# The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 2 September 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.

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**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.

#### **E Newsletter**

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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 Leanne Roberts, Treasurer Readings Psalm 119. 17–40; Jonah 3. 1–9; Revelation 3. 14–end

#### 9.00am Eucharist – Southwark Cathedral

Preacher Canon Leanne Roberts, Treasurer Readings Deuteronomy 4. 1–2,6–9; James I. 17–27; Mark 7. 1–8,14,15,21–23

#### 9.30am Eucharist - St Hugh's

Preacher Canon Michael Rawson, Sub Dean

#### 11.00am Choral Eucharist – Southwark Cathedral

President The Reverend Rachel Young, Succentor Preacher Canon Leanne Roberts, Treasurer Setting Lourdes mass · Jean-Paul Lécot

#### Stand Entrance Hymn

CP 367 (tune Repton NEH 353)

All glory be to God on high, his peace on earth proclaim; to all this people tell abroad the grace and glory of the Lord, and bless his holy name.

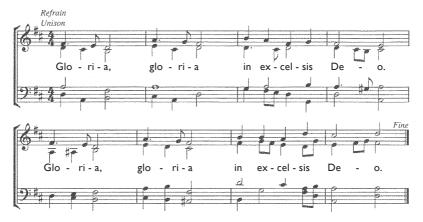
In songs of thankfulness and praise our hearts their homage bring to worship him who reigns above almighty Father, Lord of love, our God and heavenly King. O Christ, the Father's only Son, O Lamb enthroned on high, O Jesus, who for sinners died and reigns at God the Father's side, in mercy hear our cry,

Most high and holy is the Lord, most high his heavenly throne; where God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit, ever One, in glory reigns alone.

Timothy Dudley-Smith

#### **Gloria in Excelsis**

At the beginning the refrain is played by the organ and sung by everyone.



The cantor sings each verse and all join in with the Refrain.

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. **R**  Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father. Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. **R** 

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. **R** 

#### Sit First Reading

Deuteronomy 4. I-2, 6-9

Read by Linda Hutchinson.

A reading from the book of Deuteronomy.

Moses spoke to the people; he said:

So now, Israel, give heed to the statutes and ordinances that I am teaching you to observe, so that you may live to enter and occupy the land that the Lord, the God of your ancestors, is giving you. You must neither add anything to what I command you nor take away anything from it, but keep the commandments of the Lord your God with which I am charging you.

You must observe them diligently, for this will show your wisdom and discernment to the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, 'Surely this great nation is a wise and discerning people!' For what other great nation has a god so near to it as the Lord our God is whenever we call to him? And what other great nation has statutes and ordinances as just as this entire law that I am setting before you today? But take care and watch yourselves closely, so as neither to forget the things that your eyes have seen nor to let them slip from your mind all the days of your life; make them known to your children and your children's children.

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

#### **Responsorial Psalm**

Psalm 15

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.



Lord who may dwell in your tabernacle? Who may rest upon your holy hill? Whoever leads an uncorrupt life and does the thing that is right; **R** 

Who speaks the truth from the heart and bears no deceit on the tongue; Who does no evil to a friend and pours no scorn on a neighbour; **R** 

In whose sight the wicked are not esteemed, but who honours those who fear the Lord. Whoever has sworn to a neighbour and never goes back on that word; **R** 

Who does not lend money in hope of gain, nor takes a bribe against the innocent; Whoever does these things shall never fall. **R** 

#### Second Reading

James I. 17–27

Read by Paul Timms.

A reading from the letter of James.

Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. In fulfilment of his own purpose he gave us birth by the word of truth, so that we would become a kind of first fruits of his creatures.

You must understand this, my beloved: let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger; for your anger does not produce God's righteousness. Therefore rid yourselves of all sordidness and rank growth of wickedness, and welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save your souls. But be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves. For if any are hearers of the word and not doers, they are like those who look at themselves in a mirror; for they look at themselves and, on going away, immediately forget what they were like. But those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not hearers who forget but doers who act—they will be blessed in their doing.

If any think they are religious, and do not bridle their tongues but deceive their hearts, their religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to care for orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world.

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

Stand Gospel Acclamation

All

#### **Gospel Sentence**

To the pure all things are pure.

#### Gospel

Mark 7. 1–8, 14, 15, 21–23

When the Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around Jesus, they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with defiled hands, that is, without washing them. (For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they thoroughly wash their hands, thus observing the tradition of the elders; and they do not eat anything from the market unless they wash it; and there are also many other traditions that they observe, the washing of cups, pots, and bronze kettles.) So the Pharisees and the scribes asked him, 'Why do your disciples not live according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with defiled hands?' Jesus said to them, 'Isaiah prophesied rightly about you hypocrites, as it is written,

"This people honours me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me; in vain do they worship me,

teaching human precepts as doctrines."

You abandon the commandment of God and hold to human tradition.'

Then he called the crowd again and said to them, 'Listen to me, all of you, and understand: there is nothing outside a person that by going in can defile, but the things that come out are what defile.'

'For it is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come: fornication, theft, murder, adultery, avarice, wickedness, deceit, licentiousness, envy, slander, pride, folly. All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person.'

#### Sit Sermon

Canon Leanne Roberts, Treasurer

#### **Chorale Prelude**

#### Sit Intercessions

Led by Heather Smith.

#### Stand Offertory Hymn

NEH 292 (tune Rievaulx 358 ii)

I Jesu, thou joy of loving hearts, Thou fount of life, thou light of men, From the best bliss that earth imparts We turn unfilled to thee again.

 We taste thee, O thou living bread, And long to feast upon thee still;
 We drink of thee, the fountain-head, And thirst our souls from thee to fill.

