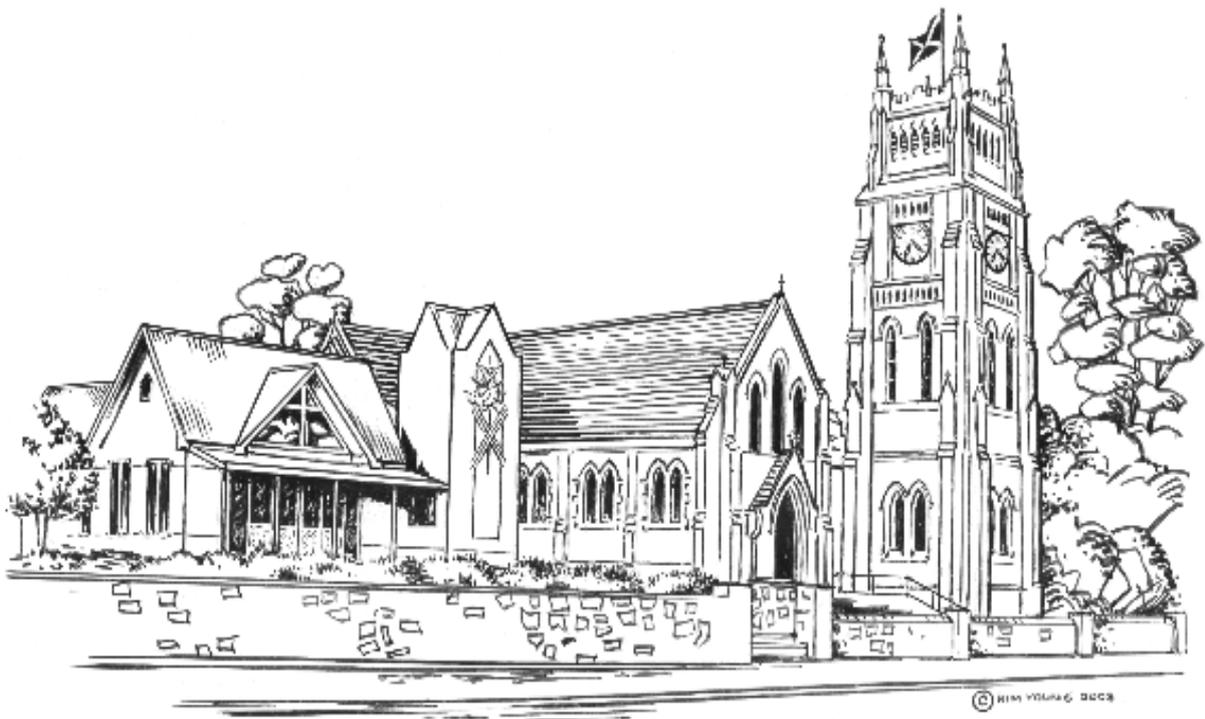


Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

16th September 2018



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St Andrew's
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How to follow our Communion Service in the green Prayer Book

Page 119 - The service today commences on this page.

Page 120 - Lord have mercy

Page 121 - Glory to God in the highest (Gloria)

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Save The Dates – please note these upcoming parish events

Sunday 23rd September – 3pm Pet Blessing Service

Saturday 6th October – Magdalene Centre Dinner

Sunday 2nd December – St. Andrew's Day Festival & Lunch

Friday 7th December – 6.30pm It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas

Parish Prayer

God our Father, you have made us members of Christ and of his Church in this parish.

May our worship be the offering of our hearts and lives to you.

Help us to reach out in welcome to newcomers and visitors, to encourage and care for each other

in friendship and fellowship,

and to grow in grace and in love;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Today's Services

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Sung Eucharist

11.30 am Holy Baptism: Edward Percival Thring

Preacher: The Rev'd Sam Goodes

Celebrant: The Rev'd Helen Gibson-White

A special welcome to all who are worshipping with us for the first time or visiting us today. We especially welcome those visiting us from other areas. Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee after the 9.30am service.

