

SOUTHWARK CATHEDRAL

The Seventh Sunday after Trinity



Sunday 30 July 2017

*An inclusive Christian community
growing in orthodox faith and radical love*

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

Giving: *Regular worshippers* are asked to join the Planned Giving Scheme by setting up a bankers order. This greatly helps the Cathedral with financial planning. A blue form is available from the Stewards.

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.)

Children and young people during the 11.00am Eucharist:

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

JuniorXpress 1 and 2 and YouthXpress are now on holiday until 10 September. The creche continues during the summer.

Following the Choral Eucharist tea and coffee are served.

Listen up! Sermons delivered in the Cathedral are available as text from southwark.anglican.org/cathedral/sermons, where you can also find the weekly service sheet. They can also be downloaded as from iTunes by searching for *Southwark Cathedral Sermons*.

Weekly e-newsletter Keep up-to-date with events at Southwark Cathedral: cathedral.southwark.anglican.org/signup

A Safe Church

Any issues relating to the safeguarding of children or vulnerable adults should be directed to the Cathedral Safeguarding Officers, Matthew Knight, matthew.knight@southwark.anglican.org, 020 7367 6726 or Cherry James, cherry.james@southwark.anglican.org. Concerns can be brought to any member of the clergy.



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Today's Services

8.30am Morning Prayer – Southwark Cathedral

Reading Psalm 77; Song of Solomon 2; 1 Peter 4. 7–1. 4

Officiant Canon Wendy Robins

9.00am Eucharist – Southwark Cathedral

Readings 1 Kings 3. 5–12; Romans 8. 26–39; Matthew 13. 31–33, 44–52

Preacher Canon Wendy Robins

9.30am Eucharist – St Hugh's

Preacher Canon Michael Rawson, Sub Dean

11.00am Choral Eucharist – Southwark Cathedral

President Canon Michael Rawson, Sub Dean

Preacher Canon Wendy Robins

Setting Missa brevis · *William Walton*

Stand Entrance Hymn

NEH 440

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation;
O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation:

 Come ye who hear,
 Brothers and sisters draw near,
Praise him in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
Shelters thee under his wings, yea, so gently sustaineth:

 Hast thou not seen
 All that is needful hath been
Granted in what he ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work, and defend thee;
Surely his goodness and mercy here daily attend thee;
Ponder anew
All the Almighty can do,
He who with love doth befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath come now with praises before him!
Let the Amen
Sound from his people again:
Gladly for ay we adore him.

German, Joachim Neander

Translated by Catherine Winkworth

Sit **First Reading**
1 Kings 3. 5–12

Read by Nnewima Nwafor Orizu.

A reading from the first book of Kings.

At Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night; and God said, 'Ask what I should give you.' And Solomon said, 'You have shown great and steadfast love to your servant my father David, because he walked before you in faithfulness, in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart towards you; and you have kept for him this great and steadfast love, and have given him a son to sit on his throne today. And now, O Lord my God, you have made your servant king in place of my father David, although I am only a little child; I do not know how to go out or come in. And your servant is in the midst of the people whom you have chosen, a great people, so numerous they cannot be numbered or counted. Give your servant therefore an understanding mind to govern your people, able to discern between good and evil; for who can govern this your great people?'

It pleased the Lord that Solomon had asked this. God said to him, 'Because you have asked this, and have not asked for yourself long life or riches, or for the life of your enemies, but have asked for yourself understanding to discern what is right, I now do according to your word. Indeed I give you a wise and discerning mind; no one like you has been before you and no one like you shall arise after you.'

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 119. 129–136

Response



Your testimonies are wonderful;
therefore my soul keeps them.
The opening of your word gives light;
it gives understanding to the simple. **R**

I open my mouth and draw in my breath,
as I long for your commandments.
Turn to me and be gracious to me,
as is your way with those who love your name. **R**

Order my steps by your word,
and let no wickedness have dominion over me.
Redeem me from earthly oppressors
so that I may keep your commandments. **R**

Show the light of your countenance upon your servant
and teach me your statutes.
My eyes run down with streams of water,
because the wicked do not keep your law. **R**

Second Reading

Romans 8. 26–39

Read by Derek Drew-Smith.

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans

The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn within a large family. And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified.

What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written, for your sake we are being killed all day long; we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.'

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Stand Gospel Acclamation

Gospel Sentence

The one who sows the good seed is the Son of Man;
the field is the world
and the good seed are the children of the kingdom.

Gospel

Matthew 13. 31–33, 44–52

Jesus put before the crowd another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that someone took and sowed in his field; it is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.'

He told them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed in with three measures of flour until all of it was leavened.'
'The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which someone found and hid; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.
'Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls; on finding one pearl of great value, he went and sold all that he had and bought it.
'Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and caught fish of every kind; when it was full, they drew it ashore, sat down, and put the good into baskets but threw out the bad. So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous and throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.
'Have you understood all this?' They answered, 'Yes.' And he said to them, 'Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like the master of a household who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.'

