The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 26 August 2018

Welcome to Southwark Cathedral.

We are a community that seeks to enfold all people in the love of God. If you wish to speak to a priest after the service, if you wish to find a corner to pray, if you wish simply to find some peace, please feel free and welcome to do so.

Communicant members of all denominations are welcome to receive Communion at this service; please come forward as directed by the Stewards. If you do not wish to receive Communion but would like a blessing, please bring the service booklet with you.

Participation. If you have been a regular at the Cathedral for six months or more, please ensure that your name is added to the Cathedral Electoral Roll – ask Stewards for details or email cathedral@southwark. anglican.org

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Visitors are asked to use the yellow envelope for their offering towards the work and worship of the Cathedral. If you are a UK taxpayer, please complete the details on the envelope to enable us to claim back the tax as Gift Aid. (Cheques to Southwark Cathedral.) An inclusive Christian community growing in orthodox faith and radical love

Children and young people during the II.00am Eucharist:

Accompanied under-4s: Crèche with play mats, toys, songs and stories in the Education Centre.

JuniorXpress I and 2 and YouthXpress are on their summer break.

Following the Choral Eucharist tea and coffee are served.

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Concerns can be brought to any member of the clergy.

Today's Services

8.30am Morning Prayer - Southwark Cathedral

Officiant Canon Dr Mandy Ford, Chancellor **Readings** Psalm 115; Jonah 2; Revelation 1

9.00am Eucharist – Southwark Cathedral

Preacher Canon Dr Mandy Ford, Chancellor **Readings** Joshua 24. 1–2a, 14–18; Ephesians 6. 10–20; John 6. 56–69

9.30am Eucharist - St Hugh's

Preacher The Very Reverend Andrew Nunn, Dean

11.00am Choral Eucharist – Southwark Cathedral

President Canon Leanne Roberts, Treasurer Preacher Canon Dr Mandy Ford, Chancellor Setting Missa Brevis · Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

Stand Entrance Hymn NEH 366

God of mercy, God of grace, Show the brightness of thy face: Shine upon us, Saviour, shine, Fill thy Church with light divine; And thy saving health extend Unto earth's remotest end.

Let the people praise thee, Lord; Be by all that live adored: Let the nations shout and sing, Glory to their Saviour King; At thy feet their tributes pay, And thy holy will obey. Let the people praise thee, Lord; Earth shall then her fruits afford; God to man his blessing give, Man to God devoted live; All below, and all above, One in joy, and light, and love.

Henry Francis Lyte

First Reading

Sit

Joshua 24. I-2a, I4-18

Read by Elizabeth James.

A reading from the book of Joshua.

Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel to Shechem, and summoned the elders, the heads, the judges, and the officers of Israel; and they presented themselves before God. And Joshua said to all the people, 'Now therefore revere the Lord, and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness; put away the gods that your ancestors served beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the Lord. Now if you are unwilling to serve the Lord, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served in the region beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.'

Then the people answered, 'Far be it from us that we should forsake the Lord to serve other gods; for it is the Lord our God who brought us and our ancestors up from the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, and who did those great signs in our sight. He protected us along all the way that we went, and among all the peoples through whom we passed; and the Lord drove out before us all the peoples, the Amorites who lived in the land. Therefore we also will serve the Lord, for he is our God.'

This is the word of the Lord **Thanks be to God.**

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Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 34. 15-end

At the beginning the response is played by the organist, sung by the choir and then sung by the congregation. It is sung once by all at \mathbf{R} below.



The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous and his ears are open to their cry.
The face of the Lord is against those who do evil, to root out the remembrance of them from the earth. R
The righteous cry and the Lord hears them and delivers them out of all their troubles.
The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and will save those who are crushed in spirit. R
Many are the troubles of the righteous; from them all will the Lord deliver them.
He keeps all their bones, so that not one of them is broken. R
But evil shall slay the wicked and those who hate the righteous will be condemned.

The Lord ransoms the life of his servants

and will condemn none who seek refuge in him. R

Second Reading

Ephesians 6. 10-20

Read by Nnewima Nwafor Orizu.

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Ephesians.

Be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Put on the whole armour of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armour of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

Pray in the Spirit at all times in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints. Pray also for me, so that when I speak, a message may be given to me to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it boldly, as I must speak.

