

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

5TH JULY 2015

ST PAUL'S: 8 & 10AM

ST DAVID'S: 8.30AM



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Mark 6:2

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 Robert Willson

PREACHER

The Venerable Dr Brian Douglas

LITURGICAL ASSISTANT

Christine May

INTERCESSOR

Rob May

READER

Claudia Hyles

SIDESPEOPLE

Robyn Schleiger

BREAKFAST

Rob & Christine May

ORGANIST

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8.30AM - ST DAVID'S

CELEBRANT

The Rev'd John Campbell

PREACHER

The Rev'd John Campbell

LITURGICAL ASSISTANTS

Duncan Anderson,

Adrian Dennison

INTERCESSOR

Amanda Lynch

SIDESPEOPLE & READERS

Eleanor Scott-Findlay

Beverley McLeod

MORNING TEA

Patricia Mulcare,

Suzanne Curtis

ORGANIST

Robert Goodrick

10AM - ST PAUL'S

CELEBRANT

The Rev'd Susan Bridge

PREACHER

The Venerable Dr Brian Douglas

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The Venerable John Gibson

PRIEST ASSISTING

The Rev'd Hartley Hansford

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Gathering in God's Name

HYMN TIS 547

1.
Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,
naught be all else to me, save that thou art
thou my best thought, by day or by night,
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.
2.
Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word;
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;
thou my great Father, thy child let me be;
thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.
3.
Be thou my armour, my sword for the fight,
be thou my dignity, thou my delight;
thou my soul's shelter and thou my high tower;
raise thou me heaven ward, O Power of my power.
4.
Riches I scorn and the world's empty praise,
thou my inheritance, now and always:
thou and thou only the first in my heart;
high King of heaven, my treasure thou art.
5.
High King of heaven, after victory won,
may I reach heaven's joys,
O bright heaven's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O ruler of all.

Words from *The Poem Book of the Gael* Gaelic c.8th cent.
tr. Mary Elizabeth Byrne 1880–1931 versified by Eleanor
Henrietta Hull 1860–1935 alt. Tune: *Slane* (1)

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SENTENCE

Of Jesus many said, 'What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands!' *Mark 6:2*

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

O Lord our God, you are always more ready to bestow your good gifts upon us than we are to seek them; and more willing to give than we desire or deserve: in our every need, grant us the first and best of all your gifts, the Spirit who makes us your children. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Ministry of the Word

A READING FROM 2 SAMUEL 5:1-5, 9-10

Please be seated

THEN all the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron, and said, 'Look, we are your bone and flesh. For some time, while Saul was king over us, it was you who led out Israel and brought it in. The LORD said to you: It is you who shall be shepherd of my people Israel, you who shall be ruler over Israel.' So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron; and King David made a covenant with them at Hebron before the LORD, and they anointed David king over Israel. David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned for forty years. At Hebron he reigned over Judah for seven years and six months; and at Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah for thirty-three years... David occupied the stronghold, and named it the city of David. David built the city all around from the Millo inwards. And David became greater and greater, for the LORD, the God of hosts, was with him.

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

PSALM 48 (*Said by the congregation in alternate verses at 8am, by all the congregation at 8.30am and led by the choir at 10am*)

- 1 Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised:
in the city of our God.
- 2 **High and beautiful is his holy hill:
it is the joy of all the earth.**
- 3 On Mount Zion, where godhead truly dwells, stands the city of the Great King:
God is well known in her palaces as a sure defence.
- 4 **For the kings of the earth assembled:
they gathered together and came on;**
- 5 They saw, they were struck dumb:
they were astonished and fled in terror.
- 6 **Trembling took hold on them, and anguish:
as on a woman in her travail;**
- 7 Like the breath of the east wind:
that shatters the ships of Tarshish.
- 8 **As we have heard, so have we seen in the city of the Lord of hosts:
in the city of our God, which God has established for ever.**
- 9 We have called to mind your loving-kindness, O God:
in the midst of your temple.
- 10 **As your name is great, O God, so also is your praise:
even to the ends of the earth.**
- 11 Your right hand is full of victory – let Zion's hill rejoice:
let the daughters of Judah be glad, because of your judgements.
- 12 **Walk about Zion, go round about her, and count all her towers:
consider well her ramparts, pass through her palaces;**
- 13 That you may tell those who come after that such is God:
our God for ever and ever, and he will guide us eternally.

A READING FROM 2 CORINTHIANS 12:2-10

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven – whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person – whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows – was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given to me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.' So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

For the word of the Lord,

thanks be to God

HYMN — TIS 549

1. In Christ there is no east or west,
in him no south or north,
but one great fellowship of love
throughout the whole wide earth.
2. In Christ shall true hearts everywhere
their high communion find,
his service is the golden cord
close-binding humankind.
3. Join hands, then, people of the faith,
whate'er your race may be;
who serves my Father as his child
is surely kin to me.
4. In Christ now meet both east and west,
in him meet south and north,
all Christlike souls are one in him
throughout the whole wide earth.

Words: William Arthur Dunkerley ('John Oxenham') 1852–1941 *alt.*
Tune: *St Bernard*

THE HOLY GOSPEL — MARK 6:1-13

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

✠Glory to you, ✠Lord Jesus ✠Christ

He left that place and came to his home town, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, 'Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?' And they took offence at him. Then Jesus said to them, 'Prophets are not without honour, except in their home town, and among their own kin, and in their own house.' And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief. Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, 'Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.' So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

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

THE SERMON - ST PAUL'S - THE VENERABLE DR BRIAN DOUGLAS

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

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

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY HYMN — TIS 717 (*During the singing of this hymn, the gifts of bread, wine and money are brought to the altar*)

Give thanks with a grateful heart,
give thanks to the Holy One,
give thanks because he's given
Jesus Christ his Son.

