

~~~ Prayer Requests & Announcements for this Week ~~~

**Your prayers are requested for:** ▪ all parts of the country affected by floods. May normalcy be restored ▪ in our Diocese, Wesley Church & the Revd K. I. Dyvasirvadham (a former Presbyter of the Cathedral) ▪ all those who are unwell in the Cathedral community and their caregivers. May God's healing hand be upon them ▪ the Church of North India's Diocese of Agra & the Rt Revd Dr Prem Prakash Habil ▪ the Church of South India's Diocese of South Karnataka & the Rt Revd Mohan Manoj ▪ in the Anglican Communion, for the Church of the Province of Uganda & the Most Revd Stanley Ntagali (Archbishop of Uganda & and Bishop of Kampala).

- Today: The Cathedral's Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) will be held soon after the 8.45 A.M. Eucharist. May the Holy Spirit guide all proceedings.
- 29 Sept: **St Michael & All Angels.**  
Theme: Praise to God in union with all hosts of heaven  
At the service the members of the Pastorate Committee will be dedicated.
- Sunday 6 Oct: The Festival of **St Thomas the Apostle, Patron of India**  
Festival choral Eucharist 8.45 A.M. This is the Cathedral's Patronal Festival. We gather to give thanks to God for the foundation of this Cathedral Church – its life & witness.

~~~ Birthdays this week ~~~

May God bless you abundantly.  
William Millns (24), Sandeep Magar (24), David Sinate (25),  
Patricia Adams (27), Miriam Joseph (27)

*God, our light and our salvation,  
as we seek your light in our everyday faith,  
illuminate our lives,  
that we may see your goodness  
in the land of the living,  
and, looking on your beauty,  
may be changed into the likeness of  
Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.*

Adapted from the Psalm Prayer for Psalm 27 in Common Worship: Daily Prayer.  
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If you would like to contribute towards the **flowers in the sanctuary** for Sunday worship and/ or on Festival Days; please get in touch with the Presbyter.  
You could do this to commemorate a loved one or your birthday/ wedding anniversary.