This is the word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**.

Stand Gospel Acclamation

Gospel Sentence

All who see the Son and believe in him will have eternal life, says the Lord, and I will raise them up on the last day.

Gospel John 6. 56–69

Jesus said to the crowd:

'Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever.' He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum. When many of his disciples heard it, they said, 'This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?' But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, 'Does this offend you? Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. But among you there are some who do not believe.' For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. And he said, 'For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father.'

Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. So Jesus asked the twelve, 'Do you also wish to go away?' Simon Peter answered him, 'Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.'

Sit Sermon

Canon Dr Mandy Ford, Chancellor

Chorale Prelude

Sit Intercessions

Led by Simon Allatt.

Offertory Anthem

O hearken thou · Edward Elgar

Stand Offertory Hymn NEH 471

> We love the place, O God, Wherein thine honour dwells; The joy of thine abode All earthly joy excels.

We love the house of prayer, Wherein thy servants meet; And thou, O Lord, art there Thy chosen flock to greet.

We love thine altar, Lord; O, what on earth so dear! For there, in faith adored, We find thy presence near.

We love the word of life, The word that tells of peace, Of comfort in the strife, And joys that never cease.

Lord Jesus, give us grace On earth to love thee more, In heaven to see thy face, And with thy saints adore.

William Bullock and Henry Williams Baker

Stand Eucharistic Prayer Prayer B

Stand Final Hymn

NEH 359 (tune NEH 322)

Fight the good fight with all thy might, Christ is thy strength, and Christ thy right; Lay hold on life, and it shall be Thy joy and crown eternally.

Run the straight race through God's good grace, Lift up thine eyes, and seek his face; Life with its way before us lies, Christ is the path, and Christ the prize.

Cast care aside, upon thy Guide Lean, and his mercy will provide; Lean, and the trusting soul shall prove Christ is its life, and Christ its love.

Faint not nor fear, his arms are near, He changeth not, and thou art dear; Only believe, and thou shalt see That Christ is all in all to thee.

John Samuel Bewley Monsell

3.00pm Choral Evensong – Southwark Cathedral

Readings Exodus 4. 27 – 5. 1; Hebrews 13. 16–21 Setting in D · Francis Jackson Responses Richard Ayleward Psalm 116. 11–end Anthem St Patrick's Evensong · Francis Jackson Hymns NEH 148 (omit v. 2,3,5,6); CP 447 Preacher The Very Reverend Andrew Nunn, Dean

Hymn

CP 447 (tune NEH 490 Rhuddlan)

God of freedom, God of justice, God whose love is strong as death, God who saw the dark of prison, God who knew the price of faith: touch our world of sad oppression with your Spirit's healing breath.

Rid the earth of torture's terror, God whose hands were nailed to wood; hear the cries of pain and protest, God who shed the tears and blood; move in us the power of pity, restless for the common good.

Make in us a captive conscience quick to hear, to act, to plead; make us truly sisters, brothers, of whatever race or creed: teach us to be fully human, open to each other's need.

Shirley Erena Murray

6.00pm Compline and Eucharistic Devotions – Southwark Cathedral

See separate booklet.

Prayers

All those for whom prayers have been asked this week:

Frances Goodchild, Dinah Kormi, Ruth Mackenzie, Brian Kendall, River Williams, Gill Taylor, Naomi Caplin, Gilly Myers, Kes Grant, Jacqueline Webb, Art Barron, Ionathan Coore, Naomi Shaw, Beryl Charlton, Lena Renwick, Benjamin Modu, Catherine Payne, Robert Jardon, Sarah Rawlins, Minal Modi, Joan Lawrence, Elisabeth Dunman, Robert Pyne, John Noble, Nathan Clegg, Jennifer Barter, Phyllis Still, Nigel Skayman, Brandon Hawkins, Sally Hollowell, Jean Terrieux, Mary Cooper, Jay Colwill, Angie Brown, Sally Silver, Marion Marples, Alison Morgan, Linda Scott Garnet, Brooke Gregory, Frances Livesey, Gwen and Herbert Peck.

The Departed

Michael Marr, Isobel Hankin, Eileen Payne, Chuck Blakenship, Christopher Timms, Charles Powell, George Polek, Br. Giles, Kofi Annan.

