CHICHESTER CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER 2018 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00 HOLY COMMUNION

Service begins on **page 236** of the Prayer Book. Collect and readings for the Seventeenth Sunday After Trinity are on **pp 184-185**.

10.00 MATTINS

Ireland in FResponses: ByrdBatten - Haste thee, O God, to deliver meIsaiah 45: 9-22Revelation 14: 1-5Psalm: 119: 153-endHymn: 408iPreacher: The Reverend Canon Stephen Ferns, Treasurer

Organ Voluntary: Grand Chœur by Théodore Salomé (1834 - 1896)

11.00 SUNG EUCHARIST

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.

2.30 BAPTISM

3.30 EVENSONG

Naylor - Collegium Regale Bairstow - Save us, O Lord

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Exodus 19: 10-end Psalm: 119: 137-152 Matthew 8: 23-end Hymns: 463ii, 391

Responses: Byrd

Organ Voluntary: Meine Seele erhebt den Herrn BWV 733 by J S Bach (1685 - 1750)

Notices

Annual Report & Accounts: Chapter's Annual Report and Accounts for the financial year ended 31st March 2018 are now available on the Cathedral website www.chichestercathedral.org.uk/about-us/annual-report.shtml. Hardcopies are also available to view at the Information Desk, Cathedral Office Reception and in the Administration Office.

Volunteers needed: We are looking for volunteers to help give out coffee at the Tuesday lunchtime concerts. If this appeals, please contact Jill Millam (01243) 268316.

Book now for the Visual Theology Conference at the Palace, Chichester, 19th - 20th October, www.visualtheology.org.uk. Speakers include Bishop Martin, Prof Ben Quash, Revd Martin Poole, Revd Canon Dr Joanna Collicutt, and the Bishop Otter Scholar Dr Sheona Beaumont. Please join us too for the **Conference Dinner** at the Chapel of the Ascension, Otter Campus, University of Chichester; with music, art, and a three-course meal! Tickets from the website.

Accommodation needed: Can you provide one or two nights' stay for visiting speakers at the forthcoming Visual Theology conference at the Palace, Chichester (18th and 19th October)? Some of our guests are in need of financial assistance in order to attend, and staying with friendly local faces would be an enormous help. Please contact the Bishop Otter Scholar, Sheona Beaumont, on 07866 111102, or BishopOtter@shospace.co.uk.

Thank you very much to the many people who so kindly help with the stuffing and delivering of the newsletters. Your help really is appreciated. *(Jill Evershed-Martin.)*

Restoration of the Chichester Reliefs: A small, highly skilled team specialising in sculpture and architectural conservation, have been undertaking essential restoration work on the Chichester Reliefs. These two panels (located in the south Quire aisle) are considered to be amongst the finest masterpieces of Romanesque sculpture. A detailed study concluded that they were probably carved in the 12th century. The panels depict Christ being met by Martha and Mary at the Gate of Bethany, and the Raising of Lazarus from the dead. The conservation work included removing the shabby Victorian restoration work and carrying out cleaning and a sympathetic restoration as well as filling in severe cracks in the joins of the blocks. After the work is finished, the glass will be removed from the front of one of the Reliefs, so that visitors can get a closer look at this beautiful sculpture.

The Quiet Garden at Fishbourne invites you to a morning of rest, quiet and spiritual reflection on Tuesday 25th September from 10am to 12.15pm at St Peter's Place, Fishbourne Church Hall, PO19 3XT. We will be led by Jane Russell, spiritual accompanier. Her title is '*Wow! God in ALL things.*' For further details please

contact Jane Bingeman 01243 776223.

Bernstein in Chichester Exhibition: Tuesday 2nd October - Tuesday 30th October. Free entry, in the Cathedral's North Transept.

Be Still: The next meeting of the Chichester Contemplative Prayer Group is on Tuesday 2nd October (7.15pm for 7.30pm start, finishing 8.45pm) in 4 Canon Lane. The specific focus for the evening will be *Hope*'.

