

SOUTHWARK  
◆ CATHEDRAL ◆

**EUCCHARIST**

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

SUNDAY 6 JULY 2025  
9.00AM

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## WELCOME TO SOUTHWARK CATHEDRAL

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*Please stand as the President, The Very Rev'd Dr Mark Oakley, Dean of Southwark, enters.*

## THE GATHERING

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In the name of the Father,  
and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit.

**All      Amen.**

The Lord be with you.

**All      and also with you.**

*The President welcomes the congregation and introduces the celebration.*

## THE PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

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Jesus says, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand.'  
So let us turn away from sin and turn to the Lord,  
confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

*Silence is kept.*

**All      Almighty God, our heavenly Father,  
we have sinned against you  
and against our neighbour  
in thought and word and deed,  
through negligence, through weakness,  
through our own deliberate fault.  
We are truly sorry  
and repent of all our sins.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
who died for us,  
forgive us all that is past  
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life  
to the glory of your name.  
Amen.**

## THE ABSOLUTION

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May the God of love and power  
forgive you and free you from all your sins,  
heal and strengthen you by his Spirit,  
and raise you to new life in Christ our Lord.

**All      Amen.**

## GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

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**All      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.  
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.**

## THE COLLECT

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Let us pray.

*Silence is kept.*

Almighty God,  
you have broken the tyranny of sin  
and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts  
whereby we call you Father:  
give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service,  
that we and all creation may be brought  
to the glorious liberty of the children of God;  
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.

**All      Amen.**

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

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*Please be seated.*

### THE FIRST READING

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**Isaiah 66.10–14**

*Read by the Duty Verger*

A reading from the Book of Isaiah.

Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her,  
all you who love her;  
rejoice with her in joy,  
all you who mourn over her—  
that you may nurse and be satisfied  
from her consoling breast;  
that you may drink deeply with delight  
from her glorious bosom.  
For thus says the Lord:  
I will extend prosperity to her like a river,  
and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream;  
and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm,  
and dandled on her knees.

As a mother comforts her child,  
so I will comfort you;  
you shall be comforted in Jerusalem.  
You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice;  
your bodies shall flourish like the grass;  
and it shall be known that the hand of the Lord is with his servants,  
and his indignation is against his enemies.

This is the word of the Lord.

**All Thanks be to God.**

## THE RESPONSORIAL PSALM

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### **Psalm 66.1-4, 7-8**

*The response is:*

**Be joyful in God, all the earth.**

Be joyful in God, all the earth;  
sing the glory of his name;  
sing the glory of his praise.  
Say to God, 'How awesome are your deeds!  
Because of your great strength  
your enemies shall bow before you. **R**

'All the earth shall worship you,  
sing to you, sing praise to your name.'  
Come now and behold the works of God,  
how wonderful he is in his dealings with humankind. **R**

Bless our God, O you peoples;  
make the voice of his praise to be heard,  
Who holds our souls in life  
and suffers not our feet to slip. **R**

## THE SECOND READING

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### **Galatians 6.1-10**

*Read by Juanita Fan*

A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Galatians.

My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfil the law of Christ. For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbour's work, will become a cause for pride. For all must carry their own loads.

Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher.

Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

This is the word of the Lord.

**All      Thanks be to God.**

## THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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Alleluia, alleluia!

Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening:

You have the words of eternal life.

**All      Alleluia!**

## THE GOSPEL

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### **Luke 10.1-11, 16-20**

**All** The Lord be with you  
**and also with you.**

**All** Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.  
**Glory to you, O Lord.**

the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, "Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near."

'Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me.'

The seventy returned with joy, saying, 'Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.'

**All** This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Please be seated.*

## THE SERMON

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**The Very Rev'd Dr Mark Oakley, Dean of Southwark**



# THE CREED

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*Please stand.*

**All      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 from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and was made man.**

**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.**

## THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

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In the power of the Spirit  
and in union with Christ  
let us pray to the Father.

