

DAY OF PENTECOST

24TH MAY 2015

ST PAUL'S: 8 & 10AM

ST DAVID'S: 8.30AM



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 Dr Brian Douglas

PREACHER

The Rev'd Susan Bridge

LITURGICAL ASSISTANT

Kay Pendlebury

INTERCESSOR

Kay Pendlebury

READER

Kay Pendlebury

SIDESPEOPLE

Joy & George Menham

BREAKFAST

Pauline Forster

ORGANIST

James Porteous

8.30AM - ST DAVID'S

CELEBRANT

The Rev'd John Campbell

PREACHER

The Rev'd John Campbell

LITURGICAL ASSISTANTS

Peter Morris,

Duncan Anderson

INTERCESSOR

Heather Schmitzer

SIDESPEOPLE & READERS

Glenn Rees,

Eleanor Scott-Findlay

MORNING TEA

Laurel Yeend, Gwen Benson

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Robert Goodrick

10AM - ST PAUL'S

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Setting at 10am: (choir):

Gathering in God's Name

INTROIT AT 10AM (Choir: Thomas Tallis (1505-1585) *If ye love me*)

If ye love me, keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another comforter, that he may abide with you forever; even the spirit of truth. (John 14:15-17)

HYMN TIS 414

1. **There's a spirit in the air,
telling Christians everywhere:
'Praise the love that Christ revealed,
living, working in our world.'**
2. **Lose your shyness, find your tongue,
tell the world what God has done:
God in Christ has come to stay.
Live tomorrow's life today.**
3. **When believers break the bread,
when a hungry child is fed,
praise the love that Christ revealed,
living, working in our world.**
5. **When a stranger's not alone,
where the homeless find a home,
praise the love that Christ revealed,
living, working in our world.**
6. **May the Spirit fill our praise,
guide our thoughts and change our ways:
God in Christ has come to stay.
Live tomorrow's life today.**
7. **There's a Spirit in the air,
calling people everywhere:
'Praise the love that Christ revealed,
living, working in our world.'**

Words: Brian Arthur Wren 1936- . Tune: *Lauds* CCLI Licence 286646 (St Paul's) 286653 (St David's)

The service continues on page 119.

SENTENCE

'A new heart I will give you, and a new spirit I will put within you,' says the Lord God; 'I will put my spirit within you and you shall live.'
Ezekiel 36:26; 37:14

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty God, you sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church: open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love, joy, and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Ministry of the Word

A READING FROM ACTS 2:1-21

Please be seated

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs — in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.' But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen

to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: "In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

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

PSALM 104:26-36 *(Said by the congregation in alternate verses at 8am, by all the congregation at 8.30am and led by the choir at 10am)*

26 Lord, how various are your works:

in wisdom you have made them all, and the earth is full of your creatures.

27 **There is the wide, immeasurable sea:**

there move living things without number, great and small;

28 There go the ships, to and fro:

and there is that Leviathan whom you formed to sport in the deep.

29 **These all look to you:**

to give them their food in due season.

30 When you give it to them, they gather it:

when you open your hand they are satisfied with good things.

31 **When you hide your face, they are troubled:**

when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.

32 When you send forth your spirit they are created:

and you renew the face of the earth.

33 **May the glory of the Lord endure for ever:**

may the Lord rejoice in his works.

34 If he look upon the earth, it shall tremble:

if he but touch the mountains, they shall smoke.

35 **I will sing to the Lord as long as I live:**

I will praise my God while I have any being.

36 May my meditation be pleasing to him:

for my joy shall be in the Lord.

A READING FROM ROMANS 8:22-27

We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labour pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience. Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

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thanks be to God

HYMN — TIS 413

1. Holy Spirit, come confirm us
in the truth that Christ makes known;
we have faith and understanding
through your helping gifts alone.
2. Holy Spirit, come console us,
come as advocate to plead,
loving Spirit from the Father,
grant in Christ the help we need.
3. Holy Spirit, come renew us,
come yourself to make us live:
holy, through your loving presence,
holy, through the gifts you give.
4. Holy Spirit, come possess us,
you the love of Three in One,
Holy Spirit of the Father,
Holy Spirit of the Son.

