



Choral Eucharist

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

13 October 2019 • 10.30am



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Welcome to St Paul's Cathedral
Wominjeka means 'Welcome' in Woiwurrung, the language of the Kulin nation, on whose land this Cathedral stands. We acknowledge and pay our respects to their elders past, present and emerging and to Aboriginal people and Torres Strait Islanders with us today.

St Paul's is home to worshippers from more than two dozen nations, seat of the Anglican Primate of Australia, and home church for Anglicans in Melbourne and Victoria. We are delighted that you are with us today: come and worship with us again.

Whether you are Anglican, from another Christian Church or another faith tradition, you are warmly welcome to take part in the service. If you want to find out more about the Christian faith, please make yourself known to our clergy.

Leading the Service

President:

The Revd Dr Bob Derrenbacker,
Associate Priest

Preacher:

The Revd Canon Matt Williams
Canon-in-Residence

*Sung by the Cathedral Choir,
directed by Mr Philip Nicholls*

Children A children's area is located on the right-hand side of the Cathedral. Children's activity packs are available. Parents are asked to remain with their children.

Safeguarding We strongly condemn any form of abuse and are committed to safeguarding children and vulnerable people, and speaking out against violence against women. All our staff and volunteers complete training and relevant checks. If you would like to raise any concerns, please contact the independent Professional Standards Body, Kooyoora. Tel. 1800 135 246. For advice in the case of family violence, ring 1800 737 732.

Bible Readings in World Languages may be found at biblegateway.com

Communion Baptised Christians of all denominations are welcome to receive the bread and wine. Others who would like to receive a blessing, please come forward holding this booklet. Gluten free wafers are available, please ask the priest.

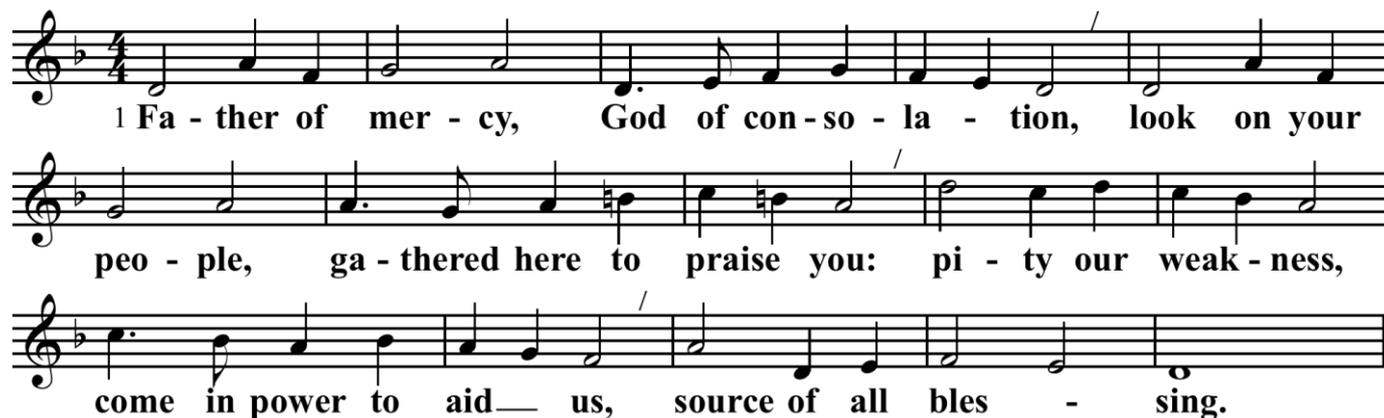
Tea and coffee are served following the service in the Barbara Darling Room.

Tap and Go facilities are available on the offertory plates.

Please join in singing the hymns and in saying the words printed in **bold type**.

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Please stand



1 Fa - ther of mer - cy, God of con - so - la - tion, look on your
peo - ple, ga - thered here to praise you: pi - ty our weak - ness,
come in power to aid — us, source of all bles - sing.

**Son of the Father, Lord of all creation,
come as our Saviour, Jesus, friend of sinners:
grant us forgiveness, lift our downcast spirit,
heal us and save us.**

**Joy-giving Spirit, be our light in darkness,
come to befriend us, help us bear our burdens:
give us true courage, breathe your peace around us,
stay with us always.**

**God in three persons, Father, Son and Spirit,
come to renew us, fill your church with glory:
grant us your healing, pledge of resurrection,
foretaste of heaven.**

James Quinn (b.1919)
Together in Song 472
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THE GREETING AND BIDDING

The president welcomes the people and says:

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray:

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Please sit or kneel

Choir Lord have mercy upon us,
Christ have mercy upon us,
Lord have mercy upon us.