*Please be seated or kneel.*

*The prayers are led by* **Mark Harrington**

*These responses may be used:*

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

*(or)*

Lord, hear us.  
**All      Lord, graciously hear us.**

*And at the end:*

Merciful Father,  
**All      accept these prayers  
            for the sake of your Son,  
            our Saviour Jesus Christ.  
            Amen.**

# THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

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*Please stand.*

## THE PEACE

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We are all one in Christ Jesus.  
We belong to him through faith,  
heirs of the promise of the Spirit of peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you  
**All      and also with you.**

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

*Bread and wine are presented at the Altar. A collection is taken (cash or contactless as detailed on page 2). Please use this QR code or the link to donate online.*

**<https://bit.ly/3T6o2tL>**



## THE PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

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Blessèd be God,  
by whose grace creation is renewed,  
by whose love heaven is opened,  
by whose mercy we offer our sacrifice of praise.

**All      Amen.**

## THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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The Lord be with you  
**All      and also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**All      We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All      It is right to give thanks and praise.**

It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation,  
always and everywhere to give you thanks,  
holy Father, almighty and eternal God.

From sunrise to sunset this day is holy,  
for Christ has risen from the tomb  
and scattered the darkness of death  
with light that will not fade.

This day the risen Lord walks with your gathered people,  
unfolds for us your word,  
and makes himself known in the breaking of the bread.  
And though the night will overtake this day  
you summon us to live in endless light,  
the never-ceasing sabbath of the Lord.

And so, with choirs of angels  
and with all the heavenly host,  
we proclaim your glory  
and join their unending song of praise:

**All      Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessèd is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness;  
grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit,  
and according to your holy will,  
these gifts of bread and wine  
may be to us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ;

who, in the same night that he was betrayed,  
took bread and gave you thanks;  
he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;  
do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper  
he took the cup and gave you thanks;  
he gave it to them, saying:  
Drink this, all of you;  
this is my blood of the new covenant,  
which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this, as often as you drink it,  
in remembrance of me.

**All      Great is the mystery of faith:  
Christ has died.  
Christ is risen.  
Christ will come again.**

And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross,  
his perfect sacrifice made once for the sins of the whole world;  
rejoicing in his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension,  
and looking for his coming in glory,  
we celebrate this memorial of our redemption.

As we offer you this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving,  
we bring before you this bread and this cup  
and we thank you for counting us worthy  
to stand in your presence and serve you.

Send the Holy Spirit on your people  
and gather into one in your kingdom  
all who share this one bread and one cup,  
so that we, in the company of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
and all the saints,  
may praise and glorify you for ever,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord;

by whom, and with whom, and in whom,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father,  
for ever and ever.

**All      Amen.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

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As our Saviour taught us so we pray.

*Please pray in whichever language you feel most comfortable.*

<b>All</b>	<b>Our Father in heaven,</b>	Baba wa...
	<b>hallowed be your name,</b>	Notre Père...
	<b>your kingdom come,</b>	天におられる私たちの父よ...
	<b>your will be done,</b>	Nna anyi...
	<b>on earth as in heaven.</b>	Fader vår...
	<b>Give us today our daily bread,</b>	Pai nosso...
	<b>Forgive us our sins</b>	हे हमारे स्वर्गबासी पिता...
	<b>as we forgive those who sin against us.</b>	Padre nuestro...
	<b>Lead us not into temptation</b>	我們在天上的父...
	<b>but deliver us from evil.</b>	Отче наш...
	<b>For the kingdom, the power,</b>	하늘에 계신 우리 아버지...
	<b>and the glory are yours</b>	Πάτερ ἡμῶν...
	<b>now and for ever.</b>	اے ہمارے باپ
	<b>Amen.</b>	

## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

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We break this bread  
to share in the body of Christ.

**All      Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread.**

## AGNUS DEI

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**All      Lamb of God  
you take away the sin of the world,  
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God  
you take away the sin of the world,  
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God  
you take away the sin of the world,  
grant us peace.**

## THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION

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Draw near with faith.  
Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ  
which he gave for you,  
and his blood which he shed for you.  
Eat and drink  
in remembrance that he died for you,  
and feed on him in your hearts  
by faith with thanksgiving.

