

The Cathedral Church of St Andrew



Sunday, 30 July 2017

**Eighth Sunday
after Pentecost**

10.45 am Sung Eucharist



Celebrant and Preacher: The Provost
Organist: Andrew Morrisson

Welcome to the Cathedral Church of St Andrew

We hope that you enjoy worshipping with us today.

Please join us for tea or coffee in the John Skinner Centre after the service. If you are visiting, please ask a member of our congregation for directions.

Mass Setting

Communion Service

John Merbecke

Voluntary

Ciacona in C minor BuxWV 159, Dieterich Buxtehude

THE PREPARATION

Introit Hymn

238 – New every morning is the love

Gloria

ACT OF PENITENCE

Collect

Lord of all power and might,
the author and giver of all good things:
graft in our hearts the love of your name,
increase in us true religion,
nourish us with all goodness,
and of your great mercy keep us in the same;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Genesis 29.15-28 – Jacob marries Leah and Rachel
(p. 31)
read by Stephanie Brock

Psalm 105 vv 1-10, 44: *Confitemini Domino* – Chant 249

- 1 O give thanks unto the Lord, and call up/on his /
Name : tell the / people what / things he hath / done.
- 2 O let your songs be of / him and / praise him : and let
your talking be of / all his / wondrous / works.
- 3 Rejoice in his / holy / Name : let the heart of them
re/joyce that / seek the / Lord.

- 4 Seek the / Lord and his / strength : seek his / face /
ever/more.
- 5 Remember the marvellous works that / he hath /
done : his wonders and the / judgements / of his /
mouth,
- 6 O ye seed of / Abraham his / servant : ye / children of /
Jacob his / chosen.
- 7 He is the / Lord our / God : his judgements / are in /
all the / world.
- 8 He hath been alway mindful of his / covenant and /
promise : that he made to a / thousand / gene/rations;
- 9 Even the covenant that he / made with / Abraham :
and the / oath that he / sware unto / Isaac;
- 10 And appointed the same unto / Jacob for a / law :
and to Israel for an / ever/lasting / testament;
- 44 That they might / keep his / sta || tutes, / and ob/serve
his / laws.
- Glory be to the Father, and / to the / Son : and / to the /
Holy / Ghost;*
*As it was in the beginning, is now and / ever / shall be :
world without / end. A / - - / men.*

Second Reading

Romans 8. 26-39 – More than conquerors (p. 1135)
read by Jackie Hughes

Gradual Hymn

421 – O King enthroned on high

Gospel

Matthew 13.31-33, 44-52 – The parable of the mustard
seed and the yeast (p. 980)

Sermon – The Creed – Intercessions

MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

The Peace

Offertory Hymn

336 – Angel-voices ever singing

Sanctus and Benedictus

Agnus Dei

Communion Songs

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus,
Just to take Him at His Word;
Just to rest upon His promise,
And to know, "Thus saith the Lord!"

Refrain: Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him!
How I've proved Him o'er and o'er;
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus!
Oh, for grace to trust Him more!

Oh, how sweet to trust in Jesus,
Just to trust His cleansing blood;
And in simple faith to plunge me
'Neath the healing, cleansing flood!

Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus,
Just from sin and self to cease;
Just from Jesus simply taking
Life and rest, and joy and peace.
I'm so glad I learned to trust Thee,
Precious Jesus, Saviour, Friend;

And I know that Thou art with me,
Wilt be with me to the end.

There is a redeemer

There is a redeemer, Jesus, God's own son,
Precious lamb of God, Messiah, Holy one.

Refrain: Thank you oh my father,
For giving us your son,
And leaving your spirit,
'til the work on earth is done.

Jesus my redeemer, Name above all names,
Precious lamb of God, Messiah,
Oh, for sinners slain.

When I stand in glory, I will see his face
And there I'll serve my king forever,
In that holy place.

There is a redeemer, Jesus, God's own son,
Precious lamb of God, Messiah, Holy one.

Glorious God

Glorious God, wonderful God,
Miracle worker, King of kings,
Omnipotent one, I worship You.
Your majesty is forevermore.

AFTER COMMUNION

Final Hymn

333 omit v2 – All my hope on God is founded

Voluntary

Fiat Lux, Théodore Dubois

LET US PRAY

Let us pray for the needs of the world, the church, our communities, our loved ones and of our own. We pray for all who suffer as a result of conflict, greed and disasters and all who work to bring relief and hope.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Diocese of Pennsylvania, and for their Bishop, The Rt Rev'd Daniel Gutierrez, and for the Diocese of Pittsburgh, and for their Bishop, the Rt Rev'd Dorsey W M McConnell.

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Diocesan Staff: the Bishop's Secretary, Avril Scott, the Assistant Treasurer, Ian Fraser, the IT Officer, Mary McKinnell and the Children, Family and Youth Officer, Henna Cundill.

In the Porvoo Prayer Diary we pray for the Lutheran Church in Lithuania, and for their Bishop, Mindaugas Sabutis, and for the Diocese of Derry and Raphoe in the Church of Ireland, and for their Bishop, Kenneth Good.

Let us remember before God those who are in our hearts and minds at this time, especially those isolated, fragile or who journey through a period of illness or hardship. In our own Cathedral community we pray for May Clark, Ron Hudson, Margaret Whitaker, Helena Thomas, John Parkes, Catherine Bradford, Audrey Gray, Mira Nikiforova, James Lyon and Lingarajan.

Let us also remember those who mark a blessing this week with a birthday or an anniversary.

In a moment of silence, let us remember those whom we love but see no longer, especially those whose year's mind is this week.

Services at St. Andrew's Cathedral

Wednesday, 2 August

Holy Communion at 10 am

Transfiguration of Our Lord, 6 August

Holy Communion at 8 am

Sung Eucharist at 10.45 am

Please join the congregation at St Margaret's for
Evening Prayer at 7 pm.

News and Notices

Choir Tour: This week, the Cathedral Choir will be travelling south for a week of singing at a number of Cathedrals: Guildford, Rochester, Chelmsford and Southward.

Food Bank Donations: CFINE are running very low on stock. We are continuing to collect non-perishable goods for distribution to those in need. Please leave any donations you are able to make in the crates provided at the back of the Cathedral in the next week, either after next Sunday's Eucharist or during the week when the Cathedral will be open for visitors.

Cathedral Choir Summer Evensongs: After today's service at St Anne's, Kemnay at 4 pm, we have two further Evensongs planned: St Andrew's, Alford, on 13 August and St Drostan's, Inch, on 20 August. We hope you can join us!

Gallowgate Festival: St Margaret's are once again organising a whole week of events from 5-12 August. Highlights include a quiz on Monday evening (tickets available at the door), a ceilidh on Friday and, of course, the Gala on Saturday, 5 August where we will have a stall. If you have any donations of unwanted items we can sell, then please leave them in the crate at the back of the Cathedral.

Concerts at St Andrew's Cathedral

Tuesday, 1 August

Aberdeen Youth Festival presents

Choral Concert with the RCS Voices &

Hamrahlidarkorinn (Iceland) at 7.30 pm

Tickets at £9.90/£6.60 available from the Box Office

Saturday, 5 August

Cathedral at Noon

Fearghal McCartan

Music for Solo Harp