

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

1ST OCTOBER 2017

ST PAUL'S: 8AM & 10AM



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Matthew 21:28-31

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.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

8AM - ST PAUL'S

CELEBRANT
The Rev'd Kelvin Harris
PREACHER
The Rev'd Kelvin Harris
LITURGICAL ASSISTANT
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INTERCESSOR
Rob May
READER
Christine May
SIDESPEOPLE
Robyn Schleiger
BREAKFAST
Rob & Christine May
ORGANIST
Mary Anne Neilsen

8.30AM - ST DAVID'S

CELEBRANT & PREACHER
The Venerable Dr Brian Douglas
LITURGICAL ASSISTANTS
Duncan Anderson,
Heather Schmitzer
INTERCESSOR
Joan Chynoweth
SIDESPEOPLE & READERS
John Farnan, Meg Smith
MORNING TEA
TBA
ORGANIST
Robert Goodrick

10AM - ST PAUL'S

CELEBRANT & PREACHER
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PRIEST ASSISTING
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Andrew Waddell, Nilesh Gunasekere
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10am Setting: (choir): Michael Dudman (1938-1994) *Parish eucharist*

Gathering in God's Name

INTROIT at 10am: - Adrian Batten (1591-1637) *O Sing Joyfully*

HYMN TIS 627

1. **Praise and thanksgiving,**
Father, we offer,
for all things living
you have made good;
harvest of sown fields,
fruits of the orchard,
hay from the mown fields,
blossom and wood.
2. **Lord, bless the labour**
we bring to serve you,
that with our neighbour
we may be fed.
Sowing or tilling,
we would work with you;
harvesting, milling,
for daily bread.
3. **Father, providing**
food for your children,
your wisdom guiding
teaches us share
one with another,
so that, rejoicing,
sister and brother
may know your care.
4. **Then will your blessing**
reach every people;
each one confessing
your gracious hand;
where you are reigning
no one will hunger,
your love sustaining
fruitful the land.

Words: Albert Frederick Bayly 1901–84 *alt.* Tune: *Bunessan*. CCLI Licence 286646 (St Paul's)

The service continues on page 119.

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Grant, O merciful God, that your people may have that mind that was in Christ Jesus, who emptied himself, and took the form of a servant, and in humility became obedient even to death. For you have highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, Jesus Christ, the Lord; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in everlasting glory. **Amen.**

The Ministry of the Word

A READING FROM EXODUS 17:1-7

Please be seated

From the wilderness of Sin the whole congregation of the Israelites journeyed by stages, as the LORD commanded. They camped at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. The people quarrelled with Moses, and said, 'Give us water to drink.' Moses said to them, 'Why do you quarrel with me? Why do you test the LORD?' But the people thirsted there for water; and the people complained against Moses and said, 'Why did you bring us out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and livestock with thirst?' So Moses cried out to the LORD, 'What shall I do with this people? They are almost ready to stone me.' The LORD said to Moses, 'Go on ahead of the people, and take some of the elders of Israel with you; take in your hand the staff with which you struck the Nile, and go. I will be standing there in front of you on the rock at Horeb. Strike the rock, and water will come out of it, so that the people may drink.' Moses did so, in the sight of the elders of Israel. He called the place Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites quarrelled and tested the LORD, saying, 'Is the LORD among us or not?'

For the word of the Lord
thanks be to God.

PSALM 78:1-4, 11-16 (*Said by the congregation in alternate verses at 8am, by all the congregation at 8.30am and sung by the choir at 10am*)

- 1 Give heed to my teaching, O my people:
incline your ears to the words of my mouth;
- 2 **For I will open my mouth in a parable:
and expound the mysteries of former times.**
- 3 What we have heard and known:
what our forebears have told us,
- 4 **We will not hide from their children, but declare to a generation yet to come:
the praiseworthy acts of the Lord, his mighty and wonderful works.**
- 11 For he did marvellous things in the sight of their ancestors:
in the land of Egypt, in the country of Zoan.
- 12 **He divided the sea and let them pass through:
he made the waters stand up in a heap.**
- 13 In the daytime he led them with a cloud:
and all night long with the light of fire.
- 14 **He cleft rocks in the wilderness:
and gave them drink in abundance as from springs of water.**
- 15 He brought streams out of the rock:
and caused the waters to flow down like rivers.
- 16 **But for all this they sinned yet more against him:
and rebelled against the Most High in the desert.**

A READING FROM PHILIPPIANS 2:1-13

If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death – even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