Sentence of the Day

Those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for the sake of the gospel will save it. Mark 8.35

Prayer of the Day

God of mercy,
help us to forgive as you have forgiven us,
to trust you, even when hope is failing,
and to take up our cross daily
and follow you in your redeeming work;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Readings

1st Reading: Wisdom 7.26-8.1

Apocrypha

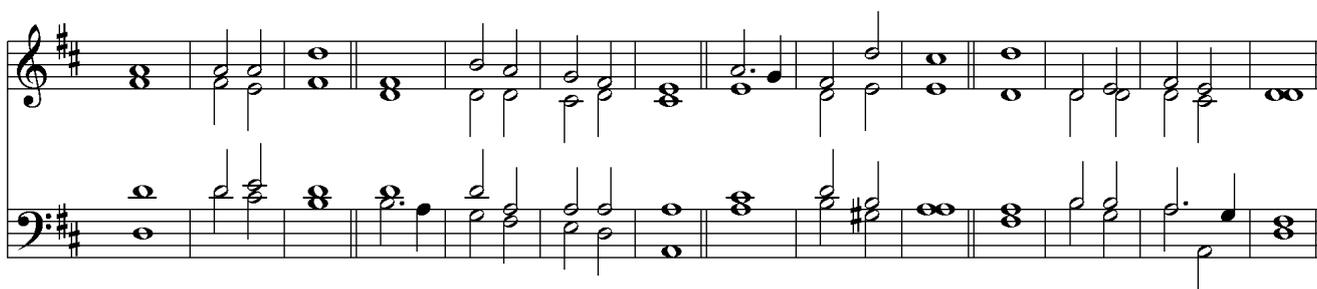
For she is a reflection of eternal light, a spotless mirror of the working of God, and an image of his goodness.²⁷ Although she is but one, she can do all things, and while remaining in herself, she renews all things; in every generation she passes into holy souls and makes them friends of God, and prophets;²⁸ for God loves nothing so much as the person who lives with wisdom.²⁹ She is more beautiful than the sun, and excels every constellation of the stars.

Compared with the light she is found to be superior,³⁰ for it is succeeded by the night, but against wisdom evil does not prevail. She reaches mightily from one end of the earth to the other, and she orders all things well.

Psalm: Psalm 19.1-6 (*sung*)

This psalm rejoices in the glory of Creation and of God's gift of the Torah (or law) which Christians might interpret as following the way of Jesus. Both can lead to "the fear of the Lord," which means, the awe and worship of God in all God's glory.

Richard Woodward (1744-1777)



1. The heavens declare the | glory · of | God:
and the | firmament · pro | claims his | handiwork;
2. One day | tells it · to an | other:
and night to | night com | muni · cates | knowledge.
3. There is no | speech or | language:
nor | are their | voices | heard;
4. Yet their sound has gone out through | all the | world:
and their | words to · the | ends of · the | earth.
5. There he has pitched a | tent · for the | sun:
which comes out as a bridegroom from his chamber *
and rejoices like a | strong man · to | run his | course.
6. Its rising is at one end of the heavens * and its circuit to
their | farthest | bound
and nothing is | hidden | from its | heat.

2nd Reading: James 2.14-26

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Today's passage from James begins where last week's passage left off, namely with James' well-known phrase that faith without works is dead. James may be trying to counter a sloganizing of Paul's theology, that faith alone is sufficient. Paul would not disagree with James, for Paul was arguing against those who thought the works of the law (Torah) justified us before God, rather than faith alone. Paul certainly agreed that faith should be expressed by deeds of charity (Gal 5:6) and both James and Paul argued that love of one's neighbour fulfils the law (James 2:8; Gal 5:14).

Gospel: Mark 8.27-38

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In this passage, Peter confesses Jesus as the Messiah and it is considered to be a turning point in the Gospel of Mark. For the first time in the Gospel, the word Christ (Messiah) is used. Peter makes this astounding claim but it all goes wrong, getting the title right but the meaning wrong. Confessing Jesus is the Messiah is not enough; one must also be willing to follow where Jesus leads, even if it is to a cross. Peter later betrays Jesus, but he does remain his follower until his own martyrdom, though not before he sees the shocking truth about the Messiah: Christ crucified.

Music

- Processional: **143** Christ whose glory fills the skies
Gradual: Thou art the Christ, O Lord (*words p. 6*)
Offertory: **93** Take up thy cross, the Saviour said
Communion: **325** Father hear the prayer we offer
Post Communion: **328** Go forth and tell!

