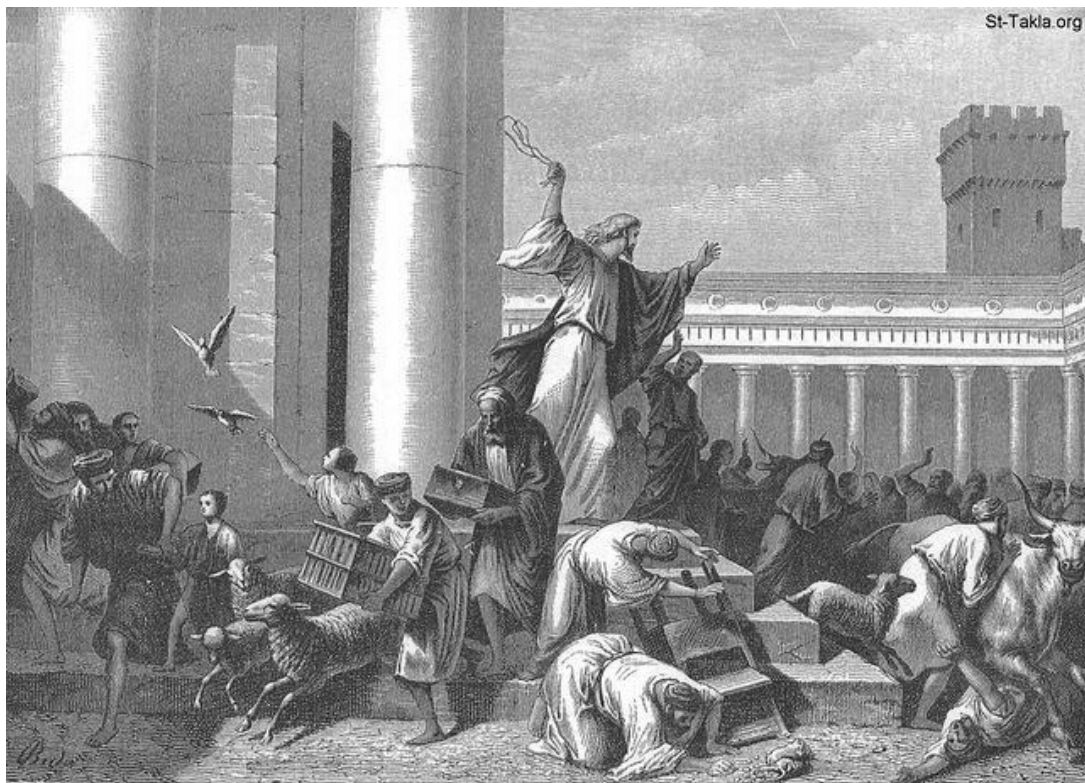


THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

4TH MARCH 2018

ST PAUL'S: 8AM & 10AM



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John 2:14-16

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	8.30AM - ST DAVID'S	10AM - ST PAUL'S
CELEBRANT	CELEBRANT	CELEBRANT
The Venerable Dr Brian Douglas	The Rev'd Canon John Campbell	The Venerable Hartley Hansford
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10am Setting: (choir) - John Barrett (1916-1983) *St Paul's Service*

Gathering in God's Name

INTROIT at 10am: Plainsong *Lent Prose*

Hear us, O Lord, have mercy upon us, for we have sinned against thee. God, we implore thee, in thy glory seated: bow down and hearken to thy weeping children: pity and pardon all our grievous trespasses. Hear us, O Lord ...

