



Today's Services

- 8.00am **Holy Eucharist** [1984]
- 9.00am **Holy Eucharist** [2004]
- 11.00am **Choral Eucharist**
Leicester Service *Sumsion*
Mine eyes for beauty pine *Howells*
Allegro (Tempo Giusto) from Concerto in A minor BWV 593 *J. S. Bach*
- 4.00pm **Choral Evensong**
The Lord bless you and keep you *John Rutter*
Reading Responses
Willan in E-flat
Give us the wings of faith *Bullock*



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The Collect of the Day

§ at the 8.00am Holy Eucharist:

Almighty and everlasting God, who crownest the year with thy goodness, and hast given to us the fruits of the earth in their season: give us, we beseech thee, grateful hearts, that we may rightly use thy gifts to thy glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

§ at the 9.00am Holy Eucharist and the 11.00am Choral Eucharist:

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; 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.

The Post-Communion Prayer

Lord of the harvest, with joy we have offered thanksgiving for your love in creation and have shared in the bread and the wine of the kingdom: by your grace plant within us a reverence for all that you give us and make us generous and wise stewards of the good things we enjoy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

The First Reading

A reading from the prophet Joel.

Do not fear, O soil; be glad and rejoice, for the Lord has done great things! Do not fear, you animals of the field, for the pastures of the wilderness are green; the tree bears its fruit, the fig tree and vine give their full yield. O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the Lord your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing-floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you. You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame.

Joel 2. 21-27

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

§ Said together at 8.00am and 9.00am. Sung by the Choir at 11.00am.

When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion,
then were we like those who dream.

**Then was our mouth filled with laughter
and our tongue with songs of joy.**

Then said they among the nations,
'The Lord has done great things for them.'

**The Lord has indeed done great things for us,
and therefore we rejoiced.**

Restore again our fortunes, O Lord,
as the river beds of the desert.

**Those who sow in tears
shall reap with songs of joy.**

Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed,
will come back with shouts of joy, bearing their sheaves with them.

Psalm 126

The Second Reading

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to Timothy.

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings should be made for everyone, for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and dignity. This is right and is acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour, who desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. For there is one God; there is also one mediator between God and humankind, Christ Jesus, himself human, who gave himself a ransom for all —this was attested at the right time. For this I was appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

1 Timothy 2. 1-7

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Gospel

“Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, “What will we eat?” or “What will we drink?” or “What will we wear?” For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

Matthew 6. 25-33

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

WEEKLY NOTICES

Harvest Festival will be celebrated on **Sunday 6th October**. We are once again appealing for donations to the Cardiff Foodbank. You can donate food at the Cathedral collection point in the South aisle, or you can donate money either via the website, or by QR code, Paypal, cheque or standing order. All the details are on the Charities Table, together with a list of the 10 most-needed food items. The current demand on the Foodbank in the city is greater than the supplies available.

More than 1 in 5 people in the UK live below the poverty line – please continue to help in whatever way you can. Please remember that food items must be non-perishable, sealed and in date. Thank you! <https://localgiving.org/charity/cardifffoodbank>

School references - if you would like to request a church reference for your child's application to Bishop of Llandaff High School, please send your request to Canon Jan, with an outline of your own and your child's involvement at the Cathedral over the last 5 years. This information will be helpful alongside our own Sunday School attendance records. You can email Canon Jan at chancellor@llandaffcathedral.org.uk

Pet Service - Our annual Pet Service will take place on **Saturday 12th October at 4pm**. All are welcome to bring your pets! We hope for a wide range of animals representing all God's creatures. Please bring them on a lead, in a cage, box, etc as appropriate. Each one will be blessed at the service! There will be a police dog demonstration and talk during the service.

Cathedral Shop— The shop is now stocking Christmas items, including cards and Advent Calendars with lots more to come. Our calendars include a Chocolate Advent Calendar from the Meaningful Chocolate Company, a fairtrade supplier, complete with activity book for children. We also have some pop-up Advent Calendars—check them out!

Mothers Union.— Our next meeting will be in the Parish Hall on Monday 7th October at 2pm. Members will present their "Favourite Music". We will be taking names and menu choices for our Autumn Lunch in Porro on Monday 4th November with £5 deposit. This should be an entertaining afternoon and as always we welcome visitors to come and join us with tea/coffee and biscuits to finish.

Embrace the Middle East will be holding an event at the Cathedral on Thursday 10th October from 4pm to 9pm (main event at 7pm) to celebrate its 170th anniversary and also to thank its supporters. The congregation has contributed generously to this charity, including gifts amounting to over £7,000 from recent Lent Appeals. All are welcome, attendance is by free ticket available from the website embraceme.org/events/embrace170-cardiff from which further details are available.

Churchyard Champion—Could this be your way of serving the Cathedral? We are looking for someone to love the churchyard and care for it. The grass is cut every 4 weeks by a contractor, but everything else relies on volunteers. This includes weeding the two gardens of remembrance, trimming the new hedge, caring for the butterfly garden and the bug cathedral, clearing leaves and fallen branches, and so on. The Churchyard Champion will coordinate the volunteer team who currently meet on Saturday mornings (but this could change). Please contact Canon Jan if you might be interested.