*Please be seated. If you wish to receive Holy Communion or a blessing, please follow the directions of the Stewards. Please do not dip the host into the chalice. If you would like to receive a blessing, please bow your head.*

*Members of all Christian churches are welcome to receive Communion. Whatever your faith tradition or background, you are most welcome to draw near for a blessing.*

## THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

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*Please stand.*

Let us pray.

*Silence is kept.*

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining  
and whose power we cannot comprehend:  
show us your glory as far as we can grasp it,  
and shield us from knowing more than we can bear  
until we may look upon you without fear;  
through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

**All      Amen.**

**All      Fill us, good Lord, with your Spirit of love;  
and as you have fed us  
with the one bread of heaven,  
so make us one in heart and mind,  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**

## THE NOTICES

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*Please be seated.*

## THE BLESSING & DISMISSAL

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*Please stand.*

The Lord be with you  
**All      and also with you.**

May God, who in Christ gives us a spring of water  
welling up to eternal life,  
perfect in you the image of his glory;  
and the blessing of God almighty,  
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,  
be among you and remain with you always.

**All      Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**All      In the name of Christ. Amen.**

*Please leave the Cathedral by the North West doors and the Millennium Courtyard.  
Please consider supporting us by giving using the contactless donation points if you  
have not set up a regular payment. Thank you for joining us. We look forward to  
welcoming you back.*

# NOTICES

## WORSHIP

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Services marked with an \* are livestreamed on the Cathedral's YouTube page:  
<https://www.youtube.com/@southwarkcathedral2224/streams>

Services marked with a † are only available online.

Preachers are indicated in italics.

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### SUNDAY 6 JULY • THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.30am	<b>Morning Prayer*</b>
9.00am	<b>Eucharist</b> <i>The Very Rev'd Dr Mark Oakley, Dean of Southwark</i>
9.30am	<b>Eucharist at St Hugh's</b> <i>The Rev'd Dr Alun Ford, Chaplain to the Bishop of Southwark</i>
11.00am	<b>Choral Eucharist with Baptisms &amp; Farewell to the Dean's Verger*</b> <i>The Very Rev'd Dr Mark Oakley, Dean of Southwark</i>
3.00pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b> <b>with the Installation of the Archdeacon of Wandsworth</b> <i>The Bishop of Southwark, The Rt Rev'd Christopher Chessun</i>
6.00pm	<b>Compline†</b>

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### MONDAY 7 — FRIDAY 11 JULY

9.00am	<b>Morning Prayer*</b>
9.30am	<b>Eucharist</b> (Tuesday only)
12.30pm	<b>Midday Prayer</b> <i>with The Litany of Reconciliation</i> (Monday & Friday only)
12.45pm	<b>Eucharist</b>
5.30pm	<b>Evening Prayer or Choral Evensong</b>

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### SATURDAY 12 JULY

9.00am	<b>Morning Prayer*</b>
9.30am	<b>Eucharist</b>
4.00pm	<b>Choral Evensong with the Old Choristers' Association</b> <b>in Thanksgiving for Volunteers</b>

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### SUNDAY 13 JULY • THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.30am	<b>Morning Prayer*</b>
9.00am	<b>Eucharist</b> <i>Canon Wendy Robins, Chancellor</i>
9.30am	<b>Eucharist at St Hugh's</b> <i>The Rev'd Delorine Green</i>
11.00am	<b>Choral Eucharist*</b> <i>Canon Wendy Robins, Chancellor</i>
3.00pm	<b>Choral Evensong with the Valediction of Choristers</b> <i>Canon Kathryn Fleming, Precentor</i>
6.00pm	<b>Compline†</b>



## CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

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Children and young people are an important part of our Cathedral family and play a vital role in our life together. We would love to encourage your children to join one of our Sunday groups for young people.

### CRÈCHE

During the 11.00am Sunday Eucharist, crèche facilities are available in the Chapter Room for accompanied children under 4.

