

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

4TH FEBRUARY 2018

ST PAUL'S: 8AM & 10AM

ST DAVID'S: 8.30AM



That evening, at sunset, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons...

Mark 1:32-34a

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	8.30AM - ST DAVID'S	10AM - ST PAUL'S
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10am Setting: (choir) - Colin D. Smith *Mass Shalom*

Gathering in God's Name

INTROIT at 10am: Taizé *Jubilate Deo*

Jubilate Deo, omnis terra; servite Domino in laetitia. Alleluia! O be joyful in God, all ye lands: serve the Lord with gladness. Alleluia! [from Ps 100]

HYMN - TIS 102

- 1. Praise to the living God,
all praise be to his name,
who was, and is, and is to be,
and still the same:
the one eternal God
before what now appears,
the First, the Last, beyond all thought
his timeless years!**
- 2. Formless, all lovely forms
declare his loveliness;
holy, no holiness of earth
can his express.
Behold the Lord of all:
creation speaks his praise,
and everywhere, above, below,
his will obeys.**
- 3. God's Spirit freely flows,
high surging where it will:
in prophet's word he spoke of old,
is speaking still.
Established is God's law
and changeless it shall stand,
deep written on the human heart,
on sea, on land.**
- 4. God has eternal life
implanted in the soul;
his love shall be our strength and stay
while ages roll.
Praise to the living God,
all praise be to his name,
who was, and is, and is to be,
and still the same!**

Words: From the Jewish Yigdal c.13th cent. *tr.* Max Landsberg 1845-1928, Newton Mann 1836-1926 and William Channing Gannett 1840-1923 *alt.* Tune: *Leoni.*

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SENTENCE (8.30am only)

Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles.

Isaiah 40:31

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Saving God, whose Son, Jesus Christ, healed the sick and brought them wholeness of body and mind: inspire us, his disciples, so that we may constantly proclaim his gospel by our words and by the dedication and integrity of our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The Ministry of the Word

A READING FROM ISAIAH 40:21-31

Please be seated

HAVE you not known? Have you not heard? Has it not been told you from the beginning? Have you not understood from the foundations of the earth? It is he who sits above the circle of the earth, and its inhabitants are like grasshoppers; who stretches out the heavens like a curtain, and spreads them like a tent to live in; who brings princes to naught, and makes the rulers of the earth as nothing. Scarcely are they planted, scarcely sown, scarcely has their stem taken root in the earth, when he blows upon them, and they wither, and the tempest carries them off like stubble. To whom then will you compare me, or who is my equal? says the Holy One. Lift up your eyes on high and see: Who created these? He who brings out their host and

numbers them, calling them all by name; because he is great in strength, mighty in power, not one is missing. Why do you say, O Jacob, and speak, O Israel, 'My way is hidden from the LORD, and my right is disregarded by my God'? Have you not known? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable. He gives power to the faint, and strengthens the powerless. Even youths will faint and be weary, and the young will fall exhausted; but those who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.

For the word of the Lord
thanks be to God.

PSALM 147:1-11 (*Said by the congregation in alternate verses at 8am, by all the congregation at 8.30am and sung by the cantors at 10am*)

- 1 O praise the Lord, for it is good to sing praises to our God:
and to praise him is joyful and right.
- 2 **The Lord is rebuilding Jerusalem:
he is gathering together the scattered outcasts of Israel.**
- 3 He heals the broken in spirit:
and binds up their wounds.
- 4 **He counts the number of the stars:
and calls them all by name.**
- 5 Great is our Lord, and great is his power:
there is no measuring his understanding.
- 6 **The Lord restores the humble:
but he brings down the wicked to the dust.**
- 7 O sing to the Lord a song of thanksgiving:
sing praises to our God upon the harp.
- 8 **He covers the heavens with cloud, and prepares rain for the earth:
and makes the grass to sprout upon the mountains.**
- 9 He gives the cattle their food:
and feeds the young ravens that call to him.
- 10 **He takes no pleasure in the strength of a horse:
nor does he delight in anyone's legs,**
- 11 But the Lord's delight is in those that fear him:
who wait in hope for his mercy.

