

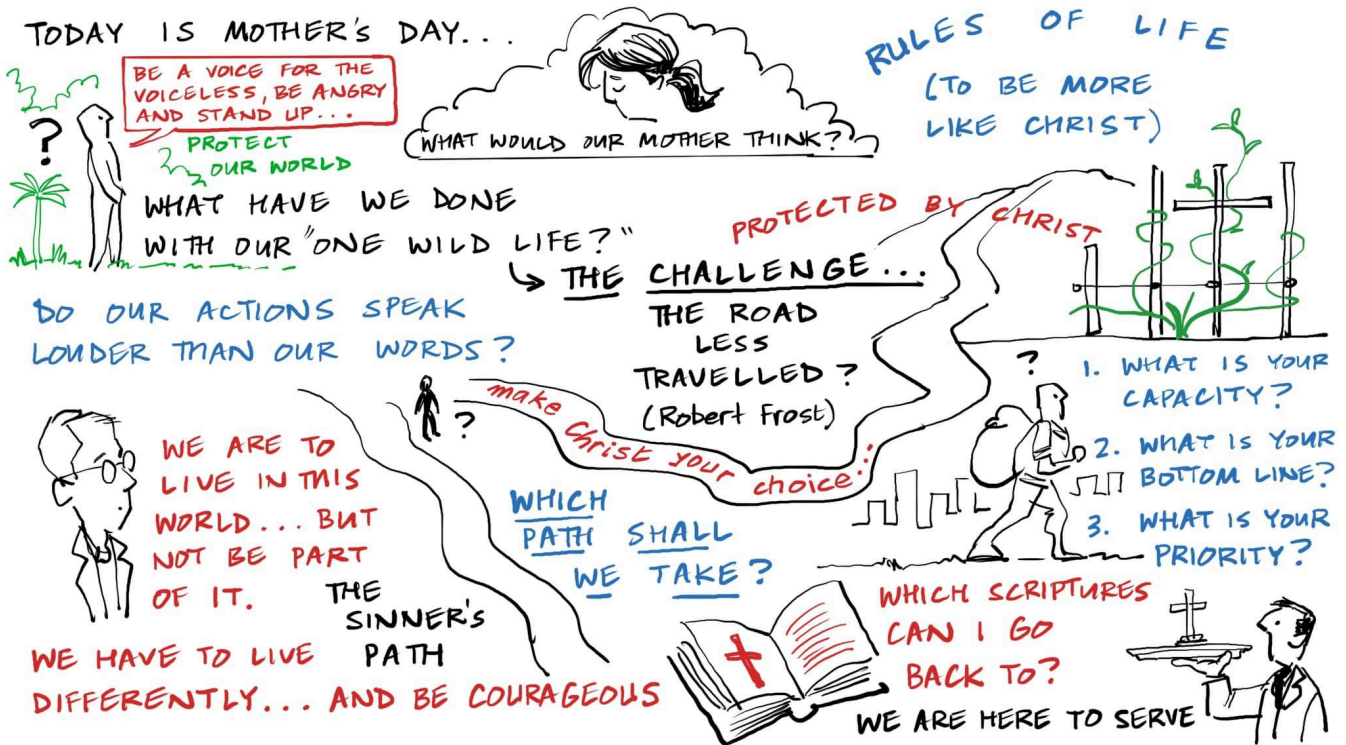


Weekly News

Wellington Cathedral of St Paul

Pentecost Sunday

19 May 2024



Inhabited by the Spirit

The miracle of God *with us*, in the person of Jesus Christ, is magnified by the miracle of God *in us*, through the Spirit's sacred presence this Pentecost. The Holy Spirit doesn't simply come to visit, in the way that we might turn up to the cathedral on a Sunday. The Holy Spirit of God comes to inhabit our lives in a deep abiding love, so that we can abide in the very life of God. The power and presence of God's Spirit sets us free and equips us for effective service, witness and mission in the world. As we celebrate Pentecost and our 60th anniversary this weekend, may we be transformed and bring transformation to others as portable carriers of God's Holy Spirit.

Malcolm Guite's Sonnet for Pentecost

Today we feel the wind beneath our wings
 Today the hidden fountain flows and plays
 Today the church draws breath at last and sings
 As every flame becomes a Tongue of praise.
 This is the feast of fire, air, and water
 Poured out and breathed and kindled into earth.
 The earth herself awakens to her maker
 And is translated out of death to birth.
 The right words come today in their right order
 And every word spells freedom and release
 Today the gospel crosses every border
 All tongues are loosened by the Prince of Peace
 Today the lost are found in His translation.
 Whose mother tongue is Love in every nation.