Mission allocation partners for August

<u>Link Age Southwark:</u> A request from a trustee and personal befriender for this local support group for the elderly.

<u>Hospice Africa Uganda:</u> Hospice Africa works to relieve physical, psychological, emotional and spiritual suffering of those with cancer and patients with HIV.

<u>More information:</u> southwarkcathedral. org.uk/community/Mission-allocation

If you are ill or in hospital

Please do let us know so that the Cathedral community can pray for you and we can be in touch. Please contact the Sub Dean, michael.rawson@ southwark.anglican.org

Today

Welcome to Wulfrun Singers

who are singing today's Choral Eucharist and Evensong.

Contactless Donation

We are now able to receive your offering using a debit or credit card, Apple or Android Pay.

If you would like to use this please see a Cathedral Warden, Matthew or Daniel, near the doors to the link after the service. They have a sign saying 'Contactless Offering'.

Notice about corbels

On Monday 20 August three of the four new corbels – those depicting PC Wayne Marques, the suffragist Evelyn Sharp and Doorkins, our cat – were installed into the north side of the choir aisle in Humphrey's Yard. Do go and see them in place. They are a wonderful addition to the building and the story it tells. Renewed thanks to the donors and the stone carvers whose work they are. The Borough Market corbel has yet to be installed on the south side of the Cathedral.

This Week's Services

Tuesday to Friday

8.00am Morning Prayer8.15am Eucharist12.30pm Midday Prayer12.45pm Eucharist4.00pm Evening Prayer

Monday 27 August Saturday I September

9am Morning Prayer 9.15am Eucharist 4.00pm Choral Evensong

Sunday 2 September The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.30am Morning Prayer 9.00am Eucharist Preacher: Canon Leanne Roberts, Treasurer

9.30am Eucharist at St Hugh's

II.00am Choral Eucharist Preacher: Canon Leanne Roberts, Treasurer

3pm Choral Evensong Preacher: Canon Wendy Robins

6.00pm Traditional Rite Eucharist

Summer Offices at Southwark Cathedral

Please note that for the summer months all weekday evening offices take place at 4.00pm until Friday 31 August inclusive.

Things to do this week

Exhibitions

Fire 1212 – Ceramics by Alison Cooke Lancelot's Link

The Great Fire of Southwark burned for ten days in July 1212. Many people died on London Bridge as the inferno crossed the River Thames to the City of London, having razed the Priory of St. Mary Overie on the present day site of Southwark Cathedral.

Two days after the fire was extinguished, the first Mayor of the City of London, Henry Fitz Ailwin, decreed that all thatched roofs of London must be plastered or pulled down and new builds use non-flammable clay tiles.

These ceramic artworks by artist Alison Cooke commemorate Southwark's forgotten disaster. The pieces are made of London clay dug from the same Thames-side seam that was excavated for the new roof tiles demanded by Mayor Ailwin in 1212.

Like the London of that year, the clay has been burned in a fire fuelled by wood and straw. Archetypes and Archives: A vision of Britain as seen through the lens of Church of England Information Office Churchyard

Features images drawn from a collection of around 9000 B&W photographic negatives from Church of England Record Centre collections uncovered in 2013

Taken between 1960 and 1967 by W.R. Hawes, the Church of England's Information Office's official photographer, it was envisaged that these images of relevant, often symbolic, views of everyday life would be used to create a picture library representing the Church's activities, actions and teachings.

Sometimes funny, often thought provoking and always of interest, the images as a whole provide a snapshot of life in Britain during the 1960s, a time of major change and upheaval.

Southwark Cathedral is delighted that 'Archetypes and Archives' will be on display in the Cathedral Churchyard until the end of September.

Summer in the Courtyard

We've given the Millennium Courtyard a mini make-over so that you can relax, chat and soak up the sunshine in The Refectory café while enjoying some al fresco dining this summer.

Try out our new sensational summer cocktails, smoothies and coolers served

from our latest addition: Violet, our Citroën van bar.

Look forward to lunch-time and evening BBQs with a delicious range of burgers, sausages, glazed meats and delicious, fresh seasonal salads and lots of tasty extras, too.

The Millennium Courtyard is located on the riverside of Southwark Cathedral.