2 Thy truth unchanged hath ever stood, Thou savest those that on thee call, To them that see thee thou art good, To them that find thee, all in all.

4 Our restless spirits yearn for thee, Where'er our changeful lot is cast, Glad when thy gracious smile we see, Blest when our faith can hold thee fast.

5 O Jesu, ever with us stay, Make all our moments calm and bright; Chase the dark night of sin away, Shed o'er the world thy holy light.

> Latin, 12th century Translated by Ray Palmer

#### Stand Eucharistic Prayer Prayer G

The cantor sings each verse and all join in with the Refrain.



I. Full of your glory are heaven and earth, God of pow'r and might. R

2. Blessed is he who comes among us in the name of the Lord. R

3. Hosanna in the highest! R

Stand Final Hymn NEH 235

> Forth in thy name, O Lord, I go, My daily labour to pursue; Thee, only thee, resolved to know, In all I think or speak or do.

The task thy wisdom hath assigned O let me cheerfully fulfil; In all my works thy presence find, And prove thy good and perfect will.

Thee may I set at my right hand, Whose eyes my inmost substance see, And labour on at thy command, And offer all my works to thee.

Give me to bear thy easy yoke, And every moment watch and pray, And still to things eternal look, And hasten to thy glorious day.

For thee delightfully employ Whate'er thy bounteous grace hath given, And run my course with even joy, And closely walk with thee to heaven.

Charles Wesley

#### 3.00pm Choral Evensong – Southwark Cathedral

Readings Exodus 12. 21–27; Matthew 4. 23—5. 20 Setting Organ music and hymns Psalm 119. 9–16 Hymns NEH 341; CP 168 Preacher Canon Wendy Robins

#### Hymn

CP 168 (tune 271 Hyfrydol)

 Hail, thou once despisèd Jesus! Hail thou Galilean King!
 Thou didst suffer to release us; thou didst free salvation bring.
 Hail, thou universal Saviour, bearer of our sin and shame!
 By thy merit we findfavour; life is given through thy name. 2 Paschal Lamb by God appointed, all our sins on thee were laid; by almighty love anointed, thou hast full atonement made.
All thy people are forgiven through the virtue of thy blood; opened is the gate of heaven; reconciled are we with God.

3 Jesus, hail! Enthroned in glory, there for ever to abide;
all the heavenly host adore thee, seated at thy Father's side.
there for sinners thou art pleading, there thou dost our place prepare, ever for us interceding, till in glory we appear.

> John Bakewell Martin Madan

#### 6.00pm Traditional Rite Eucharist – Southwark Cathedral

See separate booklet.

# Prayers

All those for whom prayers have been asked this week:

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

#### The Departed

Malcolm Marr, Chuck Blakenship, Charles Powell, George Polek, Br. Giles, Catherine Payne.

#### **Clergy preaching away**

The Missioner at All Saints, Sanderstead.

# Mission allocation partners for September

<u>I6th Bermondsey Scouts & Shard</u> <u>Explorer Scouts:</u> I6th Bermondsey is part of Southwark District which is made up of fifteen groups and three Explorer Scout Units. Funds will support on-going youth activities e.g Camping, hiking, canoeing for 70 young people.

<u>Search for Common Ground:</u> Search for Common Ground's focus is on conflict resolution in our troubled world.

<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

#### **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'.

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.

More Information: Simon Allatt, allattsimon@gmail.com.

# This Week's Services

## Monday to Friday

8.00am Morning Prayer
8.15am Eucharist
12.30pm Midday Prayer
12.45pm Eucharist
5.30pm Evening Prayer
(Choral Evensong on Friday)

## Saturday 8 September

9am Morning Prayer 9.15am Eucharist 4.00pm Choral Evensong

### Sunday 9 September

Patronal Festival – The Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8.30am Morning Prayer 9.00am Eucharist Preacher: Friar Fungayi

#### 9.30am Eucharist at St Hugh's

**11.00am Choral Eucharist** Eucharist celebrating the birth of our patron saint with the Admission and Re-dedication of Stewards. Preacher: Friar Fungayi

#### 3pm Choral Evensong

Preacher: The Very Reverend Andrew Nunn, Dean

6.00pm Service of Light

# 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

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. Tickets: 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 Ham

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 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.

<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.

#### 1.00–3.00pm 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.

# Future Events and Services

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

#### **9**am

Holy Communion Preacher: The Very Reverend Cynthia Kittredge

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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.

#### Saturday 29 September I–3pm

#### Songs from the sea

Several Finnish a cappella choirs from around Europe gather together this weekend to bring you a selection of songs from the sea. They each have their unique way of interpreting music and they each bring a different aspect of the sea to the performance. We have choirs from London, Hamburg, Glasgow, Uppsala, Brussels, Frankfurt, Amsterdam and Düsseldorf ranging from small vocal ensembles to larger mixed choirs. Most songs will be performed in Finnish. Monday I October I.I0pm **Organ Recital** 

by Stephen Disley, Assistant Organist, Southwark Cathedral.

#### Tuesday 2 October 7–8.30pm Handel in London: The making of a Genius – A Talk by Professor Jane Glover and Andrew Gant

Jane Glover, one of the world's eminent conductors, tells the story of Handel's life in London in conversation with Andrew Gant.

<u>Tickets:</u> £15, from handelinlondon. eventbrite.co.uk

#### 2–5 May 2019 **Visit to Assisi**

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

# **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**

has left 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.

<u>Waterloo Foodbank:</u> 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 overleaf.

<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.

### Cathedral Shop and Refectory **OPEN DAILY**

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