A READING FROM 1 CORINTHIANS 9:16-23

If I proclaim the gospel, this gives me no ground for boasting, for an obligation is laid on me, and woe betide me if I do not proclaim the gospel! For if I do this of my own will, I have a reward; but if not of my own will, I am entrusted with a commission. What then is my reward? Just this: that in my proclamation I may make the gospel free of charge, so as not to make full use of my rights in the gospel. For though I am free with respect to all, I have made myself a slave to all, so that I might win more of them. To the Jews I became as a Jew, in order to win Jews. To those under the law I became as one under the law (though I myself am not under the law) so that I might win those under the law. To those outside the law I became as one outside the

law (though I am not free from God's law but am under Christ's law) so that I might win those outside the law. To the weak I became weak, so that I might win the weak. I have become all things to all people, so that I might by any means save some. I do it all for the sake of the gospel, so that I may share in its blessings.

For the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God

HYMN — TIS 211

1. **Jesus, lover of my soul,
let me to thy refuge fly,
while the nearer waters roll,
while the tempest still is high;
hide me, O my Saviour, hide,
till the storm of life is past;
safe into the haven guide,
O receive my soul at last.**
2. **Other refuge have I none,
hangs my helpless soul on thee;
leave, ah! leave me not alone,
still support and comfort me:
all my trust on thee is stayed,
all my help from thee I bring;
cover my defenceless head
with the shadow of thy wing.**
3. **Thou, O Christ, art all I want,
more than all in thee I find,
raise the fallen, cheer the faint,
heal the sick, and lead the blind.
Just and holy is thy name,
I am all unrighteousness;
false and full of sin I am,
thou art full of truth and grace.**
4. **Plenteous grace with thee is found,
grace to cover all my sin;
let the healing streams abound,
make and keep me pure within:
thou of life the fountain art,
freely let me take of thee,
spring thou up within my heart,
rise to all eternity.**

Words: Charles Wesley 1707-88 *alt.* Tune: *Aberystwyth*.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (10am only)

Choir: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Congregation: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Choir: I am the light of the world, says the Lord: anyone who follows me will have the light of life.

Congregation: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THE HOLY GOSPEL — MARK 1:29-39

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

✠Glory to you, ✠Lord Jesus ✠Christ

As soon as they left the synagogue, they entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. Now Simon's mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they told him about her at once. He came and took her by the hand and lifted her up. Then the fever left her, and she began to serve them. That evening, at sunset, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons; and he would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew him. In the morning, while it was still very dark, he got up and went out to a deserted place, and there he prayed. And Simon and his companions hunted for him. When they found him, they said to him, 'Everyone is searching for you.' He answered, 'Let us go on to the neighbouring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also; for that is what I came out to do.' And he went throughout Galilee, proclaiming the message in their synagogues and casting out demons.

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 REVEREND CANON JOHN CAMPBELL

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

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY HYMN — TIS 438 (*During the singing of this hymn, the gifts of bread, wine and money are brought to the altar*)

1. Give me the wings of faith to rise
within the veil, and see
the saints above, how great their joys,
how bright their glories be.
2. Once they were mourning here below,
and poured out sighs and tears;
they wrestled hard, as we do now,
with sins and doubts and fears.
3. I ask them whence their victory came;
they, with united breath,
ascribe their conquest to the Lamb,
their triumph to his death.
4. They marked the footsteps that he trod,
his zeal inspired their quest,
and, following their incarnate God,
possess the promised rest.
5. Our glorious leader claims our praise
for his own pattern given;
while the long cloud of witnesses
show the same path to heaven.

Words: Isaac Watts 1674-1748 *alt.* Tune: *San Rocco.*

OFFERTORY PRAYERS

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COMMUNION (at 10am - Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827) *The heavens sing praises to God*)

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HYMN — TIS 153

1. God is love, let heav'n adore him;
God is love, let earth rejoice;
let creation sing before him,
and exalt him with one voice.
God, who laid the earth's foundation,
he who spread the heavens above,
and who breathes through all creation,
God is love, eternal Love.
2. God is love, and gently enfolding
all the world in one embrace,
with unfailing grasp is holding
every child of every race.
And when human hearts are breaking
under sorrow's iron rod,
then they find that selfsame aching
deep within the heart of God.

