

CHICHESTER CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY 20TH JANUARY 2019
THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

8.00 HOLY COMMUNION

Service begins on **page 236** of the Prayer Book. Collect and readings for the Second Sunday After Epiphany are on **pp 69-70**.

10.00 MATTINS

Stanford in A

Responses: Radcliffe

Malcolm - Quem vidistis pastores

1 Samuel 3: 1-20

Ephesians 4: 1-16

Psalm: 96

Hymn: 465

Preacher: The Reverend Canon Derek Tansill

Organ Voluntary: Puer natus in Bethlehem BWV 603

by J S Bach (1685 - 1750)

11.00 SUNG EUCHARIST *with the Admission of a Chorister*

For full details of this Service please refer to the separate Order of Service. *After the Sung Eucharist this morning, wine, coffee and soft drinks will be served in the South Transept, to which all members of the congregation are warmly invited.*

3.30 EVENSONG

Murrill in E

Responses: Radcliffe

Howells - Here is the little door

Isaiah 49: 1-7

Acts 16: 11-15

Psalm: 145: 1-13

Hymns: 481 (t. 462), 484 (t. 167, omit*)

Organ Voluntary: Rhapsody in D flat Op. 17 No. 1

by Herbert Howells (1892 - 1983)

Notices

Michael Ford's funeral will be held tomorrow, Monday 21st January, at 11am at the Chichester Crematorium. Members of the congregation are welcome to attend.

Guest Preacher: At next Sunday's 11am Eucharist we are delighted to welcome as our visiting preacher the Reverend Canon Dr Jennifer Strawbridge, Associate Professor at the University of Oxford, who is one of our Wiccarnical Prebends.

An Illuminating Cathedral Tour: John Flaxman (1755-1826) Sculptor, Illustrator, Designer. Friday 25th January or Saturday 2nd February 10.30am - 12 noon, led by Chichester Cathedral guides. Discover the story of Flaxman's life, explore the memorials he created and the people they commemorate. This tour will start with coffee in the Alexandra Room. The Alexandra Room is accessed through the Cloisters Café. Advance booking essential. Tickets £7.50, available from www.chichestercathedral.org.uk or from Chichester Box Office, The Novium Museum, Tower Street, Chichester on 01243 775888. Includes coffee and biscuits.

The Unity Service 2019 will be held next Sunday 27th January at 6.30pm at Chichester Baptist Church, 124 Sherbone Road, Chichester PO19 3AW. The theme for the service will be *'The Persecuted Church.'* This year's team are Ellen Wild (Chichester Baptist Church), Bruno Kondabeka (Revelation Church) and Paul Collins (Immanuel Church). The Speaker is Lisa Pearce (Former CEO of Open Doors).

Bible Study: Our well established Bible Study Group has space for a couple of new members. We meet on the second Friday of every month in Deborah Hennessy's home from 10am - 12 midday. This year we are doing a twelve-part study of the Psalms. If you would like to join the group please contact Deborah at deb.hennessy@btinternet.com

Wedding Reception Open Day at the Cathedral. Sunday 27th January. 10am - 4.30pm. If you are looking for a reception venue with elegance, character and ambience, this event is not to be missed. Chichester Cathedral has a choice of stunning historical venues set within the Cathedral precincts where you can celebrate your wedding reception in unique surroundings. From the beautifully restored Georgian Guest House to the Medieval Vicars' Hall there is somewhere to suit all styles. For further information call 01243 813586. Free Entry.

New Format Friends' Monthly Coffee Morning: The first catch-up of the year for Chichester Cathedral Friends will take place in the Cathedral's South Transept on Saturday 2nd February 10 - 11.30am. Free coffee and a biscuit, with donations welcome. Open to all. Do bring a friend!

Farewell Gift for Anthony Cane: We will be making our farewells and saying thank you to Anthony for all he has given to the life of the Cathedral on Sunday 10th February. If you would like to contribute to a gift, please give your donations to the vergers or to Carolyn in Reception. There is a card in Reception to sign.

Would you like to attend Anthony's installation?

Due to demand Chichester Cathedral Friends' have ordered a second coach to take us to the Installation of Canon Dr Anthony Cane as Dean Of Portsmouth Cathedral on Saturday 16th March. A round trip ticket costs £10. We will leave from Chichester Cathedral at 2.30pm promptly and return from Portsmouth Cathedral at 6pm. Book your ticket now at www.chichestercathedral.org.uk/get-involved/chichester-cathedral-friends or purchase yours directly from the Cathedral shop.