*Missa Rorate Coeli desuper, Hob XXII:3 -
Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)*

God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy, welcoming sinners and inviting them to the Lord's table. Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, confident in God's forgiveness.

Merciful God, our maker and our judge, we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, and in what we have failed to do: we have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves; we repent, and are sorry for all our sins. Father, forgive us. Strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith: pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE HYMN OF PRAISE (GLORIA)

Sung by the Choir

Please stand

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. 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. 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.

Haydn - Missa Rorate Coeli desuper

THE COLLECT

O God, you have made heaven and earth and all that is good: help us to delight in simple things and to rejoice always in the richness of your bounty; through Jesus Christ our Lord, 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

Please sit

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 29.1, 4-7

Read by Damian Neylon

¹These are the words of the letter that the prophet Jeremiah sent from Jerusalem to the remaining elders among the exiles, and to the priests, the prophets, and all the people, whom Nebuchadnezzar had taken into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon.

⁴Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: ⁵Build houses and live in them; plant

gardens and eat what they produce. ⁶Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease. ⁷But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 66.1-3, 11

Please sing the response after the cantor, then as indicated



All you na-tions, sing out your joy to the Lord: Al-le-lu-ia, al-le - lu-ia!

1 Joyfully shout, all you on earth,
give praise to the glory of God;
and with a hymn sing out his glorious praise:
alleluia!

Response

2 Lift up your hearts, sing to your God:
tremendous his deeds for us all!
Vanquished your foes, struck down by power and might:
alleluia!

Response

3 Let all the earth kneel in your sight,
extolling your marvelous fame;
honour your name, in highest heaven give praise:
alleluia!

Response

11 Over our heads the wicked rode,
we passed through the fire and the flood;
then, Lord, you brought your people into your peace:
alleluia!

Response

Lucien Deiss (1921-2007)

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SECOND READING: 2 Timothy 2.8-15

Read by Canon A/Prof. Avril Brereton

⁸Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David – that is my gospel, ⁹for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. ¹⁰Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. ¹¹The saying is sure: If we have died with him, we will also live with him; ¹² if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us; ¹³ if we are faithless, he remains faithful – for he cannot deny himself.

¹⁴Remind them of this, and warn them before God that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. ¹⁵Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

THE GRADUAL HYMN

Please stand

1 A - ma - zing - grace (how sweet the sound) that saved a -
wretch like me! I once - was lost, but now - am -
found, was blind, but - now I see.

²
**'Twas grace that taught
my heart to fear,
and grace my fears relieved;
how precious did that grace appear
the hour I first believed.**

³
**Through many dangers,
toils and snares
I have already come:
'tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
and grace will lead me home.**

⁴
**The Lord has promised good to me,
his word my hope secures;
he will my shield and portion be
as long as life endures.**

John Newton (1725-1807)
Australian Hymn Book 56

THE GOSPEL

Remain standing

The Cantor introduces the acclamation, then all repeat:

Al - le - lu - ia.

Cantor O God, be pleased to deliver me:
O Lord, make haste to help me. **Alleluia!**

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

⁷ 'Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field, "Come here at once and take your place at the table"? ⁸Would you not rather say to him, "Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink"? ⁹Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? ¹⁰So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!" '

¹¹On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹²As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³they called out, saying, 'Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!' ¹⁴When he saw them, he said to them, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷Then Jesus asked, 'Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? ¹⁸Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?' ¹⁹Then he said to him, 'Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.'

For the Gospel of the Lord,
praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

THE SERMON

The Revd Canon Matt Williams, *Canon-in-Residence*

NICENE CREED

Please stand

We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Let us pray for the world and for the church.

After each petition

Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

At the end of the prayers the presider concludes

Almighty God, you have promised to hear our prayers.

**Grant that what we have asked in faith we may by your grace receive,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