HYMN - TIS 187

- 1. Let all creation dance
in energies sublime,
as order turns with chance,
unfolding space and time,
for nature's art
in glory grows,
and newly shows
God's mind and heart.**
- 2. God's breath each force unfurls,
igniting from a spark
expanding starry swirls,
with whirlpools dense and dark.
Though moon and sun
seem mindless things,
each orbit sings:
'Your will be done.'**
- 3. Our own amazing earth,
with sunlight, cloud and storms
and life's abundant growth
in lovely shapes and forms,
is made for praise,
a fragile whole,
and from its soul
heaven's music plays.**
- 4. Lift heart and soul and voice:
in Christ all praises meet
and nature shall rejoice
as all is made complete.
In hope be strong,
all life befriend
and kindly tend
creation's song.**

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COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Lord our God, by your Holy Spirit write your commandments upon our hearts and grant us the wisdom and power of the cross, so that, cleansed from greed and selfishness, we may become a living temple of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Ministry of the Word

A READING FROM EXODUS 20:1-17

Please be seated

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 bow down to them or worship them; for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments. 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. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the LORD your God; you shall not do any work — you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and

all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it. 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.

For the word of the Lord
thanks be to God.

PSALM 19 (*Said by the congregation in alternate verses at 8am, by all the congregation at 8.30am and sung by the cantors at 10am*)

- 1 The heavens declare the glory of God:
and the firmament proclaims his handiwork;
- 2 **One day tells it to another:
and night to night communicates 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, reviving the soul:
the command of the Lord is true, and makes wise the simple.
- 8 **The precepts of the Lord are right, and rejoice the heart:
the commandment of the Lord is pure, and gives light to the eyes.**
- 9 The fear of the Lord is clean, and endures for ever:
the judgements of the Lord are unchanging, and righteous every one.
- 10 **More to be desired are they 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 reward.
- 12 **Who can know their own unwitting sins?:
O cleanse me from my secret faults.**
- 13 Keep your servant also from presumptuous sins, lest they get the mastery over me:
so I shall be clean, and innocent of great offence.
- 14 **May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight:
O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.**

A READING FROM 1 CORINTHIANS 1:18-25

For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written, 'I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart.' Where is the one who is wise? Where is the

scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling-block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

For the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God

HYMN — TIS 684

1. **Love will be our Lenten calling,
love to shake and shatter sin,
waking every closed, cold spirit,
stirring new life deep within,
till the quickened heart remembers
what our Easter birth can mean.**
2. **Peace will be our Lenten living
as we turn for home again,
longing for the words of pardon,
stripping off old grief and pain,
till we stand, restored and joyful,
with the Church on Easter day.**
3. **Truth will be our Lenten learning:
hear the Crucified One call!
Shadowed by the Saviour's passion,
images and idols fall,
and, in Easter's holy splendour,
God alone is all in all.**

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (10am only)

Choir: Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory!

Congregation: **Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory!**

Choir: God so loved the world that he gave his only Son: so that all who believe in him might have eternal life.

Congregation: **Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory!**

THE HOLY GOSPEL — JOHN 2:13-22

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

✠**Glory to you, ✠Lord Jesus ✠Christ**

The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money-changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money-changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, 'Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father's house a market-place!' His disciples remembered that it was written, 'Zeal for your house will consume me.' The Jews then said to him, 'What sign can you show us for doing this?' Jesus answered them, 'Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.' The Jews then said, 'This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?' But he was speaking of the temple of his body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

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

THE SERMON - 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 499 (*During the singing of this hymn, the gifts of bread, wine and money are brought to the altar*)

1. Lord Jesus, joy of loving hearts,
true fount of life, our lives sustain,
from any bliss that earth imparts
we turn unfilled to you again.
2. Your truth unchanged has ever stood,
you save all those who on you call,
to those yet seeking you are good,
to those who find you, all in all.
3. We taste you, Lord, the living bread,
and long to feast upon you still,
we drink of you, the fountainhead,
and thirst our souls from you to fill.
4. For you our restless spirits yearn,
whatever comes, until the last,
glad when your presence we discern,
blest when our faith can hold you fast.
5. For ever, Jesus, with us stay,
make all our moments calm and bright,
chase the dark night of sin away,
shed on this world your holy light.

Words: Anon., Latin, 12th cent. tr. Ray Palmer 1808-87 *alt.*
Tune: *Hereford*.