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**Sunday Services**

7 A.M. Eucharist (said) in the Lady Chapel  
8.45 A.M. Choral Eucharist  
9.00 A.M. Sunday school

**Weekdays** The Cathedral is open from 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

~~~ Welcome ~~~

**14th Sunday after Trinity**  
The Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
22 September 2019



*"Thy faith has made thee whole."*

From ST LUKE 17. 11

[The Entrance Rite]

**Voluntary**

*"We all believe in one God"*  
*Prelude in classic style*

MARCEL DUPRÉ, Op 28 (1886-1971)  
GORDON YOUNG (1919-1998)

\* All keep silence and prepare for worship. \*

**Introit**

Sung by the choir



Jubilate Deo, omnis terra;  
servite Domino in laetitia.  
Laudate nomen ejus,

quoniam suavis est Dominus.  
Alleluia.

*O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands:  
serve the Lord with gladness,  
be thankful unto Him, and speak  
good of His Name,  
for the Lord is gracious,  
His mercy is everlasting.  
Alleluia.*

Words: PSALM 100 (sung in Latin)  
Music: W.A. MOZART (1756-1791)

\* The people stand. \*

**Call to Worship**

Led by the Presbyter from the West Door

Presbyter **Come, let us praise God together!**

People **Sing a new song —**

Continued overleaf. Turn over.

**Sacred Space**

Whether you are a believer in Jesus Christ or a person who does not even believe in God, the fact is, God has blessed you far more than you realize and far more than you deserve. It is important to understand how to respond properly to God's abundant blessings.

The thankful leper represents the full fruit of saving faith. Oswald Chambers observed, "Troubles nearly always make us look to God; His blessings are apt to make us look elsewhere". When Jesus healed the leper in Luke 5:13, He first healed him and then instructed him to go and show himself to the priest. But here, without any evidence of healing, Jesus commands these ten lepers to go and show themselves to the priests. In this, their situation was similar to that of Naaman the Syrian, whom Elisha told to go and bathe in the Jordan River (2 Kings 5:10-15). It was a test of faith for them to go without any evidence of healing.

Let's all learn from this exuberant and thankful leper how to respond to God's blessings, especially to the blessing of salvation. We should join him in glorifying God at the feet of Jesus with thankful hearts.

~ STEVEN J. COLE

**Please silence all electronic devices.**

Join us for fellowship in the porch after the Service.  
TAKE THIS SERVICE BULLETIN HOME WITH YOU.

Presbyter a song of God's goodness and mercy,

People **faithfulness and love.**

Presbyter For God delights in His people,

People **crowning them with honour and glory!  
Let us worship together.**

**Hymn at the Procession** (all) "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

1. "Great is Thy faithfulness," O God my Father,  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not  
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain *Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided—  
Great is Thy faithfulness, " Lord, unto me!*



2. Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. Refrain

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! Refrain

Words: THOMAS CHISHOLM (1866 - 1960) • Music: WILLIAM RUNYAN (1870 - 1957)

\* Please be seated. \*

✠ The Service begins on pg. 350 of the Book of Common Prayer. ✠

|The Ministry of the Word|

**The Collect for the Day** pg. 547 The Presbyter

**The Lesson** 2 Kings 5. 9 pg. 547

**Psalm** 119 v.v. 105 to 112 pg. 220 Sung by the choir to a chant by BAKER

**The Epistle** Galatians 5. 16 pg. 548

**The Gradual** "I need, O Lord, a stronger faith" \* All stand and sing. \*

1. I need, O Lord, a stronger faith,  
In this poor heart of mine,  
A faith to take Thee at Thy word,  
And all for Thee resign.
2. Grant me, O Lord, a living faith  
That I may follow Thee,  
Through joy or sorrow, doubt or fear,  
Until Thy face I see.

3. A patient, firm, enduring faith,  
The christian race to run,  
A faith to teach me how to say,  
My Lord, Thy will be done.



Words: FRANCES CROSBY (1820 - 1915) • Tune: WILTSHIRE [#502]

\*Remain standing for the Gospel and Creed.\*

**The Holy Gospel** St Luke 17. 11 pg. 549 The Presbyter

**The Acclamation** (all) Beautiful words, wonderful words,  
wonderful words of life. (Repeat) PHILIP BLISS (1838 - 1876)

All recite **The Nicene Creed** pg. 354

All sit for **The Sermon  
Welcome & Announcements**

\* The people stand.\*

|The Sharing of the Peace|

Presbyter 'Where two or three are gathered together in my name,'  
says the Lord, 'there am I in the midst of them.'  
The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.** The people greet one another with a  
sign of God's peace and then join in  
singing the hymn.

|The Offertory|

An offering is received to support the Cathedral's ministry of sharing  
God's love with the world. The altar is prepared for Holy Communion.

**Hymn at the Presentation** 316 • Just as I am, without one plea

All say the **Offertory Prayer** pg. 357

\* Please be seated.\*

|The Prayers of the People|

**Invocation** (all) I need Thee every hour, most gracious Lord;  
no tender voice like Thine can peace afford.

Refrain: *I need Thee, oh, I need Thee; every hour I need Thee;  
Oh, bless me now, my Saviour, I come to Thee.*

Words: ANNIE HAWKS (1836 - 1918) • Music: ROBERT LOWRY (1826 - 1899)

**Intercessory Prayers** pg. 358



|Preparation for Communion| pg. 361

|The Consecration| pg. 363

|The Communion| pg. 368

During the distribution of the Communion, we sing:

**Hymn** 439 • My faith looks up to Thee

|The Thanksgiving| pg. 371

\* All stand and sing the Gloria in Excelsis.\*

**The Blessing**

The Presbyter

**Hymn at the Closing** (all) 533 • Now thank we all our God

**The Dismissal** Presbyter Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
People **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

**Postlude**

"Jubilate" ROY DOUGLAS (1907 - 2015)  
Worship concludes with the Postlude. You are invited to sit and listen till the piece concludes.\*