For the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God

HYMN — TIS 640

1. **Kneels at the feet of his friends,
silently washes their feet:
master who acts as a slave to them.**

*Yesu, Yesu,
fill us with your love,
show us how to serve
the neighbours we have from you.*

2. Neighbours are wealthy and poor,
varied in colour and race,
neighbours are near us and far away.

3. These are the ones we should serve,
these are the ones we should love;
all these are neighbours to us and you.

4. Loving puts us on our knees,
silently washing their feet,
this is the way we should live with you.

Words: Tom Colvin 1925– . and people of Ghana *alt.*
Tune: *Chereponi*. CCLI Licence 286646

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (10am only)

Choir: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Congregation: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Choir: My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me

Congregation: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

THE HOLY GOSPEL — MATTHEW 21:23-32

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

✠Glory to you, ✠Lord Jesus ✠Christ

When he entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came to him as he was teaching, and said, ‘By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?’ Jesus said to them, ‘I will also ask you one question; if you tell me the answer, then I will also tell you by what authority I do these things. Did the baptism of John come from heaven, or was it of human origin?’ And they argued with one another, ‘If we say, “From heaven”, he will say to us, “Why then did you not believe him?” But if we say, “Of human origin”, we are afraid of the crowd; for all regard John as a prophet.’ So they answered Jesus, ‘We do not know.’ And he said to them, ‘Neither will I tell you by what authority I am doing these things. ‘What do you think? A man had two sons; he went to the first and said, “Son, go and work in the vineyard today.” He answered, “I will not”; but later he changed his mind and went. The father went to the second and said the same; and he answered, “I go, sir”; but he did not go. Which of the two did the will of his father?’ They said, ‘The first.’ Jesus said to them, ‘Truly I tell you, the tax-collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of God ahead of you. For John came to you in the way of righteousness and you did not believe him, but the tax-collectors and the prostitutes believed him; and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him.

praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

THE SERMON - ST PAUL’S - THE REVEREND KELVIN HARRIS

- ST DAVID’S - THE VENERABLE DR BRIAN DOUGLAS

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

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY HYMN — TIS 100 (*During the singing of this hymn, the gifts of bread, wine and money are brought to the altar*)

1. All creatures of our God and King,
lift up your voice and with us sing
alleluia, alleluia!

O burning sun with golden beam,
and silver moon with softer gleam,
*O praise him, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

5. And everyone of tender heart,
forgiving others, take your part,
O praise him, alleluia!
All who long pain and sorrow bear
praise God and on him cast your care;
O praise him ...

6. And you, most kind and gentle death,
waiting to hush our latest breath,
O praise him, alleluia!

You lead to heaven the child of God,
and Christ our Lord the way has trod:
O praise him ...

7. Let all things their Creator bless,
and worship him in humbleness;
O praise him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, Three in One:
*O praise him, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

Words: Based on *Laudato sia Dio mio Signore* the 'Canticle of the Sun' of Francis of Assisi 1182–1226 by William Henry Draper 1855–1933 *alt.* Tune: *Lasst uns erfreuen.*

OFFERTORY PRAYERS

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING - Pages 128 - 140

COMMUNION (at 10am - F.A.G. Ouseley (1825-1889) *From the rising of the sun*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION - Pages 143-144

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HYMN — TIS 135

*All things bright and beautiful,
all creatures great and small,
all things wise and wonderful —
the Lord God made them all.*

1. The wildflowers in their beauty,
the mountain ranges tall,
the billabongs and rivers,
and friendly birds that call,
All things bright and beautiful ...

2. The cold wind in the winter,
the bright, life-giving sun,
the ripe fruits in the garden —
he made them every one.
All things bright and beautiful ...

3. The coloured walls of gorges,
the gum trees green and tall,
the rocks, and pools, and palm trees,
the sparkling waterfall,
All things bright and beautiful ...

5. He gave us eyes to see them,
and lips that we might tell
how great is God Almighty
who has made all things well.
All things bright and beautiful ...

Words: Cecil Frances Alexander 1818-95 (vv. 2 alt., 5, and refrain) Brian Black 1926- (vv.1 and 3) Compilers (v.4).
Tune: *All things bright and beautiful.* CCLI Licence 286646

DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen.

Please remember in your prayers: The Sick: Rev. Alan Cliff, Diana Hanna, Alya Henry, Andrew Livingston, Anthea Moller, Avis Parry, Sandra Swanson, Pam Wright.