Sit

Sermon

Canon Wendy Robins

Chorale Prelude

Reading in of the Reverend David Adamson

Sit

Intercessions

Led by Caroline Clifford

Offertory Anthem

Holy is the true light · *William Harris*

Stand Offertory Hymn

NEH 39I

King of glory, King of peace,
 I will love thee;
And that love may never cease,
 I will move thee.
Thou hast granted my request,
 Thou hast heard me;
Thou didst note my working breast,
 Thou hast spared me.

Wherefore with my utmost art
 I will sing thee,
And the cream of all my heart
 I will bring thee.
Though my sins against me cried,
 Thou didst clear me;
And alone, when they replied,
 Thou didst hear me.

Seven whole days, not one in seven,
 I will praise thee;
In my heart, though not in heaven,
 I can raise thee.
Small it is, in this poor sort
 To enrol thee:
E'en eternity's too short
 To extol thee.

George Herbert

Stand Eucharistic Prayer

Prayer B

Communion Anthem

Faire is the heaven · *William Harris*

Stand Final Hymn

CP 591 (tune Hanover NEH 433)

The kingdom of God is justice and joy,
for Jesus restores what sin would destroy;
God's power and glory in Jesus we know,
and here and hereafter the kingdom shall grow.

The kingdom of God is mercy and grace,
the captives are freed, the sinners find place,
the outcast are welcomed God's banquet to share,
and hope is awakened in place of despair.

The kingdom of God is challenge and choice,
believe the good news, repent and rejoice!
His love for us sinners brought Christ to his cross,
our crisis of judgement for gain or for loss.

God's kingdom is come, the gift and the goal,
in Jesus begun, in heaven made whole;
the heirs of the kingdom shall answer his call,
and all things cry 'Glory!' to God all in all.

Bryn Rees

3.00pm Choral Evensong

Responses William Byrd

Setting Second Service · *Orlando Gibbons*

Hymns 388; 415 (tune Richmond 346)

Psalm 75

Readings I Kings 6. 11–14, 23–38; Acts 12. 1–17

Anthem Pied Beauty · *Richard Sisson*

Preacher Canon Gilly Myers, Precentor

6.00pm Compline

Prayers

All those for whom prayers have been asked this week:

The Sick

Mary Cooper, Martha Woodward Russell, Annabelle Guidi, Jennifer Barter, Don Ely, Nathan Clegg, Robin Sherlock, Tony Zotti, Jean Freeman, Pamela Hewitt, John Noble, Sarah Rawlins, Richard Hoare, Lyn Jones, Ronnie Slaven, Hilda Aarons, Ray Gardner, David Jones, Karen Darling, Elisabeth and Maurice Dunman, Andrew Hutchinson, Abi Smith, Edmund Plaxton.

The Departed

Danny Haxton, Brian Goodliffe, John Dales, Gladys White, Doreta Lovering, Vic Hancox, John Foskett.

Mission allocation partners

Southwark Cathedral Education Centre
Working annually with 9,000 children from inner city schools, the Education Centre is the Cathedral's most extensive social outreach project.

USPG

Their aim lies in supporting Churches and communities in the Anglican Communion all around the world in mission and service.

Today

Welcome

to *Vivamus* who are singing today's Choral Eucharist and Evensong.

3.00pm (NEW TIME!)

Songs of Praise

The programme recorded at Southwark Cathedral on Monday 3 July will be broadcast on BBC 1.

This Week

Monday 31 July

6.30pm

Tate Community Film Club

is showing *Peggy Guggenheim: Art Addict* (2015), a documentary on the life of one of world's most colourful art collectors, in the Tate Modern's Starr Cinema.

The evening starts with refreshments at 6.30pm; the screening begins at 7.00pm.

Tate Community Film Club is open to everyone living in Southwark and Lambeth. To join, please email communityfilmclub@tate.org.uk.

Exhibition

22 July–1 September

Richard Miller: A Portrait of Southwark and Bermondsey

Winner of the National Portrait Gallery's 2016 South of the River photo competition, Richard's recent works observe people and places in and around Southwark and Bermondsey at a time of phenomenal change.

"I try to acknowledge the area's rich history, capture a flavour of people living here and now and also pose the question, 'What will people think of us 100 years from now?'"

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 (Evensong on

Tuesday and Wednesday)

Tuesday 1 August

12.15pm

Lammas Day

Blessing of the bread at *Bread Ahead* in Borough Market followed by a Eucharist in the Cathedral at 12.45pm.

