

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

26TH JUNE 2016

ST PAUL'S: 8 & 10AM

ST DAVID'S: 8.30AM



As they were going along the road, someone said to him, 'I will follow you wherever you go.' And Jesus said to him, 'Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.'

Luke 9:57-58

ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, MANUKA
DIOCESE OF CANBERRA & GOULBURN

WELCOME TO ST PAUL'S AND ST DAVID'S CHURCHES

Welcome! On behalf of the clergy and people of St Paul's Church, Manuka and St David's, Red Hill. A large-print version of this bulletin is available from the sidespeople and at St Paul's a hearing loop is installed in the first five rows. *Please silence all phones and pagers for our worship.*

Visitors. If you are visiting, let us know. We encourage you to stay after the service for coffee and fellowship in the Hall.

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8AM - ST PAUL'S

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The Venerable John Gibson

PREACHER
The Venerable John Gibson

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10am Setting: (choir): Michael Dudman (1938-1994) *Parish eucharist* TiS 756

Gathering in God's Name

INTROIT at 10am: (choir) Charles Wood (1866-1926) *Oculi Omnium*

Oculi omnium in te sperant Domine: et tu das escam illorum in tempore opportuno.

The eyes of all look to you, O Lord: and you give them their food in due season (Ps 145:15)

HYMN TIS 134

1 Praise, my soul, the king of heaven;
to his feet your tribute bring;
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
who like me his praise should sing?
Praise him, praise him, hallelujah,
praise the everlasting king!

2 Praise him for his grace and favour
to his people in distress;
praise him still the same for ever,
slow to chide, and swift to bless:
praise him, praise him, hallelujah,
glorious in his faithfulness!

3 Father-like he tends and spares us;
well our feeble frame he knows;
in his hands he gently bears us,
rescues us from all our foes:
praise him, praise him, hallelujah,
widely as his mercy flows!

4 Frail as summer's flower we flourish,
blows the wind and it is gone;
but while mortals rise and perish
God endures unchanging on.
Praise him, praise him, hallelujah,
praise the high eternal one!

5 Angels, help us to adore him,
you behold him face to face;
sun and moon, bow down before him,
dwellers all in time and space:
praise him, praise him, hallelujah,
praise with us the God of grace!

Words: Henry Francis Lyte 1793–1847 *alt.* based on
Psalm 103 Tune: *Praise, my soul*

The service continues on page 119.

SENTENCE

Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for Jesus' sake will find it.

Matthew 10:39

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

God, the light of the minds that know you, the life of the souls that love you, the strength of the thoughts that seek you: help us so to know you that we may truly love you, and so to love you that we may fully serve you, whose service is perfect freedom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Ministry of the Word

A READING FROM 2 KINGS 2:1–2, 6–14

Please be seated

NOW when the LORD was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. Elijah said to Elisha, 'Stay here; for the LORD has sent me as far as Bethel.' But Elisha said, 'As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.' So they went down to Bethel... Then Elijah said to him, 'Stay here; for the LORD has sent me to the Jordan.' But he said, 'As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.' So the two of them went on. Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until

the two of them crossed on dry ground. When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, 'Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you.' Elisha said, 'Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit.' He responded, 'You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not.' As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. Elisha kept watching and crying out, 'Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!' But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces. He picked up the mantle of Elijah that had fallen from him, and went back and stood on the bank of the Jordan. He took the mantle of Elijah that had fallen from him, and struck the water, saying, 'Where is the LORD, the God of Elijah?' When he had struck the water, the water was parted to the one side and to the other, and Elisha went over.

For the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God.

PSALM 77:1-2, 11-20 (*Said by the congregation in alternate verses at 8am, by all the congregation at 8.30am and led by the choir at 10am*)

1 I call to my God, I cry out toward him:

I call to my God, and surely he will answer.

**2 In the day of my distress I seek the Lord, I stretch out my hands to him by night:
my soul is poured out without ceasing, it refuses all comfort.**

11 I will declare the mighty acts of the Lord:

I will call to mind your wonders of old.

**12 I will think on all that you have done:
and meditate upon your works.**

13 Your way, O God, is holy:

who is so great a god as our God?