### JUNIOR XPRESS

Junior Xpress is for children in Reception to Year, gathering each week in term time in the Cathedral and after a prayer and blessing will go for worship and activities before rejoining the rest of the congregation for the Lord's Prayer and Holy Communion. Children are warmly invited to join Junior Xpress, especially if this is their first time. More details can be obtained from the Sub Dean:

[michael.rawson@southwark.anglican.org](mailto:michael.rawson@southwark.anglican.org)

### YOUTH XPRESS

Young people in Years 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 are invited to join Youth Xpress for discussion and debate around Christian themes. Breakfast is provided. We meet one Sunday every month at 10.45am in the Cathedral Library. **The next session is on Sunday 13 July.**

## CATHEDRAL LISTENING TEAM

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Would you like to talk to someone confidentially? Is something/one on your heart? The Cathedral Listening team are volunteers, who sit in the Retrochoir behind the High Altar after the Choral Eucharist on a Sunday, ready to listen to anyone who would like to talk in confidence. They are available from after the service until 1.00pm. If you would like to talk to a Cathedral Listener, please approach them directly or sit nearby if they are already occupied.

## GIVING TO THE CATHEDRAL

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We are encouraging everyone to join the Parish Giving Scheme. If you need any help signing up online or if you would prefer to have a paper copy of the application form please speak with our wardens, Linda and Kristin or contact Canon Michael Rawson.

The Cathedral is keen to change to a more ethical and environmentally friendly bank and the move from a large number of standing orders to one monthly transfer from the Parish Giving Scheme makes this aspiration achievable.

You can sign up at: <https://tinyurl.com/bdздpuhp>. You will need your personal bank account details; the name of our parish: **Southwark Cathedral**; the PGS code for our parish: **370637001**; and whether you are eligible for Gift Aid.

## A SAFE CHURCH

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Canon Kathryn Fleming, Precentor, is Chapter Lead for Safeguarding. Any issues relating to the safeguarding of children or vulnerable adults should be directed to the Cathedral Safeguarding Officers in the first instance:

**Cherry James** [cherry.james@southwark.anglican.org](mailto:cherry.james@southwark.anglican.org)

**Helen Quintrell** [hmqmc3@gmail.com](mailto:hmqmc3@gmail.com)

**Jill Tilley** [jill.tilley@southwark.anglican.org](mailto:jill.tilley@southwark.anglican.org)

Concerns can be brought to any member of the clergy.

## PAUL TIMMS' RETIREMENT AS DEAN'S VERGER

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Following the 11.00am Choral Eucharist today we will be saying farewell to Paul Timms as he retires as Dean's Verger after over 30 years of service at Southwark Cathedral. Do join us for celebratory drinks.

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE RT REV'D MOIRA ASTIN

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We send our prayers and good wishes to Moira Astin who was consecrated Bishop of Crediton at St Paul's Cathedral on Thursday 3 July.

## OLD CHORISTERS' CHORAL EVENSONG

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**SATURDAY 12 JULY 2025, 3.00PM REHEARSAL, 4.00PM CHORAL EVENSONG**

We are pleased to announce our 2025 Old Choristers' event. We would love to see the stalls full of former members of the music department, and for those who don't wish to sing, please do still attend, join for a drink afterwards, and relive your Southwark days! I am delighted that Peter Wright and Stephen Disley will be conducting, and the organ will be played by our current acting Sub-Organist, James Gough. Music will include Parry's epic 'Blest pair of Sirens'. There is no cost to attend, but in due course it would be helpful to know numbers, so please let us know if you're able to come. We would also love to hear your memories and anecdotes from your time at Southwark!

If you would like to be included in our mailing list, please email us on [Cathedral.Oldchoristers@southwark.anglican.org](mailto:Cathedral.Oldchoristers@southwark.anglican.org). N.B. we will not be spamming your inbox – just an annual update on planned events for the association!

Finally – please help us spread the word! Our records are not particularly comprehensive, so we may well have missed lots of former Southwark musicians. Please mention this event to your former colleagues, and point them in the direction of this page, or the email address above, so we can stay in touch.

