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# Ardal Cenhadaeth Elwy Mission Area



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## 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 – Trinity 17

### Today's services:

#### **8am Holy Eucharist**

at the Cathedral

*(The Service begins on Page 157)*

#### **9.30am The Parish Eucharist**

**Hymns: 224, 195, 541(v.1&2), 19**

#### **11am The Cathedral Eucharist**

*Civic Service*

**Hymns:** *See Service booklet*

*Mass:* Stocks in Eb

*Psalm:* 54

*Motet:* I give you a new commandment, Peter  
Aston

*Preacher:* The Dean

#### **3.30pm Choral Evensong** at the Cathedral

*Responses:* Sanders

*Psalm:* 119. 137-144

*Office Hymn:* 440 (Omit \*verses)

*Setting:* The Fourth Service, Adrian Batten

*Anthem:* For he is our peace, Stopford

*Hymn:* 446

*Welcome to St Asaph Cathedral and St Asaph Parish Church today. We are a community that seeks to enfold all people in the love of God. If you wish to speak to a priest after the service, if you wish to find a corner to pray, if you wish simply to find some peace, please feel free and welcome to do so. We warmly invite all those who are baptised to receive Holy Communion with us today. (Children at the discretion of parents). Before the service: spend some time in quiet prayer, preparing to meet the Lord in this act of worship.*

*If you would like to find out more about the Christian faith please contact:*

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### Collect

Almighty God,  
you have made us for yourself,  
and our hearts are restless till they find  
their rest in you: pour your love into  
our hearts and draw us to yourself,  
and so bring us at last to your heavenly  
city where we shall see you face to  
face; 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. **Amen.**

### Jeremiah 11. 18-20

A reading from the book of the prophet Jeremiah.

It was the Lord who made it known to me, and I knew;

then you showed me their evil deeds.  
But I was like a gentle lamb  
led to the slaughter.

And I did not know it was against me  
that they devised schemes, saying,  
'Let us destroy the tree with its fruit,  
let us cut him off from the land of  
the living,

so that his name will no longer be remembered!  
But you, O Lord of hosts, who judge righteously,  
who try the heart and the mind,  
let me see your retribution upon them,  
for to you I have committed my cause.

For the word of the Lord:  
**Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 54**

***R:* Hear my prayer, O God.**

Save me, O God, by your name and vindicate me by your power. Hear my prayer, O God; give heed to the words of my mouth. ***R:***

For strangers have risen up against me, and the ruthless seek after my life; they have not set God before them.

Behold, God is my helper; it is the Lord who upholds my life. ***R:***

May evil rebound on those who lie in wait for me; destroy them in your faithfulness. An offering of a free heart will I give you and praise your name, O Lord, for it is gracious. ***R:***

For he has delivered me out of all my trouble, and my eye has seen the downfall of my enemies. ***R:***

### **James 3. 13 – 4. 3, 7-8a**

A reading from the letter of James.

Who is wise and understanding among you? Show by your good life that your works are done with gentleness born of wisdom. But if you have bitter envy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not be boastful and false to the truth.

Such wisdom does not come down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, devilish. For where there is envy and selfish ambition, there will also be disorder and wickedness of every kind. But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace for those who make peace.

Those conflicts and disputes among you, where do they come from? Do they not come from your cravings that are at war within you? You want something and do not have it; so you commit murder. And you covet something and cannot obtain it; so you engage in disputes and conflicts. You do not have, because you do not ask. You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, in order to spend what you get on your pleasures. Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you.

For the word of the Lord:  
**Thanks be to God.**

### **Mark 9. 30-37**

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint Mark.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

After leaving the mountain Jesus and his disciples went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it; for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is to be betrayed into

human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again.' But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him.

Then they came to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, 'What were you arguing about on the way?' But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, 'Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.' Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, 'Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.'

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

**Prayer over the Gifts**

Lord, help us to see what is eternally good and true and having seen to go on searching until we come to the joys of heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Post Communion**

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, and make us continually to be given to all good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

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**Notices**

**Refreshments.** Please join us for refreshments after the 9.30am and 11am Eucharists.

**Evening Prayer** will be held in the Parish Church on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> September at the usual time of 6pm whilst the Music Festival is taking place in the Cathedral.

**'WORKSHOP ON MAKING AND USING ANGLICAN PRAYER BEADS'.**

In the Parish Church on Saturday morning, 20<sup>th</sup> October, from 9am till 12 noon. See Posters in the Cathedral and Parish Church for further details. There will be a small charge of £4.00 which covers all the materials to make and your own personal Anglican Prayer Beads. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided. Please let us know if you want to come so that we have enough packs! Carol and Tom Attwell

**Tom Attwell** will be licensed as a LLM (Reader) on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> September at 11am at All Saints Church Gresford. Please come along if you can and support Tom with your presence and your prayers.

**Choir Association.** There will be an extraordinary AGM meeting at the Cathedral on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 7.30pm. All association members are urged to attend.

**World's biggest Coffee Morning** in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October 11am – 1pm. 1a Parc Bach, Trefnant LL16 4YE. For more details contact June Hamillton 01745 730947.

**'PREPARE HIM ROOM'**, looking forward to Advent. This is a Quiet Day at the Cathedral on Saturday November 10<sup>th</sup> from 9.00am to 2.30pm. A light lunch will be provided (free). All are welcome – for further details see the posters in the Cathedral and Parish Church – please put your name on the sign-up sheet. *Tom Attwell*

**Pantomime.** A trip is being organized to see Dick Whittington at Theatre Clwyd, Mold on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2019 for the 7pm performance. The total cost will be £31 per person and this will include a coach from the Cathedral. If you are interested, please give your name to Clive and Marion Hughes at the Parish Church or Gwenda Evans and Linda Mathias at the Cathedral.

**Congregation collection for Alan and John.** Many of the congregation have expressed a desire to contribute to a collection to be split evenly between Alan and John to express our appreciation of their contribution to the worship here over the many years that they have been at the Cathedral. If you wish to contribute, please would you hand any contribution to the head steward, Neil Halsall.

### The Week Ahead

#### **24<sup>th</sup> Monday – Sergei of Radonezh**

9am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Holy Eucharist  
10.30am Banner Group at the Parish Church  
6pm Evening Prayer

#### **25<sup>th</sup> Tuesday – Cadoc, Abbot**

9am Morning Prayer  
6pm Stillness & Prayer  
7pm Holy Eucharist

#### **26<sup>th</sup> Wednesday – Ember Day**

9am Morning Prayer  
10.30am Holy Eucharist  
6pm Evening Prayer

#### **27<sup>th</sup> Thursday – Vincent de Paul**

9am Morning Prayer  
10am Holy Eucharist at the Parish Church  
11am A time of prayer for the needs of the  
Mission Area at the Parish Church  
6pm Evening Prayer

#### **28<sup>th</sup> Friday – Ember Day**

9am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Offeren  
6pm Evening Prayer at the Parish Church

#### **29<sup>th</sup> Saturday – Michael & all Angels**

9am Morning Prayer  
6pm Evening Prayer at the Parish Church

#### **30<sup>th</sup> Sunday – Trinity 18**

8am Holy Eucharist at the Cathedral  
9.30am The Parish Eucharist  
11am The Cathedral Eucharist  
11am Informal Worship at the Parish Church  
3.30pm Choral Evensong at the Cathedral

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