Make a butterfly for the Cathedral's Spire of Peace! Members of the congregation and local community are invited to come along on the afternoon of Thursday 4th October in the Eastern Arm to help fold 1000 butterflies for the eight metre high Spire of Peace to mark the 100th Anniversary of the end of WW1. The Spire of Peace is being created from willow for the North Transept, 5-29 November, by Mark and Rebecca Ford from Two Circles Design. They will be leading the butterfly session on the 4th October. Drop-in from anytime from 1.30 – 5.00pm. No experience of paper folding required. All welcome. For details contact Cynara Davies: cynara.davies@chichestercathedral.org.uk 01243 812997

The next Friends' Coffee Morning is on Friday 5th October, 10am - 12 noon, in the Alexandra Room. Do come and join us!

The Kindness of Strangers: Have you ever met an angel unexpectedly? When did you last experience the 'Kindness of Strangers'? Come and share your stories with the group! The Cathedral Fellowship will meet in 4 Canon Lane on Monday 15^{th} October, starting at 2.30pm. A donation of £1 is requested. For further information please contact Michael Cox 1michaelcox@gmail.com All are welcome!

Volunteering for the RNLI: Craig Sergeant, Director, Chichester Cathedral Restoration & Development Trust is the speaker at the next Friends' 'Food for Thought' lunch to be held in Vicars' Hall on Wednesday 24th October at 12.30pm. Craig is going to speak about his other life as a crew member for the RNLI including how he became a crew member, what being a crew member means and how it fits around work and family life. He will also talk about what the RNLI does as well as provide an overview of the RNLI in general including a few facts and figures for those who like a bit of detail. Tickets f_12 .

Cathedral Flowers: In order to keep the lovely flower displays fresh, it is necessary to water almost everyday. As many of our volunteer arrangers do not live in or near Chichester, it would be a great help if we could call on additional people to water. It only takes a few minutes, and instruction could be given initially if necessary. If you think you could help, please contact Sue Doggart 782481 or Yvonne Kelly 776198.

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

Services, Events and Prayer Calendar

In residence: The Precentor		
Monday 24 th September	7.30am 8.00am 5.30pm	Mattins (said) Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St Mary Magdalene) Evensong (men's voices) Preston, The Good Shepherd: Felix Mascarenhas, incumbent
Tuesday 25th September Lancelot Andrewes, bishop, spiritual writer, 1626	7.30am 8.00am 1.10pm 5.30pm	Mattins (said) Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St John Baptist) Lunchtime Concert - Markella Vandoros & Emma Abbate Evensong Prestonville: St Luke: Martin Poole, incumbent;
Wednesday 26 th September Wilson Carlile, founder of the Church Army, 1942	r 7.30am 8.00am 1.10pm 5.30pm	Mattins (said) Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St George) Holy Communion (Lady Chapel) Evening Prayer (said) Rottingdean, St Margaret: Anthony Moore, incumbent. St Margaret's CEP School: Claire Price, assistant head teacher; Lindsey Delow, chair of governors
Thursday 27 th September Vincent de Paul, founder of the Lazarists, 1660	7.30am 8.00am 10.30am 5.30pm	Mattins (said) Holy Communion - Order 1 (Shrine of St Richard) Holy Communion (Lady Chapel) Evensong Saltdean: St Nicholas, Jim Horton incumbent; Kate Lawson, assistant curate
Friday 28th September Ember Day College of Canons Day	7.30am 8.00am 12.00pm 5.30pm	Mattins (said) Holy Communion Order 1 (Chapel of St Thomas and St Edmund) Eucharist attended by the College of Canons Evensong with the Commemoration of Founders and Benefactors, attended by the College of Canons Stanmer with Falmer: vacant
Saturday 29 th September Michael and All Angels	8.00am 12.00pm 2.00pm 5.30pm	Mattins (said) Holy Communion Order 1 (Lady Chapel) Licensing of Readers Evensong Whitehawk: Archie Coates, priest in charge; Steve Tenant, curate
Sunday 30 th September EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	8.00am 10.00am 11.00am 3.30pm	Holy Communion (Lady Chapel) Mattins Sung Eucharist Evening Prayer (said) The Cathedral Choir will sing Evensong at the Chichester Guildhall at 3pm to mark the 100th anniversary of Priory Park.

The readings at the Sung Eucharist next week

Numbers 11: 4-6, 10-16, 24-29	Psalm: 19: 7-end
James 5: 13-end	Mark 9: 38-end