# THE FRIENDS OF SOUTHWARK CATHEDRAL

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## FRIENDS' AGM

We were pleased to welcome so many Friends to our recent AGM - thank you for joining us. We have received notes and calls thanking the trustees for the presentation and their work to develop a new Friends strategy linking future objectives to the Cathedral's vision 'Making Space for Love'. We have exciting times ahead.

## CALL FOR NEW FRIENDS' TRUSTEES

With the new strategy in mind the Friends are currently seeking new trustees and are keen to hear from those with experience in marketing and strategy, finance and compliance, or events and membership operations. Whether you've been a Friend for years or just joined, this is a great chance to get more involved – and add some sparkle to your CV. Email [Kate.Dean@southwark.anglican.org](mailto:Kate.Dean@southwark.anglican.org) for more information

## FRIENDS' CÉILIDH • FRIDAY 25 JULY

The Ceilidh takes place next month. Joining us will be The Ceilidh Tree providing live music and helpful instruction as we dance in the beautiful cathedral. Tickets are available via Ticket Taylor.

<https://buytickets.at/thefriendsofsouthwarkcathedral/1648296>

## STOWE HOUSE & GARDENS • MONDAY 4 AUGUST

We have a group taking a visit to Stowe House & Gardens on Monday 4 August. Contact the office for more ticket information.

## PILGRIMAGE TO WINCHESTER

The pilgrimage continues and the group walk together on the third Saturday of each month. All tickets can be purchased via the Friends' pages on Eventbrite.

## BECOME A FRIEND

Still thinking of joining us? We'd love to welcome you. The Friends play a vital part in contributing to the future of the Cathedral and its mission and membership costs from £25 a year. [Join the Friends today!](#)

## CONTACT FRIENDS' OFFICE

You can email the Friends: [Kate.dean@southwark.anglican.org](mailto:Kate.dean@southwark.anglican.org), call 020 7367 3724 or post to:

**The Friends of Southwark Cathedral**  
**Southwark Cathedral**  
**London Bridge**  
**London, SE1 9DA**

## ROBES

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Since 2007 Robes has operated across Southwark and Lambeth to provide shelter for people who find themselves homeless.

The Cathedral community was key to forming the charity and the drive from people including George Martin has seen the charity grow from a small emergency response to homelessness in the local area to one of the larger providers of winter night shelters in the area. With the support of over 30 Church venues and over 1000 volunteers, Robes continues to go from strength to strength.

The connection between the Cathedral and Robes is strong. We already host the Winter sleepout event to raise £100k a year for the charity, over 50 of our volunteers run the winter night shelter on Friday nights and Saturday morning during the Winter months and we host the staff team in the Cathedral offices. We want to build on this work and are seeking to support the charity by seeking several new trustees to join the organisation and also a chair due to a number of trustees serving full terms of office.

We are seeking people who are committed to social justice and homeless prevention and we are also looking for experience of:

- leading long-term strategic development
- driving financial sustainability.
- Fundraising
- Direct experience of hostels or homeless services
- Charity and voluntary sector

We are looking for someone who can act as a passionate and persuasive advocate for Robes who is keen to build on the legacy of Robes and ensure our guests, volunteers and sister churches grow and thrive together.

Candidates must have excellent interpersonal skills, be willing to be an ambassador for Robes, be interested in developing opportunities and have a real empathy and passion for the work we do.

If you want to play a leading part in shaping the future of Robes then we would be delighted to hear from you. Please contact Neil Tryner [nptryner@gmail.com](mailto:nptryner@gmail.com) or the Dean [mark.oakley@southwark.anglican.org](mailto:mark.oakley@southwark.anglican.org)

## LIVING FAITHFULLY

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The summer Living Faithfully programme is now available on our website and leaflets in the Mandela porch.

