

HYMNS

628 Father of heaven
451i Just as I am
696 Jesus where'er thy people meet
721ii Love divine

PRAYERS

- For the Church: in the Anglican Church of Hong Kong (Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui) we pray for Church of the Incarnation, Discovery Bay, the Revd Ng Yu Lam
- For our world
- For the sick, especially Allan Cheung, Valery Garrett, Chiu-man and Alan Tsang
- For the departed

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

Thank you to all our volunteers!

VOLUNTEERS	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
Welcomers	Clive Rough	Hugh Garway
Altar Server	Philippa Goh	Jullianne Baria
Readers	Chris Lawrence	Doug Walls
	Amelia Wilson	Marlon Sanchez
Intercessions	Graham Price	Hugh Garway
Offertory & Collection	Barry Freeman	Richard Lee
Chalice	Graham Price	Phoebe Lo
	Hugh Garway	Hugh Garyway
		Jeff Blount
Flowers		
Refreshments	Amelia Wilson	Marianne Yeo
Sunday School	Robin Fine	
	Rebecca Price	
	David Bradley	

Please help us to sign up for your Car Parking Permits after service.
Please speak to Fei Fei Li.

You can hear Will on Radio,
RTHK4 at 9.50am
every Friday mornings in September.

Visits to Stanley Prison started from last Friday 8th Sept. morning. If you would like to join our visit, please talk to Will.

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

Saturday 23 September
Fundraising Concert at the Cathedral in aid of Prisoners' Education with our own St Stephen's Chorale, the Cathedral Choir, and other performers.
6.30pm Drinks Reception, 7.30pm Concert.
Buy your tickets today!

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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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10th Sept 2017

13th Sunday after Trinity

9.30am Holy Eucharist
The Revd Will Newman



Jesus Teaching

1st Reading from the book of Exodus

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbour in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. They shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn. This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it hurriedly. It is the passover of the Lord. For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike down every firstborn in the land of Egypt, both human beings and animals; on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgements: I am the Lord. The blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you live: when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague shall destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt. This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the Lord; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

Exodus 12.1-14

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

2nd Reading from Paul's letter to Romans

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, 'You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet'; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law. Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

Romans 13.8-end

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.

Jesus said to the disciples: 'If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax-collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.'

Matthew 18.15-20

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