Music Setting: Chris Chataway.

Organist: Ian Gray

MEDITATION

A human being is a vessel that God has built for himself and filled with his inspiration, so that his works are perfected in it.



Hildegard of Bingen

Thou art the Christ, O Lord (NewA&M 321)

1. Thou art the Christ, O Lord,
the Son of God most high:
for ever be adored
that name in earth and sky,
in which, though mortal
strength may fail,
the saints of God at last prevail.
2. O surely he was blest
with blessedness unpriced,
who, taught of God, confessed
the Godhead in the Christ;
for of thy church, Lord, thou
didst own
thy saint a true foundation-
stone.
3. Thrice fallen, thrice restored,
the bitter lesson learnt,
that heart for thee, O Lord,
with triple ardour burnt.
The cross he took he laid not
down
until he grasped the martyr's
crown.
4. O bright triumphant faith,
O courage void of fears,
O love most strong in death,
O penitential tears!
By these, Lord, keep us lest we
fall,
and make us go where thou
shalt call.

William Walsham How (1823-67)

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For your Prayers this week

The Nations and People of the Earth:

Christians who are facing death at the hands of intolerant opponents of Christianity.

Christians who have become asylum seekers and refugees because of persecution.

All who face discrimination because of their faith.

Those who endure jibes, insults and barbed jokes because they are Christians.

The Church and its Mission:

The Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan, Archbishop Ezekiel Kumir Kondo, his clergy and people.

The Parish of St Peter, Andy Wurm, Rector.

The Anglican Church of Hong Kong, giving thanks for the work they do to further God's mission in the world.

At St Andrew's we pray for:

Edward Thring, being baptised this morning, his parents and godparents.

Members of the Bible Study and Home Fellowship Groups, meeting through the week.

Members of the Parish Council, meeting on Wednesday.

Our Rector, the Rev'd Sam and his family.

That we may experience godliness of speech and thought.

Ourselves and our Community:

The Local Government Association of SA and its members.

Members of the various community groups who use our facilities:

Tai Chi, the Royal Geographical Society, the Richard Wagner Society, the Adelaida Liedertafel and The Order of St Lazarus.

Special Prayer Request:

Meg Robertson, John O'Brien, Marianne Cannon, Judy Brancis, Mariela, Rhiannon Henry-Edwards, Grant Dalwood.

The Departed

Helen Bruce who died on the 10th September.

Thanksgiving for those who have gone before us in faith:

Ninian of Galloway, bishop and missionary (d. c 432) *September 16*

Hildegard of Bingen, abbess and spiritual writer (d. 1179) *Sept. 17*

John Wollaston, priest and missionary of WA (d. 1856) *September 18*

John Patterson, first bishop of Melanesia, martyr (d. 1871) *Sept. 20.*

MATTHEW, APOSTLE, EVANGELIST AND MARTYR *September 21*

Notices

At St Andrew's

- ❖ **BUSH CHURCH AID MISSION BOXES:** It is time again for counting mission boxes. Please hand them to Sandy, Rosalie or one of the Wardens by **Sunday 23rd September at the very latest**. Please do not just leave your box at the back of the church. If anyone prefers to make a donation in lieu of a Mission Box, your offering will be most welcome. *Sandy Facy - BCA Mission Contact for St Andrew's*
- ❖ **MAGDALENE CENTRE DINNER:** - The organising sheet for this event is now in the foyer of the Parish Centre. Please put your name against any of the empty spaces - can you provide food? A cash donation? Can you help prepare on the night? Please help out in any way you can for this most worthwhile and rewarding endeavour.
- ❖ **MID-WEEK EUCHARIST:** An opportunity to join in community and fellowship with a new mid-week Eucharist. To be held regularly on the 4th Thursday of the month, at 11.30am, followed by a BYO lunch. Next meeting this Thursday September 27th. All welcome...
- ❖ **NEWCOMERS AND VISITORS:** If you would like to know more about St Andrew's, please fill out a yellow "Welcome Form" on the back table. If you give it to a Sidesperson or to the clergy, we shall be in touch with you very soon.



