

## HYMNS

357 All people that on earth  
 827 Ye servants of God  
 813 Through the night of doubt  
 739i Now thank we all

## PRAYERS

- For the Church: in the Anglican Church of Hong Kong (Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui) we pray for Hong Kong Island Diocese, Archbishop Paul Kwong  
 - For our world  
 - For the sick, especially Allan Cheung, Valery Garrett, Chiu-man, Alan Tsang and Rainer Rommel  
 - For the departed

*If you would like to include anyone by name in our prayers, please let Hugh or Will know.*  
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*Thank you to all our volunteers!*

VOLUNTEERS	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
Welcomers	Evelyne Yeung	Hugh Garway
Altar Server	Boris Lee	
Readers	Hugh Garway Chris Hall	Hugh Garway Juliet Ide
Intercessions	Judith Crosbie-Chen	Chris Lawrence
Offertory & Collection	Chris Hall Hugh Garway	
Chalice	Ronald Yuen Boris Lee	Hugh Garway
Flowers	Marianne Cracknell	
Refreshments	Marianne Cracknell	Debbie Blount
Sunday School	Catherine Freeman Nathalie Bastiou	Catherine Freeman Nathalie Bastiou

Parish Pot Luck Brunch  
 after coffee today  
 at Will and Dot's home  
 Everyone is welcome.

Public Lectures at the Cathedral:  
 7.30pm Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October  
 An Introduction to The Bible  
*Open to all. Let your friends know!*

St Stephen's Dinner  
 Friday 27 October at a delicious Spanish restaurant in Soho.  
 Please contact Debbie for details.

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

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

*Please join us for tea and coffee after church.*

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22<sup>nd</sup> Oct 2017

**19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

9.30am Holy Eucharist  
 The Revd Will Newman



*Caesar's Head on the Coin*

*1<sup>st</sup> Reading from the book of Exodus*

Moses said to the Lord, ‘See, you have said to me, “Bring up this people”; but you have not let me know whom you will send with me. Yet you have said, “I know you by name, and you have also found favour in my sight.” Now if I have found favour in your sight, show me your ways, so that I may know you and find favour in your sight. Consider too that this nation is your people.’ He said, ‘My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.’ And he said to him, ‘If your presence will not go, do not carry us up from here. For how shall it be known that I have found favour in your sight, I and your people, unless you go with us? In this way, we shall be distinct, I and your people, from every people on the face of the earth.’ The Lord said to Moses, ‘I will do the very thing that you have asked; for you have found favour in my sight, and I know you by name.’ Moses said, ‘Show me your glory, I pray.’ And he said, ‘I will make all my goodness pass before you, and will proclaim before you the name, “The Lord”; and I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. But’, he said, ‘you cannot see my face; for no one shall see me and live.’ And the Lord continued, ‘See, there is a place by me where you shall stand on the rock; and while my glory passes by I will put you in a cleft of the rock, and I will cover you with my hand until I have passed by; then I will take away my hand, and you shall see my back; but my face shall not be seen.’

*Exodus 33.12-end*

*Reader: This is the word of the Lord.*  
**All: Thanks be to God.**

*2<sup>nd</sup> Reading from Paul’s Letter to the Thessalonians*

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy,

To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

Grace to you and peace.

We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labour of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of people we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place where your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead—Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

*1 Thessalonians 1.1-10*

*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 Matthew.

**All: Glory to you, O Lord.**

Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap Jesus in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, ‘Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?’ But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, ‘Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax.’ And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, ‘Whose head is this, and whose title?’ They answered, ‘The emperor’s.’ Then he said to them, ‘Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor’s, and to God the things that are God’s.’ When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

*Matthew 22.15-22*

*Priest: This is the Gospel of the Lord.*

**All: Praise to you, O Christ.**