Saturday

9.00am Morning Prayer

9.15am Eucharist

4.00pm Evensong (sung by St Hild's Singers)

Next Sunday's Services

8.30am Morning Prayer

9.00am Eucharist

Preacher: Canon Leanne Roberts,
Treasurer

9.30am Eucharist at St Hugh's

11.00am Choral Eucharist

Preacher: Canon Leanne Roberts,
Treasurer

3.00pm Choral Evensong

Preacher: Canon Michael Rawson,
Sub Dean

6.00pm Traditional Rite Eucharist

Future Events

Monday 7 August

2.30pm

The American Youth Harp Ensemble

Under the direction of Lynnelle Ediger-Kordzaia, the American Youth Harp Ensemble bring world class music to you as seen on CNN, NBC, ABC, PBS and NPR affiliate stations.

Tuesday 8 August

7.00–8.30pm

Fighting Proud – The Untold Story of Gay Men who fought in the World Wars

Historian Stephen Bourne uncovers tales of bravery and sacrifice by gay soldiers during WWI and WWII. Free tickets and more information via fightingproud.eventbrite.co.uk

Wednesday 9 August

6.00pm

Stained Glass Tour

A journey through time and colour. We will look at some of London's best examples of 20th century stained glass and find out about the techniques used in their production.

Tickets £8, via southwarkcathedral.eventbrite.com or in the Cathedral Shop. For more information contact cathedraltours@southwark.anglican.org

Sunday 13 August

4.30–6.00pm

Shakespeare Walk

Explore the area where he lived and worked. Tickets (£10) and more information via southwarkcathedral.eventbrite.com

Wednesday 16 August

6.30–7.30pm

Cathedral Tour

Explore 900 years of religious life in this one hour tour as we learn about the priory that became a church that became a Cathedral. Tickets (£8) and more information via southwarkcathedral.eventbrite.com

Thursday 17 August

2.30pm

Simon Halsey and Orfeo Català sing Duruflé

Simon Halsey conducts Barcelona's Orfeo Català choir for the first time in London. More information: orfeocatala.cat

7.00–8.30pm

Bodysnatching in Southwark Talk

Join Kirsty Chilton as she uncovers the macabre story of bodysnatching in 18th century Southwark. Free tickets and more information via bodysnatchingsouthwark.eventbrite.co.uk

Friday 18 August

6.00pm

Inclusive Drinks

Following on from informal Pre-Pride Drinks in July, there will be Inclusive Drinks for anyone who identifies as LGBTQI+, or for those who are supporting, in the Cathedral community.

The evening will be in the courtyard/refectory, so you can buy libations, and it will be held in a supportive and friendly atmosphere, aimed at building a stronger community and more friendships with others.

The event is run by Matthew Hall, you can email him at matthew.hall@southwark.anglican.org for more information.

Sunday 20 August

12.30pm

Book launch – Doorkins the Cathedral Cat

Written by Lisa Gutwein, illustrated by Rowan Ambrose, and published by Jessica Kingsley, this first book about our very own majestic cat is released after the Choral Eucharist. Please do join us. The book is available to pre-order from the Cathedral Shop for the special price of £9.99.

Wednesday 23 August

6.30–7.30pm

Cathedral Tour

Explore 900 years of religious life in this one hour tour as we learn about the priory that became a church that became a Cathedral. Tickets (£8) and more information via southwarkcathedral.eventbrite.com

Saturday 26 August

10.30–11.30am

Draw & Tour – Southwark Cathedral’s Literary Connections

Spend an hour drawing and touring the Cathedral with one of our Guides. Tickets (£6.50) and further information via drawliteraryconnections.eventbrite.co.uk

Wednesday 30 August

7.00–9.00pm

Candlelit Photography Evening

Our popular photography evening is back and is perfect for amateurs and professional photographers. Tickets (£10) and more information via candlelitsouthwarkaug.eventbrite.co.uk

Sunday 10 September

12.30pm

Mothers’ Union Cake Sale

Fundraising Cake Sale after the 11am Eucharist. Donations of home made cakes from the congregation would be really welcomed, especially some which are gluten free. Cakes can be eaten on the spot or taken home to enjoy later! We are grateful for all the support you have given in the past and look forward to a fabulous sale for our Patronal Festival!

Monday 11 September

2.30pm

Memorial Service for Canon Roy White

Saturday 23 September

4.00pm

Organ Recital by Stephen Disley at St Michael, Betchworth

Stephen Disley will be playing St Michael’s Kenneth Tickell organ (2014) in aid of Church Funds. Tickets (£12/£8 for under 14s) include glass of wine/soft drink and are on sale from 01737 843498 or betchworthchurchmusic@hotmail.co.uk. Tickets also available on the door.