Group bookings: 0797 9744 737

Tuesday 28 August 3.15pm Music Recital by The Buck Brass Trio.

Wednesday 29 August 7–8.30pm Evening Guided Tour of Southwark Cathedral

Explore the 900 years of religious life in this one hour tour.

<u>Tickets:</u> £8, from cathedraltour29august.eventbrite.co.uk

Friday 31 August 11.00am **Mothers' Union Wave of Prayer**

The Cathedral with St Hugh's Mothers' Union will hold their annual Wave of Prayer service in the Harvard Chapel. All Mothers' Union members who are free at this time are asked to attend, to support the Branch members taking part in the service. All Clergy, Staff and Congregation members are invited to join. Friday 31 August 7–8.30pm The River Thames – Myths and Legends

Storyteller and musician George Hoyle will uncover the myths and legends associated with the River Thames.

<u>Tickets:</u> £5, from riverthamesmyths. eventbrite.co.uk

Saturday I September II.00am–5.00pm **Firing on the Foreshore**

As part of the Totally Thames Festival 2018 Edith Slee will be leading an event on the foreshore by Tate Modern in which clay pots will be fired.

<u>More information:</u> totallythames.org/ event/firing-on-the-foreshore-2018

Sunday I September 4.00pm

Connected Meeting

Connected is a group for those from age 18–30. Next Sunday we're meeting after Evensong in Lancelot's Link for drinks and a chat at a local hostelry.

<u>More Information:</u> Simon Allatt, allattsimon@gmail.com.

Future Events and Services

Monday 3 September 1.10pm **Organ Recital** by Daniel Cook, Durham Cathedral.

Tuesday 4 September 3.15pm

Music Recital

by Andrew Harsley, cello student at the Royal College of Music.

Tuesday 4 September 7–8.30pm

The Orthodox Church of Ethiopia

The Reverend Dr John Binns explains the history of the Church in Ethiopia.

<u>Tickets:</u> Free, from churchofethiopia.eventbrite.co.uk

Thursday 6 September

7-9.30pm

History Showoff

History Showoff is a comedy cabaret event all about the past, where a cast of historians, archaeologists, museum folk and comedians try to make sense of the olden days. And laugh at them a bit. You'll meet a cast of informatiive and entertaining experts ready to take you into London's history, bringing weird and wonderful tales to life.

<u>Tickets:</u> £7, from historyshowoffsep. eventbrite.co.uk Saturday 8 September

llam

Friends' Talk: Between the Covers

Talk by Guy Rowston about the Cathedral's collection of antique books. <u>Tickets:</u> £11.50 to include light lunch.

II-I2pm

Women of Southwark – The Untold Story Tour

This tour reveals the influence of women on Southwark Cathedral and the surrounding area.

<u>Tickets:</u> £8, from womenstory2. eventbrite.co.uk

Sunday 9 September 11.00am Patronal Festival: The Blessed Virgin Mary

Eucharist celebrating the birth of our patron saint with the Admission and Re-dedication of Stewards.

12.30pm

Masvingo Link Visitors

We hope that you already have this Sunday in your diaries as a time to meet with our visitors Mrs Miriam Vela, Friar Fungayi Nyandoro and Father Mischeck Mbodza, over coffee and cake, to find out how things are under the new regime and how best we can continue to support them in their work.

Our visitors arrive early on Thursday 7 September and leave in the evening on the 10 September. They will have a varied programme visiting St Saviours's and St Olave's and the Cathedral Schools, going to Lambeth Palace, visiting a homeless project and a food bank, meeting staff in the Diocesan Office and doing some sightseeing. It will be an exciting opportunity for them to learn about us and for us to learn more about them. Please pray for them as they prepare for this trip and pray for the Link Group here in the Cathedral which is organising the visit. Do come and support the Link on September 9 and bring some money to donate for the MU cakes as the money raised will go to the MU in Masvingo.

We will publish more information about the people and timetable in the next couple of weeks and suggest ways in which you can become involved in this important Link for the Cathedral.

<u>More information</u>: Canon Wendy Robins, wendy.robins@southwark.anglican.org, or any member of the Link Group.

