

# TWELFTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

31<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST 2014

ST PAUL'S: 8 & 10AM

ST DAVID'S 8.30 AM



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*Matthew 16:21-23*

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

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

**W**elcome! 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 Rev'd Dr Brian Douglas

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# Gathering in God's Name

**INTROIT (10AM ONLY - CHOIR)** Sir Henry Walford Davies (1869–1941) *Blest are the pure in heart*

## **HYMN — TIS 93**

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| <p><b>1 Praise the Lord, you heavens adore him;<br/>praise him angels in the height;<br/>sun and moon, rejoice before him,<br/>praise him, all you stars and light.<br/>Praise the Lord, for he has spoken,<br/>worlds his mighty voice obeyed:<br/>laws, that never shall be broken,<br/>for their guidance he has made.</b></p> | <p><b>2 Praise the Lord, for he is glorious;<br/>never shall his promise fail:<br/>God has made his saints victorious:<br/>sin and death shall not prevail.<br/>Praise the God of our salvation;<br/>hosts on high his power proclaim:<br/>heaven and earth, and all creation,<br/>praise and glorify his name</b></p> |
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Words: Anon., *Foundling Hospital Collection* 1796/1801 *alt.*  
Tune: *Austria*

*The service continues as normal*

## **SENTENCE (8.30 AM)**

**I**f you want to become a disciple of Jesus, deny yourself, take up your cross and follow him.

*Matthew 16:24–25*

## **COLLECT FOR THE DAY**

**O** God, whose Son has shown the way of the cross to be the way of life: transform and renew our minds that we may not be conformed to this world but may offer ourselves wholly to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Saviour; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

# The Ministry of the Word

## **A READING FROM EXODUS 3:1-15**

*Please be seated*

**M**oses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian; he led his flock beyond the wilderness, and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. There the angel of the LORD appeared to him in a flame of fire out of a bush; he looked, and the bush was blazing, yet it was not consumed. Then Moses said, 'I must turn aside and look at this great sight, and see why the bush is not burned up.' When the LORD saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, 'Moses, Moses!' And he said, 'Here I am.' Then he said, 'Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground.' He said further, 'I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.' And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God. Then the LORD said, 'I have observed the misery of my people who are in Egypt; I have heard their cry on account of their taskmasters. Indeed, I know their sufferings, and I have come down to deliver them from the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land to a good and broad land, a land flowing with milk and honey, to the country of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites. The cry of the Israelites has now come to me; I have also seen how the Egyptians oppress them. So come, I will send you to Pharaoh to bring my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt.' But Moses said to God, 'Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?' He said, 'I will be with you; and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain.' But Moses said to God, 'If I come to the Israelites and say

to them, “The God of your ancestors has sent me to you”, and they ask me, “What is his name?” what shall I say to them?’ God said to Moses, ‘I am who I am.’ He said further, ‘Thus you shall say to the Israelites, “I am has sent me to you.”’ God also said to Moses, ‘Thus you shall say to the Israelites, “The LORD, the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you”: This is my name for ever, and this my title for all generations.

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

**PSALM 105:1-6, 23-26** (*Said by the congregation in alternate verses at 8 am, by all the congregation at 8.30am and led by the choir at 10am*)

- 1 O give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name:  
tell among the peoples what things he has done.
- 2 **Sing to him, O sing praises:  
and be telling of all his marvellous works.**
- 3 Exult in his holy name:  
and let those that seek the Lord be joyful in heart.
- 4 **Seek the Lord and his strength:  
O seek his face continually.**
- 5 Call to mind what wonders he has done:  
his marvellous acts, and the judgements of his mouth,
- 6 **O seed of Abraham his servant:  
O children of Jacob his chosen one.**
- 23 Then Israel came into Egypt:  
and Jacob dwelt in the land of Ham.
- 24 **There the Lord made his people fruitful:  
too numerous for their enemies,**
- 25 Whose hearts he turned to hate his people:  
and to deal deceitfully with his servants.
- 26 **Then he sent Moses his servant:  
And Aaron whom he had chosen.**

#### **A READING FROM ROMANS 12:9-21**

**L**et love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; **L**outdo one another in showing honour. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, ‘Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.’ No, ‘if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads.’ Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

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

## HYMN — TIS 583

- 1 'Take up your cross,' the Saviour said,  
'if you would my disciple be;  
take up your cross with willing heart  
and humbly follow after me.'
- 2 Take up your cross; let not its weight  
Fill your weak spirit with alarm;  
his strength shall bear your spirit up  
and brace your heart and nerve your arm.
- 3 Take up your cross, nor heed the shame,  
and let your foolish pride be still:  
your Lord refused not even to die  
upon a cross, on Calvary's hill.
- 4 Take up your cross, then, in his strength  
and calmly every danger brave;  
it guides you to a better home  
and leads to victory o'er the grave.
- 5 Take up your cross and follow Christ,  
nor think till death to lay it down;  
for only those who bear the cross  
may hope to wear the glorious crown.