OFFERTORY PRAYERS

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COMMUNION (at 10am - G.F. Handel (1685-1759) *Lord, I trust thee*)

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HYMN — TIS 446

- 1 Glorious things of you are spoken,
Zion, city of our God:
he whose word cannot be broken
formed you for his own abode.
On the Rock of Ages founded,
what can shake your sure repose?
With salvation's walls surrounded,
you may smile at all your foes.
- 2 See, the streams of living waters,
springing from eternal love,
well supply your sons and daughters
and all fear of want remove:
who can faint while such a river
ever flows their thirst to assuage —
grace, which like the Lord the giver
never fails from age to age.

3 **Blest inhabitants of Zion,
washed in their Redeemer's blood:
Jesus, whom their souls rely on,
makes them kings and priests to God.
For his love his people raises
over self to reign as kings,
and as priests, his solemn praises
each for a thank-offering brings.**

Words: John Newton 1725–1807 *alt.* Tune: *Abbot's leigh*

4 **Saviour, since of Zion's city
I, through grace, a member am,
let the world deride or pity,
I will glory in your name:
fading are the worldlings' pleasures,
all their boasted pomp and show;
solid joys and lasting treasures
none but Zion's children know.**

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: John Morgan.

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 the Parish Office before 1.30pm on the **Tuesday** before the notice is to appear.*

Order of St Luke meets this Tuesday **6th March** at 2pm in the Mollison Room. All welcome. Enquiries to Fr. John Gibson 6161 2321.

Handicrafts. The next Handicrafts meeting will be at 2pm on Wednesday **7th March** at 33 Quiros Street, Red Hill. All welcome. Trish Levick 0414 953 749.

St David's Garage Sale St David's will be holding a garage sale on Saturday **17th March**. If you would like to contribute items, or are able to assist on the day, or in the preceding week with setup, please contact Joan Chynoweth on 6239 7056. You and your friends and neighbours are also encouraged to come along on the day and grab a bargain!

St Paul's Walking Group welcomes you to join us on a part of the National Walking Trail on Saturday, **17th March**. The walk, Hall to One Tree Hill (altitude 894 metres), is about 4.2 kms (1.5 hours) each way and provides stunning views of Gungahlin and Canberra. For the most part, it is a leisurely walk on a gentle incline until the last part where there are steps up to the summit. You do not need special clothing or equipment. Mostly we wear shorts or jeans, carry a bottle of water and lunch to eat on the summit, or whenever we feel like stopping for a rest. The walk will be led by Beverley and Tony Butterfield., ph. 6288 4718 or email butterfield@webone.com.au.

Sunday 18th March. The Bishops of the Anglican Church of Australia will be with us at 10am. The Primate is the celebrant and the new Archbishop of Perth, The Most Reverend Kay Goldsworthy, AO will be the preacher. The Bishops are in Canberra for a national meeting and the Rector is the Chaplain to their Conference.

Sanctuary teams. We still 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.

Morning tea on Sundays. We also need people to serve morning tea after the 10am service in May, June and July. If you can help out in those months please contact the office.

For your diary: Igitur Nos Chamber Choir will perform Bach's Passion According to St John at 3pm on Good Friday afternoon (30th March) at St Paul's. This will be a concert performance with exit by donation.

Nominations for Parish Council close today for: one Presiding Member of Parish Council, four Members of Parish Council, and one People's Warden. Nomination forms are available at the back of the church. Nominations must be received by noon, 4th March. Nominees should email a biography of no more than 200 words, together with a digital picture, to the office before 9am tomorrow.

NEXT SUNDAY –11TH MARCH - THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

LECTIONARY TEXTS: Numbers 21:4-9; Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22; Ephesians 2:1-10; John 3:14-21

8AM - ST PAUL'S

8.30AM - ST DAVID'S

10AM - ST PAUL'S

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The Rev'd Peter Malone

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