Join us as we journey towards an EcoChurch Silver award... Llandaff Cathedral received the Bronze award in 2020. We are eager to proceed to the next level. Each week we will update you on the progress we are making and highlighting ways that you can join with us to care for God's creation. St. David said 'Be joyful, keep the faith, and do the little things...'. A little thing you can do this week:

Save the Date—Cathedral Community Green Fair! —The Cathedral will be holding its first ever Green Fair in the Parish Hall. Why not fill your stockings this year with sustainable gifts? There will be lots of fairtrade, locally produced, and artisan products, a children's craft table, opportunity to learn more about eco living, and delicious home-made cakes. **Join us from 11am to 4pm on Saturday 16th November!**

Prayers for the sick – Prayer intentions for the sick: this list is now based on the requests sent in via this form: <https://llandaffcathedral.churchsuite.com/forms/wy58qy6m> which is also available on paper from the Cathedral office. Each name remains on the list for 8 weeks and this time can be extended by re-submitting the form or emailing the Office.

Asking for a blessing instead of receiving the bread and wine? If you have been baptised/ christened in any church, you are welcome to receive Holy Communion at the Cathedral. If you are not baptised and/or confirmed, do get in touch if you are interested in thinking about this. You might like to try our course 'Explore the Faith' which is suitable for those enquiring about the faith, as a refresher, or as a preparation for confirmation. Contact Canon Jan to find out more.

Opportunities for musical children – Majestas Kids, our music group for children aged 6-13 has now re-started for the new academic year. Rachel Kilby, our Music Animator, inspires children to explore their musical talents through games, singing and work with instruments. Majestas Kids meets from 10-11am on Saturdays in term time and we look forward to them performing at various Cathedral events this year. If you'd like more information, or would like to sign your child(ren) up to join, please contact our Rachel at rachelkilby@llandaffcathedral.org.uk

Majestas Youth Choir, a choir for children aged 13-18 met for the first time ever last weekend. The choir rehearse on a sessional basis, and will sing for services in the cathedral. This is a great opportunity for children with a passion for music and singing to perform in a professional context in the beautiful setting of worship in our Cathedral.

If you would like more information about **Majestas Youth Choir**, or about any other events happening in the music department, please email us at music@llandaffcathedral.org.uk

The 'Anniversary of Death' List – If your loved one's funeral was held at the Cathedral, and/or their ashes are interred in our Garden of Remembrance, their name can be included in the prayers on the anniversary of their death, and/or in the Book of Remembrance, by request from next of kin using this form: <https://llandaffcathedral.online/remembrance-form>

Join the Friends of Llandaff Cathedral – The Friends are an independent charity founded to provide invaluable support to the Cathedral's life; its fabric, music and heritage.

Information about projects and membership can be found at www.llandaffcathedral.org.uk/friends

*The deadline for submissions for the Weekly Notes is 9am on Thursday each week.
Please send any notices to admin@llandaffcathedral.org.uk*

THE WEEKLY PRAYER INTENTIONS

Those who are currently sick and have asked for prayer:

Carolyn Jenkins, Huw James, Danielle Camilleri, Charles & Alison Lewis, Octavia Allen-Davies, Peter Webber, Philip Morris

Those for whom we wish to pray, including those who are housebound and those whose need for prayer is long-term, among them:

Beryl Baldwin, Sid Baldwin, Megan Pugh, Bettie Williams

Those who have died recently: Doreen James, Tom Aubrey, Canon Derek Belcher

Those whose anniversary of death falls this week:

- 6th October** Lily Gwendoline Samuel, Thomas Graham Bullen, Annie Edith Kendall, Aubrey Edward Gambold, Timothy Morgan
- 7th October** Robert Edward Sansom, Winifred Jame, Agnes Thomas, Edwina Slack
- 8th October** Dorothy Iris Creese, Herbert Frank Robins, Dudley Austin, Morley Lewis
- 9th October** Lambert Charles Rogers, Beryl Hough Hodgson, Lily Maud Williams
- 10th October** William Edmund Davies, Sylvia Osborne,
- 11th October** Stanley Frederick Jenkin Davies
- 12th October** Phyllis Alexandra Williams, Mary Kellam

The Cycle of Prayer for this week in the Anglican Communion, this Diocese and in the Cathedral Community:

- Sunday** The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea | Taff Wenallt Ministry Area
Guild of Stewards & Parish Stewards
- Monday** The Diocese of Juba (South Sudan) | The Garth Ministry Area
Cathedral Choir—Boys
- Tuesday** The Diocese of Kabba (Nigeria) | Eglwysilan Deanery
Cathedral Choir—Girls
- Wednesday** The Diocese of Kadugli & Nuba Mountains (Sudan) | Caerphilly & Aber Valley Ministry Area
Cathedral Choir—Back Row
- Thursday** The Diocese of Kaduna (Nigeria) | Pontypridd Ministry Area
Majestas Kids Choir
- Friday** The Diocese of Kafanchan (Nigeria) | Taff Rhymney Ministry Area
Majestas Consort
- Saturday** The Diocese of Kagera (Tanzania) | Merthyr Tydfil Ministry Area
Music Department—Director & Assistant Director of Music, Organists, Chaperones

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Monday 7 October	8.00am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer and Eucharist Choral Evensong
Tuesday 8 October	8.00am 9.30am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer and Eucharist Holy Eucharist Choral Evensong
Wednesday 9 October <i>Cynog</i>	8.00am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer and Eucharist Choral Evensong
Thursday 10 October	8.00am 9.30am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer and Eucharist Cymun Bendigaidd Choral Evensong
Friday 11 October	8.00am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer and Eucharist Choral Evensong
Saturday 12 October	8.00am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer and Eucharist Evening Prayer
Sunday 13 October <i>The Twentieth Sunday after Trinity</i>	8.00am 9.00am 11.00am 4.00pm	Holy Eucharist [1984] Holy Eucharist [2004] Choral Eucharist Choral Evensong

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