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30th September 2018 – Trinity 18

Today's services:

8am Holy Eucharist

at the Cathedral

(The Service begins on Page 157)

9.30am The Parish Eucharist

Hymns: 83, 325, 926, 646

11am The Cathedral Eucharist

Hymns: 285, 417, 498

Eucharistic Prayer 4 on Page 55

Mass: Harold Darke in F

Psalm: 19. 7-14

Motet: Love Divine, Howard Goodall

Preacher: Tom Attwell (Reader)

3.30pm Choral Evensong at the Cathedral

Responses: Ebdon

Psalm: 121

Office Hymn: 332

Setting: Sumsion in A

Anthem: As water to the thirsty, arr. Barnard

Hymn: 336

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.

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Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; 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.**

Numbers 11. 4-6, 1-16, 24-29

A reading from the book of Numbers.

The rabble among them had a strong craving; and the Israelites also wept again, and said, 'If only we had meat to eat! We remember the fish we used to eat in Egypt for nothing, the cucumbers, the melons, the leeks, the onions, and the garlic; but now our strength is dried up, and there is nothing at all but this manna to look at.'

Moses heard the people weeping throughout their families, all at the entrances of their tents. Then the Lord became very angry, and Moses was displeased. So Moses said to the Lord, 'Why have you treated your servant so

badly? Why have I not found favour in your sight, that you lay the burden of all this people on me? Did I conceive all this people? Did I give birth to them, that you should say to me, “Carry them in your bosom, as a nurse carries a sucking child”, to the land that you promised on oath to their ancestors? Where am I to get meat to give to all this people? For they come weeping to me and say, “Give us meat to eat!” I am not able to carry all this people alone, for they are too heavy for me. If this is the way you are going to treat me, put me to death at once—if I have found favour in your sight—and do not let me see my misery.’

So the Lord said to Moses, ‘Gather for me seventy of the elders of Israel, whom you know to be the elders of the people and officers over them; bring them to the tent of meeting, and have them take their place there with you.

So Moses went out and told the people the words of the Lord; and he gathered seventy elders of the people, and placed them all around the tent. Then the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders; and when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But they did not do so again.

Two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the spirit rested on them; they were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. And a young man ran and told Moses, ‘Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp.’ And Joshua son of Nun, the assistant of Moses, one of his chosen men, said, ‘My lord Moses, stop them!’ But Moses said to him, ‘Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the Lord’s people were

prophets, and that the Lord would put his spirit on them!’

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

Psalm 19. 7-14

R: The heavens are telling the glory of God.



The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul; the testimony of the Lord is sure and gives wisdom to the simple. **R:**

The statutes of the Lord are right and rejoice the heart; the commandment of the Lord is pure and gives light to the eyes. **R:**

The fear of the Lord is clean and endures for ever; the judgements of the Lord are true and righteous altogether. **R:**

More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, sweeter also than honey, dripping from the honeycomb. **R:**

By them also is your servant taught and in keeping them there is great reward.

Who can tell how often they offend? O cleanse me from my secret faults! **R:**

Keep your servant also from presumptuous sins lest they get dominion over me; so shall I be undefiled, and innocent of great offence. **R:**

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer. **R:**

James 5. 13-20

A reading from the letter of James.

Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. Are any among you sick? They should call for the

elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest.

My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

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

Mark 9. 38-50

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint Mark.

Glory to you, O Lord.

John said to Jesus, 'Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us.' But Jesus said, 'Do not stop him; for no one who does a deed of power in my name will be able soon afterwards to speak evil of me. Whoever is not against us is for us. For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward.

'If any of you put a stumbling-block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you

if a great millstone were hung around your neck and you were thrown into the sea. If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than to have two hands and to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than to have two feet and to be thrown into hell., And if your eye causes you to stumble, tear it out; it is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and to be thrown into hell, where their worm never dies, and the fire is never quenched.

'For everyone will be salted with fire. Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another.'

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

Prayer over the Gifts

God of grace,
you have freed us from our sins
and made us a kingdom in your Son Jesus
Christ our Lord: deepen our knowledge
of your ways and strengthen us in the
new life you have given us; through Jesus
Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Post Communion

All praise and thanks, O Christ,
for this sacred banquet, in which by faith
we receive you, the memory of your
passion is renewed, our lives are filled
with grace, and a pledge of future glory
given, to feast at that table
where you reign with all your saints for
ever. **Amen.**

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Notices

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

‘WORKSHOP ON MAKING AND USING ANGLICAN PRAYER BEADS’. In the Parish Church on Saturday morning, 20th 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

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

World’s biggest Coffee Morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support on Friday 5th 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 10th 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 11th 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.

Kentigern Guild. The new season for the Kentigern Guild begins on Friday 5th October

when the speaker will be Fr Rex Matthias talking about Walsingham. The Guild meets at 7.30 p.m. on the first Friday of each month in the Translators’ Tearoom of the Cathedral. The annual subscription is £10 and the full programme can be seen in the Parish Church and in the South Transept of the Cathedral.

The Week Ahead

1st Monday – Feria

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

2nd Tuesday – Feria

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

3rd Wednesday – Feria

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

4th Thursday – Francis of Assisi

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

5th Friday – Feria

9am Morning Prayer
9.30am Offeren
6pm Evening Prayer

6th Saturday – William Tyndale

9am Morning Prayer
10am Decorating Churches for Harvest
6pm Sacred Space

7th Sunday – HARVEST (Trinity 19)

8am Holy Eucharist at the Cathedral
9.30am The Parish Eucharist
11am The Cathedral Eucharist
3.30pm Choral Evensong with Installation of
Archdeacons at the Cathedral

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