THE NOTICES

Please sit

THE GREETING OF PEACE

Please stand

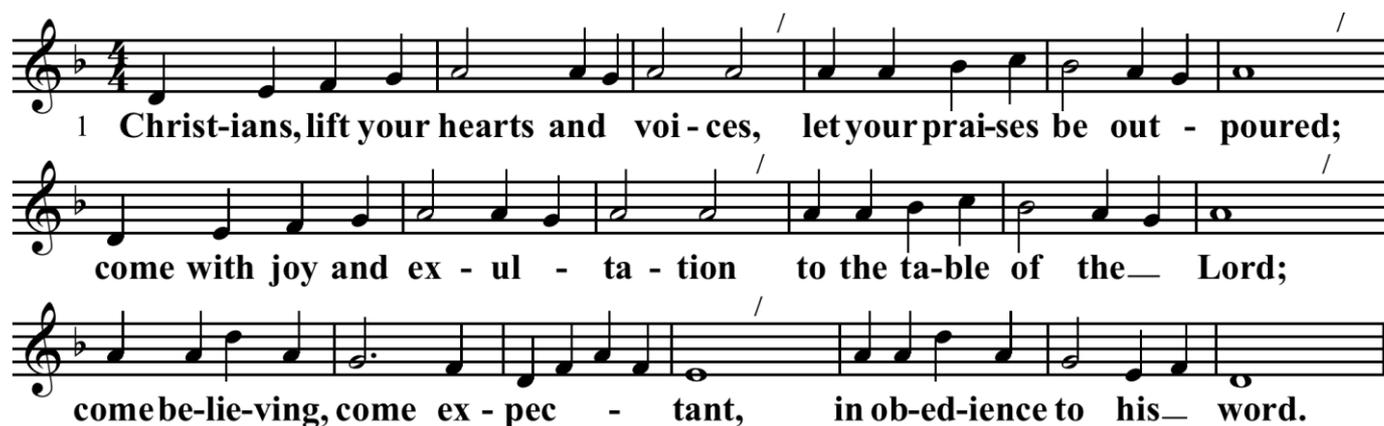
We are the body of Christ.
His Spirit is with us.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also with you.

All may exchange a sign of peace.

THE OFFERTORY HYMN

During the hymn, an offering is received to support the Cathedral's ministry. On average our congregants contribute \$20 each. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you for your gift. Tap and Go facilities are available on the plates.



1 Christ-ians, lift your hearts and voi-ces, let your praises be out - poured;
come with joy and ex - ul - ta - tion to the ta-ble of the— Lord;
come be-lie-ving, come ex - pec - tant, in ob-ed-i-ence to his— word.

2 See, presiding at his table,
Jesus Christ our great high priest;
where he summons all his people,
none is greatest, none is least;
graciously he bids them welcome
to the eucharistic feast.

3 Lord, we offer in thanksgiving
life and work for you to bless;
yet unworthy is the offering,
marred by pride and carelessness;
so, Lord, pardon our transgressions,
plant in us true holiness.

**On the evening of his passion
Jesus gave the wine and bread,
so that all who love and serve him
shall for evermore be fed.
Taste and see the Lord is gracious,
feed upon the living bread.**

John E. Bowers (b. 1923)
Hymns Ancient and Modern New Standard 447
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THE HOLY COMMUNION

The President prays the prayer over the gifts and all respond
Blessed be God for ever.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*The president offers thanks to God for the grace and mercy made available to us in Christ.
In response, the Choir sings on behalf of all...*

Choir Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Haydn – *Missa Rorate Coeli desuper*

The president recounts the last supper

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The president concludes the Eucharistic Prayer, to which all respond

... we worship you, Father, in songs of never-ending praise:

Blessing and honour and glory and power are yours for ever and ever. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Being made one by the power of the Spirit, as our Saviour taught us, so we pray,
each in our own language,

Notre Père..., Padre nuestro..., Vater unser..., 我們在天上的父 ...,

हे हमारे स्वरगिक पिता..., Bapa kami..., E to matou Matua..., 天の父よ ...,

Ama namin..., Our Father who art ..., باپ ہمارے اے...، الَّذِي أَبَاتَنَا...

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.
We who are many are one body, **for we all share in the one bread.**

THE AGNUS DEI (LAMB OF GOD)

Choir Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, grant us your peace.

Haydn – *Missa Rorate Coeli desuper*

THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION

All baptised Christians are invited to receive the bread and the wine of the Eucharist. Others, who would like to do so, please bring this booklet with you and tell the priest you would like to receive a blessing. Gluten free wafers are available on request.