Words: William Brian Foley 1919– . Tune: *All for Jesus*. LicenSing licence No: 620243 (St Paul's), 621476 (St David's)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (10am only)

Choir: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Congregation: **Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia**

Choir: Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the faithful: and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Congregation: **Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia**

THE HOLY GOSPEL — JOHN 15:26-27, 16:4B-15

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

✠Glory to you, ✠Lord Jesus ✠Christ

‘**W**hen the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning. But I have said these things to you so that when their hour comes you may remember that I told you about them... ‘I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. But now I am going to him who sent me; yet none of you asks me, “Where are you going?” But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts. Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. And when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgement: about sin, because they do not believe in me; about righteousness, because I am going to the Father and you will see me no longer; about judgement, because the ruler of this world has been condemned. ‘I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

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

THE SERMON - ST PAUL'S - THE REV'D SUSAN BRIDGE

- ST DAVID'S - THE REV'D JOHN CAMPBELL

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

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The PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE - Page 124

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION - Pages 155-6 and then page 126

THE GREETING OF PEACE - Page 127

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY HYMN — TIS 572 (*During the singing of this hymn, the gifts of bread, wine and money are brought to the altar*)

- 1 O thou who camest from above
the pure celestial fire to impart,
kindle a flame of sacred love
on the mean altar of my heart.
- 2 There let it for thy glory burn
with inextinguishable blaze,
and trembling to its source return,
in humble prayer and fervent praise.
- 3 Jesus, confirm my heart's desire
to work, and speak, and think for thee;
still let me guard the holy fire,
and still stir up thy gift in me,
- 4 ready for all thy perfect will,
my acts of faith and love repeat,
till death thy endless mercies seal,
and make the sacrifice complete.

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

OFFERTORY PRAYERS

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING - Page 156 and then page 128

COMMUNION (at 10am: Antonio Vivaldi (1678-1741) *Cum Sancto Spiritu* from *Gloria* RV 589)
Cum Sancto Spiritu in gloria Dei Patris. Amen.

With the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION - Page 156 and then page 143

BLESSING - Page 156

HYMN — TIS 430

1. Your words to me are life and health;
pour strength into my soul;
enable, guide, and teach my heart
to reach its perfect goal.
2. Your words to me are light and truth;
from day to day they show
their wisdom, passing human thought,
as in their truth I grow.
3. Your words to me are full of joy,
of beauty, peace, and grace;
from them I learn your blessed will,
through them I see your face.
4. Your words are perfected in One,
yourself, the living Word;
within my heart your image print
in clearest lines, O Lord.

Words: George Currie Martin 1865–1937 *alt.* Tune: *Capel*

DISMISSAL

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

Please remember in your prayers: *The Sick*: David Bond, Monica Freeman, Rosemary King, Ella Nicholls, Barbara Osborne.

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.

Flowers. The beautiful flowers in St Paul's today were donated by Lesley Jemeson in loving memory of her husband Ron.

Mindfulness walk at 7.15am tomorrow. Meet at Art Oven Bakery Flinders Street. All welcome.

Discovery Group will meet next Wednesday **27th May** at 10.30 am for morning tea at La Rendezvous Café at Manuka Court (between Bougainville Street & Palmerston Lane). Members of St Paul's & St David's have a chance to meet for morning tea on the last Wednesday of each month. This is a most enjoyable time when parishioners can meet and chat informally. The morning tea follows St Paul's 10 o'clock service which you are most welcome to attend.

Walking Group. Next walk Saturday **30th May**. Gibraltar rocks revisited. An afternoon walk to this much visited but beautiful spot. A steep steady uphill climb - but we'll take it slowly. Meet at the Tidbinbilla Visitors' Centre at 1 pm. Refreshments back at the cars. Leader Sally Dakin 6295 7835.

Tapestry/Handicraft Group will meet at the home of Jenny Hodge on Wednesday **3rd June** commencing at 2 pm. The address is 108/19 State Circle, Forrest, Telephone number 6161 3864.

EfM Interludes. The new EfM curriculum includes two fortnights when we all read the same short(ish) books and discuss them. This year's EfM group extends an invitation to past students of EfM to join them for these evenings. Interlude 1 is **8 and 15 June**, text for discussion Christopher Bryan, *And God Spoke: The Authority of the Bible for the Church Today*. Interlude 2 is **12 and 19 October**, text for discussion William Countryman, *Living on the Border of the Holy*. You will need to buy copies and read them beforehand: they are readily available on the internet. Contact Michael Richards (6227 5769) or Kay Pendlebury (6297 8587) for details.