12.30pm

Mothers' Union Cake Sale

The Mothers' Union are holding their Patronal Festival Cake Sale after the Choral Eucharist. It will be held in the South Transept this time, where we will also be welcoming our Visitors from Masvingo. Please could any member of the Congregation consider making a home made cake or some home made biscuits to donate to us to sell on that day. All funds raised this time will be split: 75% will be sent to the Masvingo Mothers' Union and 25% will go to the Food Bank. Please give generously of your time and talents. If you can bake for us please let Heather or Ada know in advance, and on the day a member of the Mothers' Union will be available near the Tutu room (off the Link), or at the back of the Cathedral, to take your baked goodies from you before the service. You may then come and buy to enjoy with your coffee or tea after the service.

I.00–3.00pm Nicky Nicholls Book Signing

Our good friend Nicky Nicholls along with co-author Elizabeth Sheppard will be signing copies of her autobiography *Not a Proper Child* in the Education Centre.

Nicky was horrifically abused throughout her childhood and was homeless for over 30 years before finding salvation and comfort through art, therapy and friendship. Nicky has remarkably raised thousands of pounds for charities over the last few years including the Robes Project, so please take this opportunity to say hello to her, purchase a copy of her book and wish her well on this new adventure as she continues her recovery.

Copies of *Not a Proper Child* will be available to purchase from the Cathedral Shop.

Light refreshments will be available courtesy of The Friends of Southwark Cathedral and Robes Project.

6pm

Service of Light with Liturgy and Songs from the Iona Community

A quiet service of words and music to end the day held in the Retrochoir.

Monday 10 September 1.10pm **Organ Recital**

by Peter Wright, Director

of Music, Southwark Cathedral.

Tuesday II September 3.15pm **Music Recital**

by Maya Irgalina, piano student at Guildhall School of Music.

Thursday 13 September 7–8.30pm Female Tommies: Frontline Women of the First World War

Join Elizabeth Shipton as she looks at the military role of women during the First World War.

<u>Tickets:</u> Free, from femaletommies. eventbrite.co.uk

Saturday 15 September

10-4.30pm

Stories of London: The River Thames

As part of the Totally Thames Festival join us for this day of talks on the River Thames.

<u>Tickets:</u> £12.50, from thamesstories. eventbrite.co.uk

Saturday 15 September 4.00pm Choral Evensong and 150th Anniversary of the Norwegian Church in London

The Norwegian Church has been present in London since 1868. We are celebrating these 150 years with the Bishop of Bergen, the Bishop of Southwark and the Revd Torbjørn Holt, Rector and Senior Chaplain of the Norwegian Church.

More information: sjomannskirken.no/london

Monday 17 September 1.10pm

Organ Recital

by Daniel Phillips, KCS, Wimbledon.

Thursday 20 September 7–8.30pm Death on the Brighton Road – A talk by Jon Newman

Historian and Archivist Jon Newman uncovers the nine mile old coach road between Kennington and South Croydon.

<u>Tickets:</u> Free, from brightonroad. eventbrite.co.uk

Sunday 23 September Lancelot Andrewes Festival

9am

Holy Communion Preacher: The Very Reverend Cynthia Kittredge

llam

Choral Eucharist Preacher: The Very Reverend Cynthia Kittredge

3pm

Choral Evensong and Procession to Lancelot Andrewes' Tomb

12.45pm

The Crossway – A Talk by Guy Stagg

Back by popular demand, Guy Stagg will join us in the Library to talk about his recent publication The Crossway. When Guy Stagg decided to walk from Canterbury to Jerusalem, he spent the next ten months following medieval pilgrim paths across 5,500 km. He began the journey after suffering several years of mental illness, hoping the ritual would heal him. Travelling alone and without support, he had to rely each night on the charity of strangers.

The Crossway is an account of Stagg's extraordinary journey. It describes the dangers he faced on the road, captures the people he met and the landscapes he experienced, offers a unique insight into contemporary faith, and – most movingly – lays bare his struggle to escape the past and walk towards recovery.

This talk will be followed by a Q&A hosted by the Dean and copies of The Crossway will be available to purchase.

Monday 24 September 1.10pm

Organ Recital

by Alexander Binns, Assistant Organist, St Edmundsbury Cathedral.