Arohanui, Dean Katie

Sentence of the Day

"In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams...Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved." Acts 2:17, 21

Collect

**Father,
you have filled your people with the Spirit who rested first on your Son and united us in your Church;
open the channels for your Spirit that we may freely work together, and your kingdom and your rule increase; for the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

E te Matua,
kua whakakīia e koe tāu iwi ki te Wairua,
i tau tuatahi ai ki runga i tāu Tama,
ā, i whakakotahitia ai mātou ki roto i tāu Hāhi; whakapuarengia mai ngā tatau ki tōu Wairua kia wātea ai mātou ki te mahi tahi, kia piki ake ai te rahi o tōu rangatiratanga me āu tikanga;
mō te korōria o tōu ingoa tapu. Āmine.

8am Said Eucharist

Presider: The Very Reverend Katie Lawrence
Preacher: The Very Reverend Katie Lawrence
First Reading: Acts 2:1-21 read by Crispin Kay
Psalm: 104:25-35, 36b
Gospel: John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15
Eucharistic Assistants: Elizabeth Kay & Pike Stahlmann-Brown
Sidespeople: Keith & Delia McGavin
Morning Tea: Jenny van der Merwe

10am Choral Eucharist & Tamariki Time

**Please note that we gather at the back of the Nave
by the Narthex doors for the start of the service**

Presider: The Very Reverend Katie Lawrence
Preacher: The Very Reverend Katie Lawrence
Deacon: The Reverend Chris Frazer
First Reading: Acts 2:1-21 read by Claire Shirtcliffe
Psalm: 104:25-35, 36b
Gospel: John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15
Intercessions: Mary Prangnell,
Liturgical assistants: Chris Frazer, Philip Webb, Richard Field-Dodgson, Jayne Talbot
Crucifer: John Markham

Sidespeople: Sam Prabhakaran & Joanne Charles
Verger: Richard Hutchinson
Sound desk: Virgil Simpson
Morning tea: Paul Starr, Raja Cingaraj, Hepziba Annavel

4pm Evensong

Officiants: The Very Reverend Katie Lawrence
Preacher: The Very Reverend Katie Lawrence
Organist and Director of Music: Michael Stewart
Assistant Conductor: Stephen Bowness
Richard Prothero Organ Scholar: Max Toth
Choir: Cathedral Choir
First Lesson: Ezekiel 36:22-28 read by Don Smith
Psalms: 139:1-11
Second Lesson: Acts 2:22-38 read by Gillian Thomas
Sidespeople: David & Merle Sowerby
Sound desk: Solomon Lawrence

Join us after Evensong for celebratory refreshments at the back of the Nave

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The flowers this week were donated by Crispin & Elizabeth Kay in celebration of their wedding anniversary.

The Companions of the Cathedral have received the excellent news from Buckingham Palace that 'His Majesty is delighted to accept the Patronage of The Companions of Wellington Cathedral'. This is a wonderful endorsement of the respect and affection his mother Queen Elizabeth felt for the Cathedral when she accepted patronage of The Companions in 1990.

The Companions' AGM which had been set for this Sunday 19th May has been postponed. A new date will be announced shortly.

Upcoming Events

Fri 28 June The Cathedral will be open on Te rā o Matariki

6.30pm Sanctuary • Join us for a special Matariki Sanctuary service in the evening.

Tue 11-Fri 14 June Staff away on Retreat • The Cathedral will be open with members of our community welcoming visitors and leading Morning and Evening Prayer.

Sat 22 June Dignity Freedom Network • Join us for dinner in the Nave for a memorable and inspiring evening with Director of Healthcare and Anti-trafficking, Dr. Beryl D'Souza. Hear stories of hope and

transformation from her years of work rehabilitating and restoring exploited women and children. Cost: \$30 per head. Book at <https://www.trybooking.com/nz/events/landing/12072>

Sunday Services

- 8.00am **Said Eucharist**
10.00am **Choral Eucharist**
[Also live-streamed](#)
- 4.00pm **Choral Evensong**
- 6.00pm **Taizé**
Every first Sunday

Weekday Services

- 8.00am **Morning Prayer**
12.15pm **Midday Eucharist**
Monday-Friday in the Lady Chapel
with Te Hakari Tapu on Thursdays
- 5.15pm **Evening Prayer**
Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri
- 5.30pm **Thursday Choral Evensong**
Thursday during school terms

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- Make a direct contribution to the Cathedral's bank account number: **06-0513-0192407-00**
- Scan any of the QR codes if you are visiting the Cathedral in person
- Scan the QR code on this page



Vestry 2024

Dean's Warden - Gavin Knight	People's Warden - Philip Webb
Peter Barnett	Gina Smith
Hera Clarke	Pike Stahlmann-Brown
Richard Hutchinson	Claire Stevens
Bryce Newman	Jono Wren



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Prayer Ministry is available at the Chapel without Walls during distribution of Communion at the 10am Eucharist. No need is too small or great.