## ARE YOU NEW TO THE CATHEDRAL?

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We would love to get to know you, so please complete a Newcomer form, available from the stewards or contact the Sub Dean [michael.rawson@southwark.anglican.org](mailto:michael.rawson@southwark.anglican.org)

## GLORIA! CATHEDRAL CHOIR SUMMER CONCERT

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**THE 25<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE GIRLS' CHOIR**

**FRIDAY 11 JULY 2025, 7.30PM**



Join us on for an evening of beautiful music as we celebrate the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the founding of the Girls' Choir at Southwark Cathedral. Our Girls' choir will be performing a selection of uplifting music to lift your spirits and fill your heart with joy. You are very welcome to join us for drinks (not included in the ticket price) from our bar afterwards hopefully enjoying the summer weather in the Cathedral Churchyard. Scan the QR code for more information.

## THE BIG KNIT

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**SATURDAY 26 JULY 2025, 10.00AM-4.00PM**

We want to say a huge thank you to everyone who donated yarn to be used during this year's Big Cathedral Knit. Between donations to us and to Craft Forward, we now have enough for the event.

All are welcome to join us on the day for what should be a wonderful and fun event. Please visit the Cathedral Eventbrite for [further information](#).

## THE FOLDING OF PEACE DOVES

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We are looking for volunteers to help fold thousands of doves for our upcoming installation in the Cathedral. Please join us if you can on Sunday 13 July and Sunday 20 July in the Chapter Room following the 11.00am service until 3.00pm. Teas and coffees will be available. Instructions will be provided on how to fold the doves. Thank you for your support.

## ORGAN RECITALS

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**MONDAY 7 JULY, 1.20PM**  
**MONDAY 14 JULY, 1.20PM**  
**MONDAY 21 JULY, 1.20PM**  
**MONDAY 28 JULY, 1.20PM**

**William Saunders (Concert Organist)**  
**Mark Shepherd (London)**  
**Mathew Blaiden (St Stephen's, Rochester Row)**  
**Polina Sosnina (St Martin-in-the-Fields)**

## COMMUNITY OF THE CROSS OF NAILS EVENT

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**MONDAY 13 OCTOBER 2025, 6.15PM for 6.30PM**



You are invited to a special event *What is Ours To Do? Reconciliation in Everyday Living* at Southwark Cathedral. It is being organised by the Cathedral's Community of the Cross of Nails group in collaboration with St Ethelburga's Centre for Reconciliation and Peace. We will gather from 6.15pm for a 6.30pm start and will finish at 8.00pm. The event is free, but we ask that you register at

Eventbrite by scanning the QR code so that we have an idea of the number of people wishing to attend.

## SAVE THE DATE: PARISH PICNIC

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**SUNDAY 31 AUGUST 2025**

Everyone is invited to the Parish Picnic in the Cathedral church yard after the 11.00am service on the 31 August. Please bring enough food for yourself and something to share. This will be a perfect way to mark the end of the summer season with time over lunch together, in a relaxed environment.

Please put the date in your diary and we look forward to sharing with you all the practical arrangements during July.

Kristin and Linda

## SOUTHWARK CATHEDRAL PODCAST

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Hosted by members of the Southwark Cathedral team, each episode delves into an area of our mission and opens up a side of our work beyond the pulpit.

Listen to our latest episode here: <https://southwarkcathedralpodcast.podbean.com/>

## WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY AT ST HUGH'S

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**THURSDAYS, 7.30PM**

The Thursday Bible Study at St Hugh's, Bermondsey SE1 3PT is inclusive, friendly and perfect for beginners or growing your confidence. Contact Bukky Omisakim for more information: <https://sthughsbbermondsey.org.uk/bible-study/>

## BACH MEDITATION

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**SUNDAY 27 JULY, 4.30PM**

Join Cathedral Assistant Organist James Gough, Canon Kathryn Fleming, Precentor, and a host of instrumentalists for a meditation on the music of Bach. Entry is free.

# SOUTHWARK

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2025

## Summer Organ Festival

**Mondays in August, 7-8pm**

**4 August**

**Wayne Marshall**

*in conversation with Dr Andrew Gant from 6.30pm*

**11 August**

**Simon Hogan**

*in conversation with Peter Wright from 6.30pm*

**18 August**

**Andrew Dewar**

*in conversation with James Gough from 6.30pm*

**25 August**

**Isabelle Demers**

*in conversation with Katelyn Emerson from 6.30pm*

### Tickets

from £12 (concessions available). Available from the Cathedral website and Eventbrite.