Monday 24 September 7–8.30pm Living with the Gods: 40,000 years of Peoples, Objects and Beliefs – A Talk by Dr Neil MacGregor

Dr Neil MacGregor talks about his new publication which was an exhibition at the British Museum and successful BBC Radio 4 documentary.

<u>Tickets:</u> £13, from livingwiththegods.eventbrite.co.uk

Tuesday 25 September 7pm

Thomas Cromwell – A Talk by Diarmaid McCulloch

Shakespeare's Globe in partnership with Southwark Cathedral host the launch of Diarmaid MacCulloch's new book *Thomas Cromwell – A Life*.

This talk will take place at the Nancy Knowles Lecture Theatre at Shakespeare's Globe.

<u>Tickets:</u> £12.50, from shakespearesglobe.com/whats-on-2018/ thomas-cromwell-conversation

Thursday 27 September 11.00am, to be seated by 10.45am The Consecration of the Venerable Jackie Searle as Bishop of Crediton by the Archbishop of York

Following the appointment of the Right Reverend Sarah Mullally as Bishop of London, who had previously been Bishop of Crediton, the Venerable Jackie Searle, currently Archdeacon of Gloucester, will be consecrated a bishop in Southwark Cathedral. This will be the first ordination of a woman as bishop to take place in Southwark and tickets are available so that you can join in that historic occasion. Jackie will be presented by both the Bishop of Gloucester, the Right Reverend Rachel Treweek and the Bishop of Exeter, the Right Reverend Robert Atwell.

<u>Tickets:</u> Free, from searleconsecration. eventbrite.co.uk

Thursday 27 September 3pm

Psalms, Hymns and Spiritual Songs

A mixed choir of 130 singers from all parts of The Netherlands will sing well-known psalms, hymns and spiritual songs in both Dutch and English, conducted by Peter Burger. Hugo van der Meij will play the organ and piano.

2–5 May 2019 **Visit to Assisi**

The Friends will be taking a trip to Assisi in May next year. If you would like to receive information about the trip please email Kate on kate.dean@southwark. anglican.org Canon Michael Rawson will be accompanying us on the trip.

General Notices

Canon Bruce Saunders

our former Sub Dean and Canon Pastor, will be preaching on Sunday 16 September at the 10am Eucharist at St Barnabas, Mitcham, to celebrate ten years as Parish Priest of Reverend Joabe Cavalcanti, former priest at St Hugh's and a member of our Chapter. All are welcome.

Tom Griffiths

is leaving us to take up a teaching post from September. Although we are very sorry to see him go, we thank Tom for the considerable contribution he has made to the life and ministry of the Cathedral during his time here as a Cathedral Steward and Verger. We wish him well as he begins this new chapter in his life.

Doorkins Magnificat

Doorkins has been put on a special diet recommended by her vet which will help with her health and wellbeing as she gets older. A lot of you have been kind enough to donate food and treats to Doorkins over the years which is really appreciated but unfortunately she is now not allowed to eat.

The good news is that we would love you to continue to bring in cat food as this will be donated to a Greenwich-based cat rescue and rehoming sanctuary called CatCuddles. CatCuddles are desperate for any donations to help with their work rescuing and rehoming cats in SE London and NW Kent.

Please bring your donations to the Cathedral Shop or give them to a Verger and these will be passed onto the sanctuary. If you do wish to continue to donate food or money to Doorkins please speak to one of the Vergers who will advise.

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Growing in Faith and Life The Bishop's Certificate in Discipleship

Beginning in September 2018 and based around the Diocese, including at Trinity House on Borough High Street, this one year's course is an excellent way of learning more about the Christian faith and journey. Peter Graystone, Assistant Director of Discipleship and Ministry says: 'The ten month course helps people learn about the Bible, doctrine and mission. And later on it becomes practical in nurturing people's spirituality and life of prayer. It's the ideal first step for people who are considering a call to be a Reader or SPA, or on a vocational journey that might result in ordination. But I'd recommend it to any Christian who wants to understand why they believe what they believe.'

More about the course can be found in the leaflets at the back of the cathedral.

South Bank Churches

The cathedral belongs to this mission focussed ecumenical group of local churches.