**14 You are the God that works wonders:
you made known your power among the nations;**

15 By your mighty arm you redeemed your people:
the children of Jacob and Joseph.

**16 The waters saw you, O God, the waters saw you and were afraid:
the depths also were troubled.**

17 The clouds poured out water, the heavens spoke:
and your arrows darted forth.

**18 The voice of your thunder was heard in the whirlwind:
your lightnings lit the world, the earth shuddered and quaked.**

19 Your way was in the sea, your path in the great waters:
and your footsteps were not seen.

**20 You led your people like sheep:
by the hand of Moses and Aaron.**

A READING FROM GALATIANS 5:1, 13-25

For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery... For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' If,

however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another. Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

For the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God

HYMN — TIS 576

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| <p>1 O for a closer walk with God,
a calm and heavenly frame,
a light to shine upon the road
that leads me to the Lamb.</p> <p>2 Where is the blessedness I knew
when first I saw the Lord?
Where is the soul-refreshing view
of Jesus and his word?</p> <p>3 What peaceful hours I once enjoyed,
how sweet their memory still!
But they have left an aching void
the world can never fill.</p> | <p>4 Return, O holy dove, return,
sweet messenger of rest!
I hate the sins that made thee mourn,
and drove thee from my breast.</p> <p>5 The dearest idol I have known,
whate'er that idol be,
help me to tear it from thy throne
and worship only thee.</p> <p>6 So shall my walk be close with God,
calm and serene my frame;
so purer light shall mark the road
that leads me to the Lamb.</p> |
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Words: William Cowper 1731–1800. Tune: *Caithness*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (10am only)

Choir: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Congregation: **Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Choir: Speak, Lord, your servant is listening; you have the words of everlasting life.

Congregation: **Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

THE HOLY GOSPEL — LUKE 9:51–62

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

✠Glory to you, ✠Lord Jesus ✠Christ

When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; but they did not receive him, because his face was set towards Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, ‘Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?’ But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village. As they were going along the road, someone said to him, ‘I will follow you wherever you go.’ And Jesus said to him, ‘Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.’ To another he said, ‘Follow me.’ But he said, ‘Lord, first let me go and

bury my father.' But Jesus said to him, 'Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.' Another said, 'I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home.' Jesus said to him, 'No one who puts a hand to the plough and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.'

For the gospel of the Lord
praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

**THE SERMON - ST PAUL'S - THE VENERABLE JOHN GIBSON
- ST DAVID'S - THE REV'D ROBERT WILLSON**

A brief period of silence is observed for reflection on the sermon.

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THE GREETING OF PEACE - Page 127

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY HYMN — TIS 561 (*During the singing of this hymn, the gifts of bread, wine and money are brought to the altar*)

**1 Who would true valour see,
let them come hither;
those here will constant be,
come wind, come weather.
There's no discouragement
shall make them once relent
each from a vowed intent
to be a pilgrim.**

**2 Those who beset them round
with dismal stories
cannot the brave confound:
their strength the more is.
No lion can them fright,
they'll with a giant fight,
but each will have a right
to be a pilgrim.**

**3 Hobgoblin nor foul fiend
can daunt their spirit:
they know they at the end
shall life inherit.
Then fancies fly away;
they'll scorn what people say,
and each work night and day
to be a pilgrim.**

Words: John Bunyan 1628–88.*alt.* Tune: *Monk's Gate*

OFFERTORY PRAYERS

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING - Pages 128 - 129

COMMUNION (at 10am: Henry Walford Davies (1869-1941) *God be in my head
God be in my head, and in my understanding; God be in mine eyes, and in my looking; God be in
my mouth, and in my speaking; God be in my heart, and in my thinking; God be at mine end, and
at my departing.*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION - Page 143-144

HYMN — TIS 530

- 1 Now let us from this table rise
renewed in body, mind and soul;
with Christ we die and live again,
his selfless love has made us whole.
- 2 With minds alert, upheld by grace,
to spread the Word in speech and deed,
we follow in the steps of Christ,
at one with all in hope and need.
- 3 To fill each human house with love,
it is the sacrament of care;
the work that Christ began to do
we humbly pledge ourselves to share.
- 4 Then give us grace, Companion God,
to choose again the pilgrim way,
and help us to accept with joy
the challenge of tomorrow's day.