Words: Charles William Everest 1814-77 *alt.*  
Tune: *O Jesu Christ, Meins Lebens Licht*

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (10am only)

*Choir:* Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

*Congregation:* Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

*Choir:* May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, that we may know the hope that belongs to our call.

*Congregation:* Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

## THE HOLY GOSPEL — MATTHEW 16:21-28

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

✠Glory to you, ✠Lord Jesus ✠Christ

From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, 'God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you.' But he turned and said to Peter, 'Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling-block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.' Then Jesus told his disciples, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life? For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.'

For the Gospel of the Lord:

**praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

**THE SERMON - THE REV'D DR BRIAN DOUGLAS - ST PAUL'S**

**- THE REV'D SUSAN BRIDGE - ST DAVID'S**

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

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**OFFERTORY HYMN — TIS 650** (*During the singing of this hymn, the gifts of bread, wine and money are brought to the altar*)

1. Brother, sister, let me serve you,  
let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to  
let you be my servant too.
2. We are pilgrims on a journey  
and companions on the road;  
we are here to help each other  
walk the mile and bear the load.
3. I will hold the Christ-light for you  
in the night-time of your fear;  
I will hold my hand out to you,  
speak the peace you long to hear.
4. I will weep when you are weeping;  
when you laugh I'll laugh with you;  
I will share your joy and sorrow  
till we've seen this journey through.
5. When we sing to God in heaven  
we shall find such harmony,  
born of all we've known together  
of Christ's love and agony.
6. Brother, sister, let me serve you,  
let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to  
let you be my servant too.

Words: Richard Gillard 1953- . Tune: *The Servant Song* CCLI Licence 286646 (St Paul's) 286653 (St David's)

## OFFERTORY PRAYERS

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**COMMUNION** (at 10am: Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750) *Jesu, joy of man's desiring*)

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION - Page 143**

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**HYMN — TIS 571**

- 1 Forth in your name, O Lord, I go,  
my daily labour to pursue,  
you, Lord, alone resolved to know,  
in all I think, or speak, or do.
- 2 Each task your wisdom has assigned  
still let me cheerfully fulfil,  
in all my works your presence find,  
and prove your good and perfect will.
- 3 You may I set at my right hand,  
whose eyes my inmost substance view,  
and labour on at your command,  
and offer all my works to you.
- 4 Give me to bear your easy yoke,  
and every moment watch and pray,  
and still to things eternal look,  
and hasten to your glorious day;
- 5 for you delightfully employ  
all that your bounteous grace has given,  
and run my course with even joy,  
and closely walk with you to heaven.

Words: Charles Wesley 1707-88 *alt.*  
Tune: *Song 34*

## 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: Luke Ehrensperger, Monica Freeman, Joyce Howe, Lily Hughes, Rosemary King, Andrew Livingstone, Ella Nicholls, Barbara Osborne, Norma Rigby, Maria Soares. 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.*

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## 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.*

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**Llewellyn Choir concert.** At St Paul's at 2.30pm **today** the Llewellyn Choir is performing its Spring concert. More information: [www.llewellynchoir.org.au](http://www.llewellynchoir.org.au).

**Tapestry/Handicraft** group will be held on Wednesday **3<sup>rd</sup> September** commencing at 2 pm at the home of Jenny Hodge. The address is 108/19 State Circle, Forrest and telephone number 6161 3864.

**Women's fellowship.** This Thursday in the Mollison Room commencing at 11.30am. BYO lunch.

**Walking group.** Next walk on Saturday **September 6<sup>th</sup>**. A history walk through Bungendore, led by Tim Bailey. Meet car-park Bungendore railway station from 9.30 am. Depart on walk at 10 am. Eat lunch in town, and then visit the cemetery. There are sufficient places for a picnic lunch and cafes. Leader: Tim Bailey 6231 1141 or 0420 522 723.

