of Christ in different places, we ask your blessing for our sister church, St. George's. In these difficult times, may your Spirit sustain, guide and protect your people there. Bring joy to them as they witness to your presence. In Jesus' name, Amen

A Prayer for Ukraine

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today. We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them. We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them. We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace, Amen . *Archbishop Justin Welby/Archbishop Stephen Cottrell*

Cathedral Office Hours

9.30am –12noon (Mon,Tues,Thurs,Fri.....Closed WED)

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Rev'd Canon Kevin Stone –4th Sunday

Rev'd Canon Roberta Hamilton -presently on leave.

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CATHEDRAL COUNCILLORS :Jenny Lacey, Richard Orchard,

Darren Churchill, Peter Ogilvie.

Director of Music : Debra McConnell

Organists for August: Phil Fraser, Brett McKern, Allan McCracken

Editor of Pew Sheet Vanessa Kemp