PET BLESSING

*St Andrew's
Walkerville*

*SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER
23RD @ 3PM*

*All Pets (and their
owners) of all shapes
and sizes welcome...*



This church is blessed with a fine ring of six bells, but they are in need of refurbishment and rehangng. Through a generous gift that is planned to happen. However, with that renewal there will be a vital need for more people to ring them.

Have you ever thought of learning to ring? Do you have children or grandchildren (over 12) who might be interested?

Change ringing is a fascinating and challenging mental and physical exercise, a great enhancement of and witness to the Church's worship and introduces you to the worldwide community of church bell ringers, including in four other towers in Adelaide.

If you or your friends or family would like to learn more and see ringing in action, the Adelaide Bell Ringers will be hosting two open days in St Peter's Cathedral bell tower and Ringing Training Centre in from 12noon - 1pm on

Sunday 16 September

and

Sunday 23 September.

Please meet at noon in the Gallery of the Cathedral.

For those who would like to learn or to find out more there will be an opportunity to register for an intensive training course to be conducted in October at times to be negotiated, but commencing on Sunday 30 September. Meanwhile you may care to learn a little more about bell ringing at <http://www.anzab.org.au/about.php>

Diary Dates

Sunday 16 September Pentecost 17	8.00 am Holy Communion 9.30 am Sung Eucharist 11.30 am Holy Baptism: (Church) Edward Percival Thring
Monday 17 September	10.30 am Bible Study (Office)
Tuesday 18 September	9.00 am School Service 5-7 (Church) 1.30 pm School visit (Church)
Wednesday 19 September	7.30 pm Parish Council (Parish Centre)
Thursday 20 September	9.00 am School Service 3-4 (Church) 10.00 am School visit (Church) 12.30 pm Organ Chamber inspection 4.30 pm Royal Geographic (Parish Centre) 7.30 pm Home Fellowship (2/86 Lansdowne Tce)
Friday 21 September	11.00 am Tai Chi (Parish Centre)
Sunday 23 September Pentecost 18	8.00 am Holy Communion 9.30 am Sung Eucharist 11.15 am People & Worship (Office) 3.00 pm Pet Blessing Service (Church & PC)
Tuesday 25 September	9.00 am School Service 5-7 (Church)
Wednesday 26 September	11.00 am HC Walkerville Res. Care 2.00 pm Faith & Fellowship (6 Etrick Ave)
Thursday 27 September	9.00 am School Service 3-4 (Church) 11.30 am Eucharist & Fellowship (Church & Parish Centre)
Friday 28 September	11.00 am Tai Chi (Parish Centre)
Sunday 30 September Pentecost 19	8.00 am Holy Communion 9.30 am Sung Eucharist 11.30 am Holy Baptism: Kennedy Alexander (Church)

Rosters

Rosters for today

Preacher:		The Rev'd Sam Goodes
Celebrant:		The Rev'd Helen Gibson-White
Readers:	8.00 am	Brian Zwar
	9.30 am	Robin Coleman
Prayer Leader:	9.30 am	Wayne Butcher
Servers:	9.30 am	Emily SM & Hamish Netting
Lay Assistants:	8.00 am	Liz Owen
	9.30 am	Biffy Ormsby, Tony Holloway
Sidespersons:	8.00 am	Brian Zwar, John Hain
	9.30 am	Michael Thomas, Robin Coleman

Rosters for next Sunday (Pentecost 18)

Preacher:		The Rev'd Helen Gibson-White
Celebrant:		The Rev'd Sam Goodes
Readers:	8.00 am	Ray Newell
	9.30 am	Lyn Dow
Prayer Leader:	9.30 am	The Rev'd Helen Gibson-White
Server:	9.30 am	John Beer
Lay Assistants:	8.00 am	Liz Owen
	9.30 am	Libby Doepke, Sally Sandford-Morgan
Sidespersons:	8.00 am	Ray Newell, Peter Wilksch
	9.30 am	Tony Holloway, Robert Dow

Readings for next Sunday (Pentecost 18)

1st Reading: Proverbs 31.10-31

Psalm: Psalm 1

2nd Reading: James 3.1-12

Gospel: Mark 9.30-37

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