Supported by:



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## PRAYER LIST

### THE SICK

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Diane P, Christopher KD, Theodora M, Caroline W, Mo, Zak, Matthew H, Anne S, Tom, Debbie L, Alan BF, Sr Sue, Pippa R, Larisa, Caroline C, Marlene C, Ryan D, Millie K, Fred S, Helen S, Hannah C, Pam M, Jean P, Benjamin, Elizabeth H, Sally P, David H, Amanda E, Dinah K, Sarah R, Lizzie G

### THE DEPARTED

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Susan Mary Strong, Brian Farris, Leonard (Sunny) Boothe, Elaine Lloyd, Aileen Harrington, Marjorie Robinson, John Rendall, Maurice Dunman, Maureen Harris

### YEAR'S MIND

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Jim Wilson, Bryan Trevor, Robert McConnell, Derek Bartlett



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## PRAYER FOR THOSE RECENTLY ORDAINED

*Please join us in praying this week for those recently ordained this Peter- and Thomas-tide, and those who will be ordained later this month.*

### **MONDAY** *Priests*

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Oliver Butlin (27 July)  
Daniel Grayson  
Amanda Emberley

Zimuzo Okoli (27 July)  
Rachel Gardner  
Michael Addis

Bethany Austin  
Wayne Barron

### **TUESDAY** *Priests*

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Alexandre Garziglia  
Joanne McCrone  
Anna Mills

Owen Morgan  
Debra Elsdon  
Graham Hains (19 July)

Paul Holden  
Tabitha Singh  
Victoria Stone

### **WEDNESDAY** *Deacons*

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Doris Barrera-Torrico  
Laura Bucke  
Callum Bucke

Charlie Davies  
Judy Douglas  
Judith Fraser

Peter Greenfield  
James Griffin  
Sharon Hunt

### **THURSDAY** *Deacons*

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Antonio Joseph  
Mary Kilikidi  
Kadia Ly

Winnie Obese-Bempong  
Wa'el Qasim  
Michael Stokes

Marieke Sybrandi  
Andrew Twesigye

### **FRIDAY**

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The Rt Rev'd Moira Astin, Bishop of Crediton

All those recently ordained, their families and the communities in which they serve



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# SOUTHWARK

## ◆ CATHEDRAL ◆

**making space for love**  
with heart, mind, and soul

It is good to welcome you to Southwark Cathedral. Set on the south bank of the River Thames, in one of the most vibrant and diverse communities in London, this building has been a constant witness in a place of change.

The first church was built on this site around the year 606. First a convent, then a monastery, it became in 1106 the Augustinian Priory of St Mary Overie ('over-the-river'). With Westminster Abbey and St Bartholomew the Great in Smithfield, it is one of the three remaining great monastic churches of London. At the Reformation, the Priory became a parish church, and it remains so for the people of Bankside. In 1905, as south London was rapidly expanding, the church was consecrated as the Cathedral for the new Diocese of Southwark.

The Cathedral has a momentous and significant history and has had links with many famous and influential characters including St Thomas Becket, Geoffrey Chaucer, William Shakespeare and Charles Dickens. It has also been a Cathedral for those who feel on the edges of faith or society, our welcome reaching out to all people in their beautiful God-given diversity.

Here, our Christian faith is captured in our vision to 'make space for love: with heart, mind, and soul'. Faith requires our hearts to stand up for social justice, upholding integrity and kindness, and supporting the vulnerable and oppressed. It challenges our thinking, inviting our minds to be enquiring, honest, and generous. Faith also seeks to deepen our inner lives, with the arts and creativity, by sharing in the life of our community, and by learning the arts of prayer and attention. In Jesus Christ we see the human face of God, and our faith in him is our joy and our life.

We really hope you enjoy being here with us today and that we will see you again very soon.

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