**3. God is love, and, though with blindness
sin afflicts our human hearts,
God's eternal lovingkindness
holding, guiding, grace imparts.
Sin and death and hell shall never
o'er us final triumph gain;
God is love, so love for ever
o'er the universe must reign.**

Words: Timothy Rees 1874–1939 *alt.* Tune: *Abbot's Leigh*

DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

Please remember in your prayers: The Sick: Chris Champion, Diana Hanna, Alya Henry, Anthea Moller, Avis Parry, Sandra Swanson, Lindsay Tassie, Bob Webb, Pam Wright.

Anniversary: Nancy Ingle.

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

Today at St Paul's we join in celebrating Fr John Gibson's 50th anniversary of his deaconing which was here in St Paul's Church. We give thanks for Fr John's ministry amongst us and wish him and Narelle and their family well at this important time.

Tuesday Bible Studies recommence in the Rectory on Tuesday 6th February. The morning study at 9.30am will be led by the Rev'd Emma Street and the evening study by the Rev'd Sandie Kaine. For the evening study, join us for a light meal at 6pm and the Bible Study from 6:30-7:30. Contact Rev'd Sandie Kaine 0422 131 857 or email ladybank@bigpond.com.

St David's 10am Thursday Communion services have resumed.

EfM—Education for Ministry (or Exploring faith matters). The St Paul's EfM group meets once a week on a Monday evening during school terms. Our first meeting will be on Monday **12th February**, 7 pm in the Mollison Room. For further information, contact Kay Pendlebury (6297 8587 or kay.pendlebury@ozemail.com.au). Details of the curriculum are at <http://efmaustralia.org>.

Visiting organist from Vienna. Next Sunday, 11th February, at 11.30am we are fortunate to have a gifted organist, Stefan Donner, from Vienna providing us with an organ concert at St Paul's. Stefan will be playing a varied program. Gold coin donation. This program is supported by the Parish of Manuka Arts Foundation.

Ash Wednesday at St Paul's. There will be two Eucharists at St Paul's on Ash Wednesday (14th February), one at 10am and another at 6pm, both with the imposition of ashes. At 6pm Igitur Nos Chamber Choir will lead our music. They will sing a setting by the 16th century Spanish composer Tomas Luis de Victoria (*Missa Gaudeamus*), the original version of Allegri's *Miserere*, and the verse anthem *Out of the deep* by Elizabethan composer Thomas Morley. All welcome.

Ash Wednesday at St David's. A 10am service which will replace the Thursday Eucharist that week.

Annual Reports. The parish Annual General Meeting will take place on Sunday **18th March**, so please start work on your annual reports for the meeting. Reports are due on 24th February.

We need you! On Sunday 11th February, from 12.30 to 2.45pm we will have a guest speaker from the Solomon Islands talk about our new Anglican Overseas Aid project. Book in to attend by contacting Elizabeth King on mobile 0428 823 584 or email elizabeth_kingau@yahoo.com.au or Catherine Böhm on mobile 0421 030 954 or email: catherinebohm@gmail.com.

Rethinking “Giving up” for Lent. Quiet Day Saturday, 17th February, 9.30am to 3pm at the Chambers Pavilion, Australian Centre for Christianity and Culture, 15 Blackall St Barton. The forty days of Lent are a reflection of the forty days Jesus spent in the desert fasting and facing temptations as he prepared to begin his ministry. In this context, we’ll explore the meaning of the spiritual practices of Lent – in particular fasting and renunciation, and the invitation within our own Lenten journey to fulfil our Christian calling by way of humility and by living from the life of God. Cost: \$25 pp (cash only on arrival). Morning tea provided. BYO lunch. RSVP appreciated by 12th February to Alice-Anne Macnaught: email aamacnaught@inet.net.au or ph. 0414 790 201.

St David’s Garage Sale - Advance Notice. After a break of a few years, St David’s will again be holding a Garage Sale on Saturday 17th March. If you have good quality items for sale, please contact Joan Chynoweth on 6239 7056.

Sanctuary teams. We need additional people to serve in the sanctuary. If you might be willing serve at 8am, or in a sanctuary team at 10am, or as a reserve at either service, please contact the Rector. Training will be provided.

NEXT SUNDAY – 11TH FEBRUARY - LAST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY - TRANSFIGURATION

LECTIONARY TEXTS: 2 Kings 2:1-12; Psalm 50:1-6; 2 Corinthians 4:3-12; Mark 9:2-9

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