**Bush Church Aid Event.** Rich Lanham will be speaking on *Do kids in country areas find it harder to meet Jesus?* on Saturday, **13<sup>th</sup> September** from 7pm to 9pm at Grace Chapel, Burgmann Anglican School (Cnr Gungahlin Drive & The Valley Avenue, Gungahlin). Coffee & cake will be available (donations towards the ministry of BCA). Contact Vika Ta'ofi: email [vika@bushchurcaid.com.au](mailto:vika@bushchurcaid.com.au) or 9262 5017.

**Community:** The Spring issue of *Community* is now available on St Paul's web site. This issue includes coverage of the Centenary Service celebrated at St Paul's on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August as an historical record of this significant event.

**During September** you can visit Grill'd restaurant in Manuka and vote for The Verandah. You get a bottle top with your burger which you can use to vote for one of three local community groups. Drop your bottle top into the Verandah's jar. If we have the most votes by the end of the month the restaurant will donate \$300.

**Meditation on Mondays** at St Alban's, Lyons. Every Monday between 1 and 3 pm there will be a free 20 minutes meditation session following quiet music and a short spiritual reflection. All welcome including those new to meditation. For further information contact Anthony Frost on email [antfrost@hotmail.com](mailto:antfrost@hotmail.com) or phone 0409 012543.

**Key holders.** The office is conducting a census of all church keys. If you hold any keys to the church or hall, please contact the office (preferably by email: [office@stpaulsmanuka.org.au](mailto:office@stpaulsmanuka.org.au)) confirming the keys that you hold (the numbers are written on them eg. 1-1, 2-3 etc) and the purpose for which you still require them. We would appreciate it if you would **return any keys you no longer require** as code numbers on our security system are extremely limited.

**Congratulations** to Kay Pendlebury who has now been licensed as a Lay Minister in the Parish.

**Northern Iraq Crisis Appeals.** **Anglican Overseas Aid** has launched an appeal to those affected by the brutal advance of ISIS militants. The Primate of Australia, the Most Reverend Dr Philip Freier, Archbishop of Melbourne, launched the Northern Iraq Crisis Appeal in Melbourne on August 13. Archbishop Freier said: "I have launched an appeal through Anglican Overseas Aid to help provide succour and relief for those fleeing the ISIS fighters. More than 200,000 people have been displaced in the past fortnight, including all the residents of Iraq's largest Christian town Qaraqosh and a large

number of the Yazidi minority group. Aid agencies cannot cope with the influx, and the suffering is immense... I ask Anglicans and others to give sacrificially.” The appeal will raise funds to support the work of ACT Alliance partners who are working to help those affected by this conflict. Their response includes the provision of emergency water supply, food, psycho-social support for trauma survivors, health and hygiene kits, cash assistance and more. You can donate to the Northern Iraq Crisis Appeal online at [www.anglicanoverseasaid.org.au](http://www.anglicanoverseasaid.org.au) or call 1800 249 880. Donations are tax deductible.

**World Vision** also has an Iraq Crisis appeal. You can donate to their appeal by donating at a branch of the ANZ bank. Bank details: ANZ - Branch: 420 St Kilda Road Melbourne 3000. (BSB): 013 423, Account Number: 310734464, Account Name: World Vision Australia Operating Account Bank reference / description: IRAQ (SUPPORTER # / Your name). Please retain your deposit slip for tax purposes. If possible, after the deposit has been made, please can you email [accounts@worldvision.com.au](mailto:accounts@worldvision.com.au) (ATTN: Dolly) with the following, so they can match the transactions easily: The amount transferred; bank reference / description; Date deposited.

### St Paul's fête 8<sup>th</sup> November

**Volunteers Required!** Are you able to help with this year's fête? There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church which provides details of the activities at this year's fête and contact details for each activity convener. If you are able to help, either getting things organised before or on the day, please sign-up so that we can make this year's fête a great success.

**Collectables:** Vintage ladies shoes, hats, handbags, gloves, belts, scarves and similar items sought for this stall. Please call Linda Klintworth on 62958887.

**Any white elephants?** Think now about what you can contribute for St Paul's Fete to be held on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November. Do you have white elephant items, jams, old woodworking tools, jewellery, craft, raffle items etc? Please put them aside ready for the fête. We will be accepting white elephant items from the 28<sup>th</sup> October.

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#### NEXT SUNDAY – 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER - THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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**LECTIONARY TEXTS:** Exodus 12:1-14; Psalm 149; Romans 13:1-10; Matthew 18:10-20

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