The Rector will be collated by the Bishop as the Archdeacon of South Canberra on Sunday **21st June** at Choral Evensong. Please plan to be present at this parish event.

Carpenter's Kids Entertainment Books. The 2015-2016 *Entertainment Books* have arrived with discounts on shopping, dining and attractions in Canberra and beyond. Orders (\$60) can now be made at: www.entbook.com.au/2742u2. This link is on the St Paul's website as the first item under the "Overseas Outreach Program" tab. If you select a book option and the option to "pickup" you can collect your order from the St Paul's office (9.30 to 1.30 weekdays). Digital phone apps require online ordering. Thank you to those who have already ordered and supported this Carpenter's Kids fundraiser!

Pianists. Can you play simple hymns on the piano? Susan is looking for people to join the flexible roster to help on the first Monday of the month at 1pm at Morling Lodge in Red Hill or on the first Tuesday of the month at 2pm at Jindalee in Narrabundah. If you know of someone who might help out, please let Susan know. We have a small hymn book of favourites, and we are not looking for brilliance. See Susan if you have an hour you could offer once a month or every second month.

Anglicare Winter Pantry Appeal runs from 21st May until 27th June. Anglicare is looking for volunteers to fill 3 hour shifts in shopping centres. To volunteer go to www.anglicare.com.au/volunteer-roster2015 and book a timeslot on the online roster or alternatively call Nikki Hinton on 6278 8447. For more details see the notice in the Mollison Room or call Penelope Lowery 6298 3929.

Anglican Overseas Aid Nepal Earthquake Appeal. AOA is supporting emergency response efforts by their ACT Alliance partners in Nepal who are helping those affected by the recent devas-

tating earthquake. Please donate to their Nepal Earthquake Appeal via anglicanoverseasaid.org.au or Freecall 1800 249 880. This will help provide emergency support including shelter, water, food, medical support and psycho-social activities (helping people to process the emotional/psychological impact of the disaster). For more information please contact AOA directly or call Les Böhm, our AOA Parish Contact, on 0407031736 or email les.bohm@gmail.com.

Canberra Refugee Support's annual fundraising dinner will be held at the Hellenic Club on Thursday **11th June** at 6.30pm for 7.00pm. Guest speaker is Jon Stanhope, former ACT Chief Minister who will have interesting insights after his time on Christmas Island. Cost is \$70 per person for a two course dinner. Drinks from the bar – pay as you go. Book at <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/crs-dinner-11615-tickets-16461316240>. For more information: Claudia Hyles on claudiahyles@bigpond.com You are welcome to join Claudia's table.

Arts Foundation. The damage to the organ has been repaired following a parishioner's donation of \$10,000 to the Arts Foundation. As tax time approaches, parishioners are reminded that all donations to the Parish of Manuka Arts Foundation are tax deductible.

Kairos vigil. Anne Maybanks will be leading a course this weekend on the South Coast for people interested in Prison Ministry. All such courses are surrounded in prayer, and Anne is asking for help to cover the half hour timeslots. For 3 Day On-line Prayer Vigil. <http://www.3dayol.org/Vigil/GetVigil.phtml?pvid=10933&commid=1022>

Visit the Holy Land. The Rev'd Michael Armstrong (formerly of St Luke's) will be leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land next April. The tour focus will be on walking in the footsteps of the greats of scripture and sitting in holy places where pilgrims have come for centuries to pray. Featuring: Tel Aviv, Joppa, Caesarea, Galilee, Nazareth Village, Golan Heights, Acco, Megiddo, Beit Shean, Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Jericho, Masada and the Dead Sea. The price will be \$7249 (per person twin share) and bookings/enquiries can be made with Trish Cortizo on 1300 550 830 or trish@olivetretravel.com.au.

NEXT SUNDAY – 31ST MAY - TRINITY SUNDAY

LECTIONARY TEXTS: Isaiah 6:1-8; Psalm 29; Romans 8:12-17; John 3:1-17

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