General Notices

Friday 6 October

6.30pm

Friends' Quiz Night

A great night out for friends and family. Tickets are £15 per person or £110 for a table of eight. The ticket price includes a light supper. There will also be a bar for you to buy drinks throughout the evening. More information and tickets via Kate Dean, kate.dean@southwark.anglican.org, 020 7367 6724

24 November

Save the Date: Sleepout for the Homeless

Southwark Cathedral is holding another Sleepout, after raising more than £100k last year and getting 41 people into stable accommodation. This time, for the 10th anniversary of the Robes Project Winter Night Shelters, we hope to bump it up to £130,000. So please join us and save the date. 24 November 2017, at 7pm. robes.org.uk/annual-sleepout/

1, 2 and 3 December

Christmas Market - Bookings for stalls now being taken!

This is an annual event organised by the Friends. The stallholders sell a beautiful range of unique items, mostly fairly traded. If you would like to be involved in helping with this event please contact Kate, kate.dean@southwark.anglican.org, 020 7367 6724

LGBT Course Booklet

The LGBT Course has ended but the course booklet is still available digitally should you be interested. Please email Evelin Arweck, evelin.arweck@southwark.anglican.org, to receive a pdf copy.

Food Bank

Weekly sessions of the Waterloo Foodbank are running at St George the Martyr Church at Borough on Mondays, 9.30–11.30am. If you would like to be involved and could spare a couple of hours please contact mm@marionmarples.co.uk.

Food donations can be brought to the Cathedral Shop. Current needs: tinned vegetables, tinned meats, tinned fruit, small packs cereals.

Lucy Brown House Volunteers needed

Meet residents for a cup of tea and a chat on Wednesdays at 3.30–4.30pm. For some residents this is the highlight of the week! Contact mm@marionmarples.co.uk if interested to join the rota. Thank you.

Congratulations

to Richard Geary, the Sheltered Housing Officer in charge of Lucy Brown House, who has received a Housing Heroes Award from Southwark Council for his tireless work on behalf of residents, raising the profile of the unit and working with local businesses and charities to support residents.

Visiting the Iona Community in Scotland

The Iona Community is a dispersed Christian ecumenical community working for peace and social justice, rebuilding of community and the renewal of worship. They run some island residential centres on the west coast of Scotland where groups and individuals take part in weeks on a variety of themes. A few congregation members have been considering the possibility of a small group from the Cathedral visiting Iona, to spend a week with the community next year in the spring/summer. Once their programme for 2018 is published we will be able to look at more details, but in principle you might be interested and would like to receive more details when available please email amanda.c.hill@googlemail.com so that we can gauge the level of interest.

For reference, in 2017 the cost of the week on Iona was £389 (£188 for those on low income/students/U21s). We estimate it would take about a day to a day and a half to travel to Iona from London (and then the same on return) and the cost of this travel will need to be added on.

If you would like to read more about the Iona Community, their website is iona.org.uk

Lesson-readers, Intercessors and Eucharistic Ministers (Communion Administrants) for the Eucharist

Many of you have responded to the call for volunteers to undertake these roles, and training is underway. If you have not volunteered to take part in these vital elements of our weekly ministry, please could we encourage you to do so? We are keen to represent the diversity of our congregations in these teams, and particularly welcome applications from men, young people, members of ethnic minorities and people with disabilities.

Sunday Eucharist at 9.00 am

We are introducing lay intercessors at the 9.00 am Sunday Eucharists, and would welcome more volunteers to do this, and to be Eucharistic Ministers at 9.00 am.

Those who have ministered in these ways here recently or in the past are also welcome to apply.

To request an application pack or for an informal chat about the role, please contact Michelle Ford, Volunteers Officer, 020 7367 6739 or michelle.ford@southwark.anglican.org

Training Dates:

Saturdays, 11.00am – 1.00pm
9 September – Eucharistic Ministers
30 September – Lesson Readers
28 October – Intercessors

Christmas Notelet

Last year the Friends of Southwark Cathedral produced a small Christmas notelet to sell and raise funds. The card was drawn by an ex-Chorister and proved to be very popular. It was not a Christmas card but something which could be used as a thank you card, invitation or small letter.

This year we are going to run a competition to find a new card for 2018.

Entries will need to be sent to the Friends office by 10 October. We need to ask artists to restrict the number of colours used to 3 in order to make reproduction of the card financially viable. A judging panel will select a design on 14 October. The winning card will be printed into a small Christmas notelet and sold to raise funds for the Friends, acknowledging the artist on the rear of the card.

We hope you will be happy to support the Friends by participating in this competition.

Evacuation and security

The Chapter is always concerned for the safety of all who come to the Cathedral for any reason. The Stewards are fully trained in evacuation procedures and, should any incident occur, you are asked to follow their instructions. In the light of recent events we ask that all in the Cathedral act responsibly with regard to bags and possessions and not leave anything unattended.



The Cathedral and Collegiate Church of St Saviour and St Mary Overy, 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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