Art Views @ Chichester Cathedral: Thursday 7th February 1.30pm - 3.30pm. An opportunity to look at and discuss a selected work of art in Chichester Cathedral. Share your thoughts and enjoy hearing other people's responses, with a facilitator from Pallant House Gallery. There are no right answers; all thoughts and ideas make a valuable contribution to the discussion. This session is open to anyone interested in joining the art discussion and is also dementia friendly. Followed by tea and cake in the Eastern Arm. Cost £3.50 per person. Booking is essential. Please contact Sue Poil sue.poil@chichestercathedral.org.uk

Do you know a boy who loves to sing? The Chorister Open Day 2019 will be held on Saturday 2nd March, 1 - 4pm. This is a great opportunity to experience a taste of the chorister life. There will be a choral workshop led by a professional singer, some play time with the choristers, and an opportunity to sing with the choir for a short service. The day is geared particularly towards boys in years 2 and 3, and we welcome all those who are interested – experience of music and singing is not a requirement. To find out more, contact Charles Harrison on 01243 812486 organist@chichestercathedral.org.uk

The Learning and Engagement Department would like to thank people for their kind donations of ribbons. Our reserves are now fully restocked so we no longer need any more for the time being. Many thanks for your generosity and swift response to our request. (*Luna Russell*)

National Politics: We recommend this prayer to all at this present time:

God of reconciling hope, as you guided your people in the past, guide us through the turmoil of the present time, and bring us to that place of flourishing where our unity can be restored, the common good served and all shall be made well. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

Would you consider taking two days out of your busy lives and spending time with God during Lent? If so, we invite you to join the Cathedral Silent Residential Retreat which is being held at Worth Abbey from 12th to 14th March 2019. This retreat will be led by Archdeacon Edward Dowler and the theme is 'Music for Lent and Holy Week'. For further information please contact the Cathedral Reception on 01243 782595 email reception@chichestercathedral.org.uk

Pastoral Care: If anyone has a pastoral concern and would like to speak to someone, please contact the Precentor (813589) or the Chaplain (07919 092504).

The deadline for the February monthly leaflet is today (20th January). Please email copy to Charlotte Rattray at: lmassistant@chichestercathedral.org.uk

Services, Events and Prayer Calendar

In residence: The Precentor

Monday 21st January

Agnes, child martyr, 304

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
 8.00am *Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St Mary Magdalene)*
 5.30pm *Evensong sung by the Lay Vicars*
 Worthing, St Matthew: Paul Taylor, Priest in Charge. Heene CEP School: Joanna MacGovern, head teacher; Peter Parish, chair of governors

Tuesday 22nd January

Vincent of Saragossa, deacon, martyr, 304

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
 8.00am *Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St John Baptist)*
 1.10pm *Lunchtime Concert - Miriam Kramer & Nicholas Durcan*
 5.30pm *Evensong*
 The Archdeaconry of Horsham: Fiona Windsor, archdeacon; Matilda Taylor, her PA. The Rural Deanery of Cuckfield: Michael Maine, rural dean; Rachel Field, deanery lay chair

Wednesday 23rd January

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
 8.00am *Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St George)*
 1.10pm *Holy Communion (Lady Chapel)*
 5.30pm *Evensong sung by Charterhouse School Choir*
 Ardingly, St Peter: John Crutchley, incumbent; Chris Sutton, associate priest. St Peter's CEP School: Jamie Savage, head teacher; Lynn Wilson, chair of governors

Thursday 24th January

Francis de Sales, bishop, teacher of the faith, 1622

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
 8.00am *Holy Communion - Order 1 (Shrine of St Richard)*
 10.30am *Holy Communion (Lady Chapel)*
 5.30pm *Evensong*
 Balcombe, St Mary: *Vacant*. Balcombe CEP School: Wendy Milbanks, head teacher; Jeff Thompson, chair of governors

Friday 25th January

Conversion of Paul

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
 8.00am *Holy Communion Order 1 (Chapel of St Thomas and St Edmund)*
 5.30pm *Evensong*
 Bolney, St Mary Magdalene: vacancy; Martin Mills, assistant curate. Bolney CEP School: Lorraine Kenny, head teacher; Peter Sutton, chair of governors. Cowfold: vacancy; Martin Mills, assistant curate. St Peter's CEP School (Cowfold): Giles Kolter, head teacher.

Saturday 26th January

Timothy and Titus, companions of Paul

8.00am *Mattins (said)*
 12.00pm *Holy Communion Order 1 (Lady Chapel)*
 5.30pm *Evensong*
 Cuckfield, Holy Trinity: Michael Maine, incumbent: Holy Trinity CEP School: Ann MacGregor, head teacher; Janice Peek, chair of governors

Sunday 27th January

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

8.00am *Holy Communion (Lady Chapel)*
 10.00am *Mattins*
 11.00am *Sung Eucharist*
 3.30pm *Evensong*

The readings at the Sung Eucharist next week

Nehemiah 8: 1-3, 5-6, 8-10
 1 Corinthians 12: 12-31a

Resp. Psalm: 19: 1-6
 Luke 4: 14-21