The Departed: John Hanna. John Gallop.

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.

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.*

***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.*

Blessing of the Animals. Today at 8.30am St David's will be having a special service for the blessing of the animals. The Rector is celebrating and preaching at St David's today.

Sidespeople at 10am. We need two more sidespeople for 10am for the second Sunday of each month. Please let either the Rector or the office know if you are willing to help.

St Paul's to Host the Bible Society Bi-Centenary. On **15th October** from 12 noon to 5-30pm all parishioners are invited to celebrate the 200th anniversary of The Bible Society in Australia. The celebration involves a display of magnificent Bibles (some over 400 years old) in St Paul's church, an Antique Bible Roadshow when Bibles brought by parishioners and their friends will be appraised by noted Bible Scholar and author Rev Dr John Harris, culminating in Choral Evensong at 6pm with Dr Harris as guest preacher. Afternoon tea will be provided, and all donations received will be devoted to the work of the Bible Society in SE Asia and the Pacific. Volunteers to help with welcoming, ushering, supervising, and afternoon tea refreshments are requested. Phone David Dillon 0251007808, or email deenjay59@gmail.com to volunteer.

A date for your diary. St Paul's will hold its ever-popular traditional service of Nine Lessons and Carols with choir, organ and brass on Tuesday 5th December at 7:30pm.

Helpers needed. One of the many jobs needed to keep the Verandah running successfully is someone to fetch and package the bread on the evening before the lunch day. We urgently need helpers on Thursday evenings for this task. If you would like to know more about what is involved please speak to Kelvin. Even if you can help one Thursday evening a month that would be very welcome.

Diocesan Synod. This will be held in Goulburn from Friday 6th to Sunday 8th October. The clergy, together with Matthew Stuckings and Peter Cumines will be our representatives and consequently not at St Paul's next Sunday.

ST PAUL'S FÊTE - 4TH NOVEMBER

Helpers needed. Please sign-up at the rear of the church for stalls and setting-up help at the November Fête. Also sign-up if you are a walker able to help with a local flyer letter-box drop.

Fête grand raffle. Over the four Sundays from October 8th, we hope families will take a book of Grand Raffle tickets and sell them. A book contains 10 tickets, each costing a flat rate of \$2. The Raffle will be drawn at the fête on November 4. There are 10 great prizes so please take more than one book to sell if you wish. The prizes are a \$500 Reis and James Travel Associates Manuka voucher, a \$380 Balloons Aloft flight voucher, a \$200 Ottoman Restaurant Barton voucher, a \$200 Essential Ingredients Kingston Gift Basket, a \$140 Australian String Quartet double ticket, a \$130 "A Winter Rose Cottage" B and B Bathurst voucher, a \$100 "Form Haircutters" Kingston voucher, two \$50 Heritage Nursery Yarralumla vouchers, and a \$40 Coles Manuka voucher.

Blood and Bone supply has been stopped by the Moruya Abattoir. Rod apologises to anyone who expected some.

ST PAUL'S FÊTE - 4TH NOVEMBER (CONTINUED)

Tomato plants: Roz Bruhn is growing two types of tomato this year – the ever-popular Tommy Toe and Moneymaker. The plants will be available in late October or at the fête and cost \$4 each with all proceeds donated to the garden stall. There is an order form at the back of the church.

Scone making. The morning tea team would love to have volunteers to bake 2 or 3 dozen scones on the morning of the fete and deliver them to the stall from 8.30am to 10am, Saturday 4th November. Put your name on the list at the back of the church with your contact details and how many dozen scones you could make. We need 12 dozen! Many thanks. Mary Pollard

Jewellery stall - donations of jewellery, jewellery boxes, etc. are appreciated. A box will be placed at the rear of St Paul's on Sunday 8th October, or you can contact Ellye Yates on 0422536435.

White Elephant goods will be gratefully received from Thursday 26th October to Thursday 2nd November. Please do not bring items earlier as we cannot store them. We are unable to accept electrical items, video tapes or furniture.

Ladies' Vintage Stall. Melbourne Cup Party hats and "fascinators" still needed as well as donations of clothing and accessories; belts, gloves, handbags, scarves etc. Contact Jeanette Evans (62817372) or Linda Klintworth (62958887). Thank you.

NEXT SUNDAY – 8TH OCTOBER - EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

LECTIONARY TEXTS: Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20; Psalm 19; Philippians 3:4b-14; Matthew 21:33-46

8AM - ST PAUL'S

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