



ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL SOUTHWARK

METROPOLITAN CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST GEORGE



TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)

8 OCTOBER 2017

Readings: Isaiah 5: 1 – 7. Psalm 79: 9. 12 – 16. 19 – 20.
 Philipians 4: 6 – 9. Matthew 21: 33 – 43.

Mass Intentions: 6pm (*Saturday Vigil*): Padraig Madigan – RIP
 8am: Leonida Querubin Laluna – RIP
 10am: Margaret & Patrick O'Dea – RIP
 11.30am: Deceased Members of Southwark Catenians
 6pm: People of the Parish

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Within your will, O Lord, all things are established,
and there is none that can resist your will.
For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth,
and all that is held within the circle of heaven;
you are the Lord of all.

PSALM RESPONSE:

The vineyard of the Lord is the House of Israel.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!
I call you friends, says the Lord,
because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father.
Alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The Lord is good to those who hope in him,
to the soul that seeks him.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

This group is open to all children aged between 4 - 9 years. Parents are asked to ensure their child is signed in each week, by the **parent or carer** who is attending Mass with them, so that we have a correct register should there be an emergency.

This week: Mercy, Frewyne, Georgina & Leena.

PARISH NOTICES:

Last week's collections:

The total collection for last Sunday was **£2,170**. Thank you. If you would like to gift-aid your offering, please see one of the Clergy after Mass.

Today

This is Prisoners Sunday and marks the beginning of Prisons Week, a time of prayer for those in prison, their families and all who work in the criminal justice system.

Next Sunday

St George's Cathedral has been successful in applying for a grant from the Friends of Cathedral Music towards new choir stalls. At the 11.30 Mass next week the FCM will present the cheque to Archbishop Peter.

First Holy Communion 2018

If you live within the cathedral parish and your child is in primary school year 3 or above and you would like them to make their first Holy Communion next May we are launching our programme in November with classes taking place at the Amigo Hall every Saturday at 11 am during term time. Application forms are available from the Cathedral Clergy after Mass. Your application must be returned to the Cathedral Office by no later than Sunday 29th October 2017.

National Mass Count

This is week 2 of the annual Mass count. Would collectors at all Masses please count the number of people present and note it on the form in the basket.

Christmas Fair 2017

The Christmas Fair will be on Sunday 26 November. There will be a planning meeting for all stall holders and anyone who would like to take part on Sunday 15 October at 11 am, downstairs in the Amigo Hall.

Works at Cathedral this Autumn

The investigations in the Summer showed that plaster has been falling out where the original roof construction from after the War has some unintended voids or gaps. Additionally, it was found that the stone ribs are able to move, which, ideally, should not be the case. Work to rectify these problems will start soon. We are grateful to the Archbishop and the diocesan trustees who are funding the work. It could not have been afforded from Parish funds. This week scaffolding will go up in both the North and the South Aisles, and the work

commence, hopefully to be before Christmas. There may be some noise & disruption during the work.

St George's Cathedral Primary School

If your child was born between 1 Sept. 2013 and 31 Aug. 2014, your child is due to start primary school in Sept. 2018. St. George's Cathedral Catholic Primary School have open days for prospective parents on the following dates; Wed 20th Oct. at 10am; Tues. 10th Nov. at 2pm; Wed. 15th Dec. at 10am

October – Month of the Rosary

Those who recite five decades of the rosary in church, or as a family or religious

community, or group may gain a plenary indulgence daily; in other circumstances a partial indulgence; in other circumstances a partial indulgence.

Luncheon Concert

Cantica Kantori, a Danish a cappella choir, will be presenting a lunchtime concert of sacred music in the cathedral on Monday 16 October at 1.30 pm. All are welcome to attend. Admission free.

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration takes place in the Day Chapel every Friday starting at 8am, ending with Evening Prayer and Benediction at 6pm. There is also Adoration from 10am until 12.15pm on Saturday morning.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Sunday 8 October	Prisoners' Sunday and the beginning of Prisons Week
Thursday 12 October	Funeral Mass of Anthony Kidney RIP – Cathedral – 9.30am
Friday 13 October	Feast - St Edward the Confessor
Sunday 15 October	Friends of Cathedral Music Cheque Presentation – Mass celebrated by Archbishop Peter – 11.30am
Monday 16 October	Lunchtime Concert by Cantica Kantori – Cathedral – 1.30pm

MASS & CONFESSION TIMES:

Weekday Mass:	Weekend Mass:	Confession:	Exposition:
Monday to Friday: Mass 7.30am, 12.30pm Evening Prayer and Benediction 6pm (Fridays) Holy Days of Obligation: Mass 7.30am, 12.30pm, 6pm	Saturday: Mass 9.30am, 12.30pm, 6pm (First Mass of Sunday) Sunday: Mass 8am, 10am (Family), 11.30am (Solemn), 1pm (Español), 6pm	Monday to Friday: 12-12.20pm Saturday: 11.15am-12.15pm, 5-5.50pm	Friday: 8am-6pm Saturday: 10am-12.15pm <i>Usually takes place in the Day Chapel</i>

THIS SUNDAY'S HYMNS & MUSIC:

	10am	11.30am	6pm
Organ Music before Mass		Slow Air - S.S.Wesley	(Said Mass)
Entrance Hymn	512 Now thank we all our God	512 Now thank we all our God	
Mass Setting	Mass of St George - Harper (K, G) Johannesburg Mass - Bertalot (S, A)	Missa Brevis (K, S, A) - Ives Gloria VIII (467) Credo III (469)	
Offertory	556 O thou, who at thy Eucharist didst pray	Si iniquitates - S Wesley	
Communion	Ave Maria - Fauré	556 O thou, who at thy Eucharist didst pray	
Recessional Hymn	745 To God be the glory	745 To God be the glory	
Organ Voluntary	Marche de Procession - Guilmant	Rhapsody No 3 - Howells	

Translation of the motet text at the 10am Family Mass:

Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

Translation of the motet text at the 11.30am Solemn Mass:

If thou, Lord, wilt be extreme to mark what is done amiss: O Lord, who may abide it? - Psalm 130 v 3

A full music list for the current Michaelmas Term is available on the Cathedral website.

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