THE ANTHEM

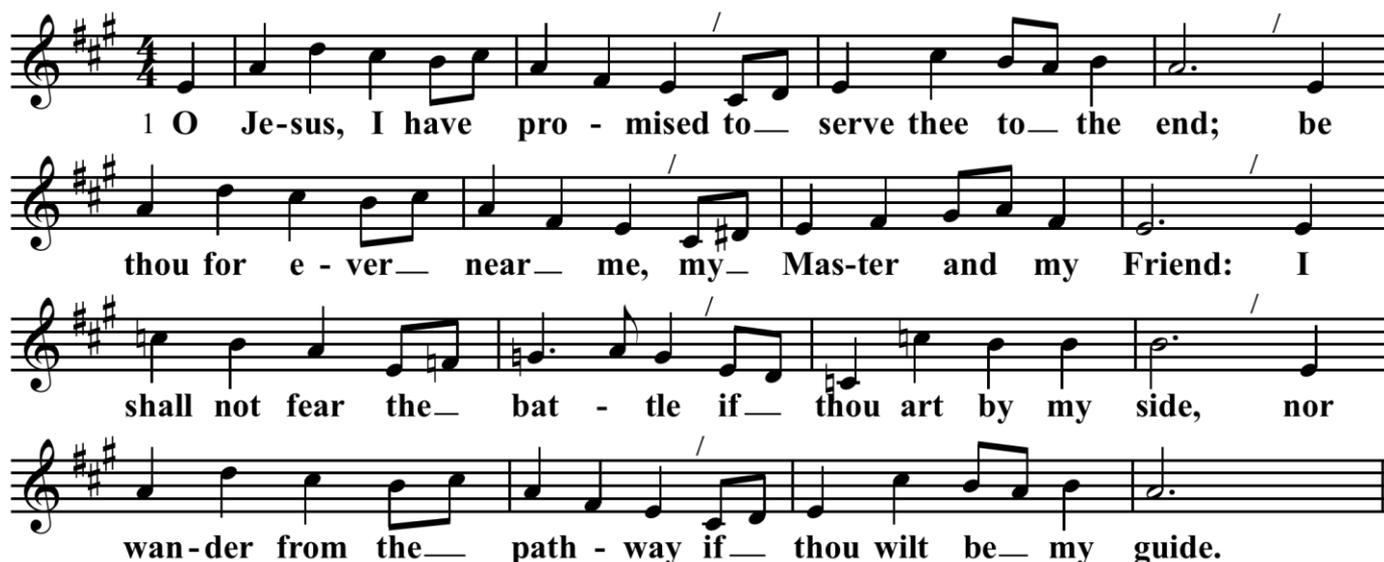
During the administration of Holy Communion the choir sings
O taste and see – Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

THE SENDING OUT OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Please stand

The president prays the post-communion prayer, concluding with
Father, we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Lord. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.

THE DISMISSAL HYMN



1 O Je-sus, I have pro - mised to— serve thee to— the end; be
thou for e - ver— near— me, my— Mas-ter and my Friend: I
shall not fear the— bat - tle if— thou art by my side, nor
wan-der from the— path - way if— thou wilt be— my guide.

2
O let me feel thee near me:
the world is ever near;
I see the sights that dazzle,
and tempting sounds I hear;
my foes are ever near me,
around me and within;
but, Jesus, draw thou nearer,
and shield my soul from sin.

3
O let me hear thee speaking
in accents clear and still,
above the storms of passion,
the murmurs of self-will;
O speak to reassure me,
to hasten or control;
O speak, and make me listen,
thou guardian of my soul.

4
O let me see thy footmarks,
and in them plant mine own;
my hope to follow duly
is in thy strength alone:
O guide me, call me, draw me,
uphold me to the end;
and then in heaven receive me,
my Saviour and my Friend.

John Ernest Bode (1816-74) *Hymns Ancient and Modern New Standard* 235

THE BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

The president pronounces the Blessing

...be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

ORGAN POSTLUDE

A Joyful 'Going Out' - Colin Mawby (b.1936)

Mr Mark Slavec, June Nixon Organ Scholar

PLEASE PRAY WITH US FOR

THE WORLD We pray for peace in Syria, remembering especially those who died as a result of Turkey's recent invasion to fight Kurdish forces; for the ongoing crisis in Brazil as a result of the terrible fires in the Amazon, praying for the thousands of troops and firefighters deployed to fight the fires; for wisdom, guidance and courage for world leaders to address the problems of pollution and climate change.

THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION Church of the Province of West Africa (Abp Daniel Sarfo).

THE AUSTRALIAN ANGLICAN CHURCH Ministry with the Aboriginal people of Australia (Aboriginal Clergy & People).

THE DIOCESE OF MELBOURNE Korowa Anglican Girls' School (Helen Carmody, Principal; Kirsten Winkett, Chaplain); St Philip's Mount Waverley (Jeremy Morgan).