Waterloo Foodbank: We support the Foodbank by running a session on Monday morning 9.30 to 11.30 at St George the Martyr and collect food donations in the cathedral shop. Cash donations are also useful to allow us to buy more supplies. A few more volunteers will be needed in September.

The Foodbank currently has very low stocks and is asking especially for tinned meat, tinned fruit, cereal, fruit juice, biscuits and coffee.

You can donate via the Cathedral Shop, at St George the Martyr on Monday 9.30–11.30 and Thursday 2–4pm, or the Oasis Centre, SEI 7QP, Mon–Fri, 8am–6pm. Cash donations also welcome. Thank you.

Syrian Refugee Initiative: Oasis church has pioneered a scheme to buy a house and refurbish it to provide a home for a vulnerable family being rehoused by the Home Office. The next need is for Arabic speakers and people able to support the family as they learn about a new life in Lambeth, with schools, GPs etc. Eco Church: Southwark cathedral is joining many other local churches in the Eco Church project to care for God's creation through the way we live and work together. We are working towards a silver award at present. Our August focus is on developing an environmentally responsible lifestyle: we offer you Five Top Tips on the opposite page.

<u>More Details:</u> See southbankchurches.org or contact mm@marionmarples.co.uk



Top five environmental tips!



1. Walk one street further away

Air quality in this area is worse than the national average. One way to reduce the impact of this is to walk slightly further away from the main road - walking through quieter side streets can reduce the impact of poor air quality by up to 50%, which is particularly important for children.

2. Reuseable cups

Londoners buy over two million cups of takeaway coffee every day. Switching to a reuseable cup would be a huge help to reduce the amount of waste - and in many coffee shops you'll get a discount!

3. Turn off your engine

Engines left running while waiting produce more emissions than cars which are in motion. If you're waiting for someone, turn off your engine!

4. Paper not plastic

If you really have to use single-use cutlery, crockery or cups, go for recyclable paper instead of plastic!

5. Switch off not standby

Not only does this save the environment, but it'll save you money - the average household wastes £50 per year by having their TV on standby instead of switching it off!

www.southbankchurches.org/energy-tips



The Cathedral and Collegiate Church of St Saviour and St Mary Overie Southwark

In 606 a Convent was established on the south bank of the River Thames at the place from which the ferry used to cross over to the City of London. In 1106 an Augustinian Priory was established. From here they ministered to pilgrims and travellers, and to the sick and the needy of the area and the Word of God was faithfully preached and the sacraments celebrated. As part of their ministry, the Hospital of St Thomas was established (now located opposite the Houses of Parliament).

Following the Reformation, the Priory Church became a Parish Church. In many ways the building was sadly neglected but the gospel continued to be faithfully preached and the people of the parish cared for and taught. A parish school – now Cathedral School – was opened in 1704 following in the work already established in schools founded from the parish under a charter from Queen Elizabeth I.

The life, diversity and character of the area are revealed in the tombs and monuments within the church. Among them is that of John Gower (c. 1330-1408), poet and friend of Chaucer, whose *Canterbury Tales* begin in Southwark. Across the nave is a memorial to William Shakespeare, who spent much of his life in Southwark, and above it, a stained glass window depicting scenes from his plays. Edmund Shakespeare, John Fletcher and Philip Massinger are all buried in the Cathedral. Lancelot Andrewes, who translated the first five books of the Bible into English, is buried by the High Altar. He is a founding father of the Church of England. In the grounds is buried Mahomet, Chief of the Mohegan Tribe from New England and a memorial to him can be found in the churchyard.

Today in old and new buildings, this Cathedral continues to serve the people of its parish and the people of the diocese, to be a centre of teaching, of worship, prayer and pilgrimage; a place of inclusive welcome for all people. This continues to be a place of major regeneration and change as Bankside has once again become a residential area, a playground for London and a place where the arts are celebrated, as well as a growing centre for political, financial and legal decision making. Southwark Cathedral is the constant factor in an ever changing and exciting community in which we continue to proclaim a gospel of radical engagement with God and the world.

We therefore welcome you to this holy place which is both ancient and modern. Together we continue to serve the people of this area - those who are passing through, crossing the river, making a new home, coming to work or simply here to enjoy themselves – and the people who live here, in much the same way as our forebears did and with all those who have gone before us we do it all from a place of praise and worship of Almighty God.

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