

HYMNS

744 O God of Bethel
87 Thou who wast rich
546 How great thou art
576 Jerusalem

PRAYERS

- For the Church: in the Anglican Church of Hong Kong (Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui) we pray for St. Matthias' Church, the Revd Thomas Pang and the Revd Leung Ka Jor.
- For our world.
- For the sick, especially Brenda Cuya, Dan Krupa, Donna Willis, Jeanette Skelton.
- For the departed, especially Tan Kok Neo.

If you would like to include anyone by name in our prayers, please let Alison or Will know.

Thank you to all our volunteers!

VOLUNTEERS	TODAY	Next Sunday
Welcomers	Dot Whittington	
Altar Server	Steffie Lee	Charlotte Wong
Readers	Graham Price	Juliet Ide
	Ronald Yuen	Chris Lawrence
Intercessions	Chris Lawrence	Alison Harada
Offertory & Collection	Evelyne Yeung	
Chalice	Boris Lee	
	Richard Lee	Phoebe Poon
	Phoebe Lee	Olivia Choi
Flowers	Nona Soumy	Nona Soumy
Refreshments	McKeowns	Chris Hall
Sunday School	Rebecca Price	Rebecca Price

Sunday School starts this morning.
There will be a new topic
'How Jesus Loves Us'.

Your Favourite Hymns
During August we will have
a selection of your favourite hymns.
Please let Will know your choice!

First Communion course for children age 7+
Begins next Sunday 26th August
after church. Please ask Will for details.

St Stephen's in the City 28 August
Tuesday 1pm- 1.45. We will meet to
discuss issues and questions of faith, study
the bible, pray and learn. All are welcome.

If you're not free one Sunday morning, try
Sunday 6pm at St John's Cathedral.
Tonight: Choral Evensong
Next Week: Taize Evening Prayer

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St Stephen's Chapel Stanley Hong Kong

*The colour of the priest's stole and the veil covering
the chalice is Green for Growing.*

Please join us for tea and coffee after church.

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19th August 2018
12th Sunday after Trinity

9.30am Holy Eucharist

The Revd Will Newman



Receiving Communion

1st Reading from the Book of Proverbs

Wisdom has built her house, she has hewn her seven pillars. She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table. She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls from the highest places in the town, 'You that are simple, turn in here!' To those without sense she says, 'Come, eat of my bread and drink of the wine I have mixed. Lay aside immaturity, and live, and walk in the way of insight.'

Proverbs 9.1-6

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

2nd Reading from Paul's Letter to the Ephesians

Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, making the most of the time, because the days are evil. So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your hearts, giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Ephesians 5.15-20

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL

Priest: Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.' The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' So Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever.'

John 6.51-58

Priest: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, O Christ.