OUR CATHEDRAL Our Precentor and Acting Dean, the Ven. Canon Heather Patacca; our Director of Music, Mr Philip Nicholls; Cathedral Organists, Mr Siegfried Franke, Mr Lachlan Redd, Mrs Roslyn Carolane, Mr Mark Slavec; the Cathedral Choir; our Choir Schools, Trinity Grammar School and Lowther Hall Anglican Grammar School; Choir Chaplains, Revd Emily Fraser, Revd Matt Campbell; the St Paul's Cathedral Music Foundation.

A PRAYER FOR RAIN Our heavenly Father, we acknowledge our ingratitude when we have taken your goodness for granted, when the heaven has poured forth rain and the earth has produced its fruit. Yet now we cry to you for help, as the drought in the Murray-Darling basin deepens. Have mercy on our land; have mercy on the people of the land. May your bountiful hand send forth rain upon our parched earth. Fulfil your promises that while the earth remains, seedtime and harvest shall not cease, so that those in remote and rural areas may find relief from their distress and glorify your name for the provision of their needs. We ask this in the name of our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

THOSE IN SICKNESS OR NEED Joan Woodhouse, Beryl Coombe, Robyn & David Forbes, Colin Jackman, Jane Tombs, Jean Nicoll, Judy and Frank Clift, Andrew, Lucilia & Carlota Soares, David Blake, Janet Marsden, Pam Sullivan, Martin Devine, John, Evonne Paddison, Seila, Jean Carolane, Mark Rostoks.

REFUGEES IN DETENTION John Ali Poor Salman, Jogeswaran Narasamani, Palnynappan Vickneswaran, Ravindran Ganesamoorthy, Muralitharan Sellathurai.

YEAR'S MINDS

15 Donald Llewellyn Redding (Bishop) 1969

George Finlay Mitchell (Surveyor of the Fabric, Benefactor) 2006

17 John Burbury Moroney (Canon, Archdeacon) 2015

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NOTICES

NEXT SUNDAY'S PREACHERS (20 OCT) 8am and 9am: The Acting Dean; 10.30am: The Revd John Sanderson; 6pm: The Revd Prof. Mark Lindsay.

FIRE DRILL We will be conducting an evacuation fire drill for the Cathedral at the end of the 10.30am service today. This is nothing to be alarmed about, but is needed to ensure we have the best procedures in place in the unlikely event that an evacuation might be necessary at some time in the future. We will evacuate the building to the car park, and then move to the Barbara Darling Room to share in morning tea as per usual.

WELCOMERS FOR SYNOD SERVICE A few more people are needed to act as welcomers at the Synod Eucharist on Wednesday 16 October at 7pm, please contact Andrew (avictorsen@stpaulscathedral.org.au or 9653 4210) or let Heather or Christopher know if you are able to assist. Thank you to those who have already volunteered.

SEAFARERS CHORAL MATTINS this Annual Service will be held next Sunday at 10.30am. The preacher will be the Revd John Sanderson.

PLEDGES TO SUPPORT THE CANON MISSIONER It is now 6 months since we welcomed our new Canon Missioner, the Revd Canon Robert Vun, to minister here at the Cathedral. This appointment was possible through your generous pledges towards funding this new role. We are very grateful for the extraordinary response of the congregation! If you are yet to fulfil your pledge of support, would you please be so kind as to do so? You can place your donation in an envelope in the offertory plate with a note detailing how much you have pledged, or donate via direct debit, using these details: Account Name: St. Paul's Cathedral, Bank: Anglican Development Fund. BSB: 703-122. Account Number: 05009216. It would be important to insert Reference: 'Canon Missioner'. Many thanks!

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS WORKSHOP Volunteers who are yet to attend a professional standards seminar are encouraged to sign up for the one in the David Penman Room on Friday 25 October (10am-3pm). If you don't know whether you are required to attend a workshop, you can email compliance@stpaulscathedral.org.au to check. Bookings can be made via this link: www.trybooking.com/BEEBM or by calling the Cathedral Office.

CONGREGATION LUNCH (FUND RAISING FOR CAMBODIA PROJECT) A congregation lunch will be held in the Barbara Darling Room next Sunday 20 October following the 10.30am service. There will be silent auctions and other opportunities to help raise funds to support the work of the Cathedral's Cambodia Project in January 2020. All are very welcome. There is no need to book ahead. Cost of lunch: \$12.

NEXT SENIORS MEETING The next Cathedral Seniors meeting will be held at 2.00pm on Friday, October 25 in the Barbara Darling Room. Ms. Jill Giese, a clinical psychologist and winner of the Victorian Premier's History Award, will speak on "*The remarkable story of insanity in colonial Victoria*". Everyone is welcome to attend irrespective of age. Feel free to bring along a friend.