Give thanks with a grateful heart,
give thanks to the Holy One,
give thanks because he's given
Jesus Christ his Son.

And now let the weak say, 'I am strong,
'let the poor say,
'I am rich because of what the Lord has done
for us.

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And now let the weak say, 'I am strong,
'let the poor say,
'I am rich because of what the Lord has done
for us.

Give thanks, give thanks.

Words: Henry Smith 1952- . . . Tune: *Give thanks*.
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HYMN — TIS 531

1. Sent forth by God's blessing, our true faith confessing,
the people of God from his table take leave.
The supper is ended: may now be extended
the fruits of his service in all who believe.
The seed of his teaching, our hungry souls reaching,
shall blossom in action for all humankind.
His grace shall incite us, his love shall unite us
to work for his kingdom, his purpose to find.
2. With praise and thanksgiving to God ever-living
the tasks of our everyday life we will face,
our faith ever sharing, in love ever caring,
embracing as neighbours all those of each race.
One feast that has fed us, one light that has led us,
unite us as one in his life that we share.
Then may all the living, with praise and thanksgiving,
give honour to Christ and his name that we bear.

Words: William Walsham How 1823-97 *alt.* Tune: *The Ash Grove*

DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

Please remember in your prayers: The Sick: David Bond, Judy Dau, Monica Freeman, 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.

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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.*

The beautiful flowers in St Paul's today are in memory of Lloyd and David Thearle.

Mondays 8.30am. Morning Prayer in the Mollison Room. All welcome. Combine with the mindfulness walk or not as you prefer. Mindfulness walk now Mondays at 9am. Meet at the Parish Office.

Discovery @ St Paul's is pleased to announce that Susan Bridge will be the guest speaker at the next meeting on Wednesday, **15th July** at 11 am. Susan has made a marked impression on the Parish during her time with us, and with Outreach, so before she leaves come and hear her outline some of her plans for the future. Please join us for an enjoyable get-together as Susan has touched the lives of so many of us in many ways. Morning tea is available from 10.30am onwards. All welcome.

St David's Mid-winter film, pie and soup night. All are invited to attend this happy function on Saturday **18th July**, 6pm at St David's. The film is the celebrated and moving *The Browning Version*.

Carpenter's Kids Entertainment Books. 2015-2016 *Entertainment Books* with discounts on shopping, dining and attractions are still available. The book is \$60. Place your order at: www.entbook.com.au/2742u2. A 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.

Anglican Overseas Aid (AOA) *Helping in Hard Places – End of Financial Year Appeal 2015.* Support our Anglican partners as they help in hard places. This year our appeal shines a light on the work of our partners who give of themselves in the face of enormous challenges, remaining faithful in their tasks and are inspired by the way Jesus loves and affirms all people. Visit www.anglicanoverseasaid.org.au for information. To donate: fill in the form at the back of the church and return it to the address on the form, donate securely online at www.anglicanoverseasaid.org.au or call AOA on 1800 249 880. Contact our local AOA Ambassador Les Böhm for more information on mobile 0407031736, home on 61614963 or les.bohm@gmail.com.

Date for your diary. An Anglican Overseas Aid (AOA) Fork & Talk: **Sunday 23rd August.** The Rev'd Dr Bob Mitchell, CEO of AOA, will talk about the important work of his agency, including the recent humanitarian emergencies in Vanuatu and Nepal. He will also discuss some of the implications of the Australian government's foreign aid policy, and its impact on the work of Australian NGOs.

AOA undertakes international development programs principally through Anglican partner agencies in Africa, the Middle East and the Pacific. There will be opportunity for discussion and questions. In St Paul's Hall commencing at 12 noon. Bring a plate to share. Punch supplied. Donation: \$15/head, \$40 family. Funds raised will go to the AOA Nepal Emergency Appeal. Please contact Les Böhm for seating: 61614963, mobile 0407031736 or les.bohm@gmail.com.

Visit the Holy Land. The Rev'd Michael Armstrong (formerly of St Luke's) will again be leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land on **4-21 April 2016**. The tour focus will be on walking in the footsteps of the greats of scripture and the many saints who have followed 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.

Deep and lasting foundations & Historybytes. These books, *Deep and lasting foundations* edited by Kevin Stone and Charles Body (\$30); and *Historybytes* edited by Robert Willson (\$10) are available for purchase from the Parish Office. Please have the correct money available for purchase. *Deep and lasting foundations* is a thumbnail sketch of the parishes of the Diocese and provides information about our parishes and how they came into existence. *Historybytes* are popular articles published in *Anglican News* featuring interesting, obscure and sometimes unlikely subjects from the earlier years of the Diocese.

The Verandah is seeking more volunteers. If you could help to distribute food parcels for two hours on the fourth Sunday of the month please speak to Susan. Also, we are looking for someone to co-ordinate the purchase of supplies (we have people happy to do the actual shopping). This might take an hour a fortnight. If you think you might like to undertake this task please speak to Susan who can give you more details.

NEXT SUNDAY – 12TH JULY - SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

LECTIONARY TEXTS: 2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19; Psalm 24; Ephesians 1:1-14; Mark 6:14-29

8AM - ST PAUL'S

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8.30AM - ST DAVID'S

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INTERCESSOR
Tony Ralli
SIDESPEOPLE & READERS
John Mather, Irene Mather
MORNING TEA
Lillian Lander, Pat Garnett
ORGANIST
Robert Goodrick

10AM - ST PAUL'S

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