Words: Frederik Herman Kaan 1929– . Tune: *Niagara*. CLI Licence 286646 (St Paul's) 286653 (St David's)

DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen

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Please remember in your prayers: The Sick: Lea Chapuis, Diana Hanna, Peta Hill, Andrew Livingston, Ella Nicholls, Rosemary King, Anne Stone.

To add a name, call or email the parish office. The person's permission is required. Names remain on the prayer list for four Sundays only, unless the parish office is advised otherwise.

Pastoral visits for the sick. Please let the Parish office know if you know of someone who is sick who may appreciate a pastoral visit.

News and Announcements

*To add a notice, email or call the Parish Office by 1.30pm on the **Tuesday** before the notice is to appear.*

Discovery Group will meet for morning tea next Wednesday 29th April at 10.30 am at Le Rendezvous Café at Manuka Court (between Bougainville Street & Palmerston Lane). Members of St Paul's and St David's enjoy meeting for morning tea on the last Wednesday of each month. We hope you can join us for this very informal and friendly get-together. The morning tea follows St Paul's 10 o'clock service which you are most welcome to attend.

Walking Group. If you would like to join our walking group for an easy 5km walk around the Central Basin of Lake Burley Griffin on Saturday 2nd July please contact Pat/Sandy White 0418488984, patwhite@internode.on.net by the end of June. The walk includes an organised tour around Blundell's cottage. The lakeside path on this walk is sealed and flat with some steps. We plan to commence at 10.30am from Queen Elizabeth Terrace, Parkes ACT 2600 near the Segway venue Seg Glide Ride. Bring water, snack and hat (beanie recommended). At the conclusion of the walk there are plenty of venues for coffee/lunch if desired at approximately 1pm.

Public Forum. The Social Justice Group invites you to a Public Forum on *Social Justice and 2 July*. Meet the candidates, hear their views: Gai Brodtmann MP (Labor), Patricia Cahill (Greens), Jessica Adelan-Langford (Liberal)(TBC). **Today** at 4pm at St Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Forrest.

Next Sunday at St David's the preacher will be The Rev'd Dr Constantine Campbell who is Associate Professor of New Testament at Trinity Evangelical Divinity School in Chicago. He

is a well-known author and musician. At that service we will dedicate a sanctuary chair to the memory of Malamatenie Marlene Con Campbell.

Tapestry/Handicraft Group will meet on Wednesday **6th July** commencing at 2 pm at the home of Trish Levick. Her address is 33 Quiros Street, Red Hill, telephone number 6295 3749. Please note change of venue.

The Choir of Christ's College, Cambridge will perform at St Saviour's Cathedral, Goulburn on Saturday **9th July** commencing at 3pm. Tickets: Adults \$20, concessions \$15 at the door.

Parish of Manuka Arts Foundation. The Foundation has supported the work of many musicians in our services over the last year. If you would like to donate to the Arts Foundation please speak to Len Goodwin at the 8am service or give your cheque (made out to Parish of Manuka Arts Foundation) to the Parish Office. Donations to the Arts Foundation are tax deductible. If you would like to claim your donation for this financial year, you will need to give your donation to Len Goodwin or to the Parish Office by 29th June, so that we have time to bank it by the 30th.

The Rector is on long service leave until 29th August. All enquiries during this time should be made to the Parish office or to one of the other clergy. The Venerable John Gibson is the Acting Rector for this period of leave.

Anglican Overseas Aid's End of Financial Year Appeal closes in the first week of July. Get details from the AOA website and download a form to donate at

<https://anglicanoverseasaid.org.au/news/188/69/Share-our-appeal-using-this-pew-sheet>

For more information, please speak to our Parish AOA Ambassador, Les Böhm.

NEXT SUNDAY – 3RD JULY - SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

LECTIONARY TEXTS: 2 Kings 5:1-14; Psalm 30; Galatians 6:7-18; Luke 10:1-12, 17-24

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