

# Weekly notice sheet

Sunday 7th April 2019

The Fifth Sunday of Lent

Passion Sunday



## 8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

The service begins on **page 293** of the Prayer Book. The Collect and Readings for the Fifth Sunday in Lent can be found on **page 138**.

## 10.00am Sung Eucharist

Sung by Strathclyde University Chamber Choir

President: Canon Jean Skinner

Preacher: The Dean

## 11.30am Annual Vestry Meeting and Parochial General Meeting

## 4.00pm Choral Evensong

Sung by Strathclyde University Chamber Choir

## 5.30pm Lent course based on the film *The Greatest Showman* – Education Centre

## Welcome

We warmly welcome all who are with us for today's services – and particularly the members of the Strathclyde University Chamber Choir, who are leading our choral services this weekend. If you are visiting, or are here for the first time, please introduce yourself to one of the clergy.

## Crèche

During the Sung Eucharist on Sunday mornings, there are books and toys for young children in St George's Chapel, for parents and carers who would like to take their child/children for a few minutes during the service. The service is relayed into the chapel, to enable parents and carers to continue to follow what is going on in the Eucharist.

## Junior Church

Junior Church meets today – for the last time this term. The children and their leaders leave for the Education Centre during the first hymn.

Summer term dates will be published before Easter.

## **Thursday this week – 11th April**

### **Faith Development: Canons in Conversation**

11.30am Eucharist

12.15pm Canon in conversation – Canon Steven Harvey

## **Next Sunday – 14th April**

### **Palm Sunday**

**8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)**

**10.00am Procession of Palms and Sung Eucharist** (starting at the Castle; please assemble under the railway arch next to the Black Gate)

Sung by the Cathedral Choir

President: The Dean

**4.00pm Choral Evensong**

Sung by the Cathedral Choir

### **Stanley Entwistle RIP**

A memorial service for Stanley Entwistle MBE will be held at the Cathedral on **Monday 15th April at 3.00pm**. The family extend a warm invitation to all who knew him to join them for the service, followed by light refreshments.

### **House Group**

The House Group, to which all are welcome, is intended to help us grow in our Christian faith and life and to get to know each other better. The next meeting will be at **8.00pm on Wednesday this week, 10th April**, at Ruth Lunn's home. We will be continuing our discussion of David Ford's book *The Shape of Living: The Spiritual Directions for Everyday Life*. If you would like to know more, please speak with Ruth Lunn or Canon Harvey ([steven.harvey@stnicholascathedral.co.uk](mailto:steven.harvey@stnicholascathedral.co.uk)).

### **Bible Study Group**

To enable the group to attend the Thursday Lent conversations, and because of the Easter break, the group will not meet again until **Thursday 25th April**.

### **Organ Recitals – Mondays at 1.05pm**

These recitals, on the Cathedral's Lewis/Harrison/Nicholson organ, last for 40 minutes. Admission is free, but there is a retiring collection (suggested donation: £5). The recital tomorrow, **8th April**, will be given by **David Hamilton** (University of Strathclyde).

## **Holy Week at the Cathedral**

**Palm Sunday – 14th April – see above**

### **Monday 15th April at 6.30pm**

Sung Eucharist with Homily

President: Canon Clare MacLaren

Preacher: Canon Steven Harvey

### **Tuesday 16th April at 6.30pm**

Sung Eucharist with Homily

President: Canon Jean Skinner

Preacher: Canon Clare MacLaren

### **Wednesday 17th April at 6.30pm**

Tenebrae – An ancient service of words and music

### **Maundy Thursday at 11.00am**

The Chrism Mass – A Diocesan Service, to which all are invited, with the Blessing of Oils, celebration of ministries and Holy Communion

President: The Bishop of Newcastle

Preacher: The Bishop of Berwick

### **Maundy Thursday at 6.30pm**

The Eucharist of the Last Supper

President: Canon Jean Skinner

Preacher: The Dean

### **Good Friday at 2.00pm**

The Liturgy of the Cross

President and Preacher: The Bishop of Berwick

### **Holy Saturday**

10.00am – ‘Messy Cathedral’ exploring the Easter story (followed by drinks and hot cross buns)

### **Easter Day**

**5.00am** – Dawn Vigil and lighting of the Easter Fire (starting in the Castle Keep, and followed by breakfast in the Cathedral)

**8.00am** – Holy Communion (BCP)

**10.00am** – Festal Eucharist

President: The Dean

Preacher: The Bishop of Berwick

**4.00pm** – Festal Evensong with Homily

## Daily Prayer

Members of the congregation and visitors are invited to join in with the daily round of prayer and worship at the Cathedral.

If you are not able to be present in person, why not try to time your prayer-time at home, or while travelling, so that it coincides with the time of a service in the Cathedral? This can be a helpful reminder that, when we pray, we do not pray alone. Rather, when we pray we are joining with our fellow Christians, in the Christian community to which we belong, and indeed throughout the world, in the ceaseless offering of prayer and praise.

	7.30am	8.00am			5.30pm
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>			<b>Evensong*</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>		<b>Holy Communion 12.30pm</b>	<b>Evensong*</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>		<b>Holy Communion 10.30am</b>	<b>Evensong*</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>		<b>Holy Communion 12.30pm</b>	<b>Evensong*</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>			<b>Evening Prayer</b>
<b>Saturday (and Bank Holidays)</b>			<b>Morning Prayer 8.30am</b>	<b>Holy Communion 9.00am</b>	

*\* In Choir Term. In holiday periods, unless there is a visiting Choir, Evening Prayer is said.*

The full list of services, presidents, officiants, preachers and music is available on the Welcome Desk and on the Cathedral's website – [www.stnicholascathedral.co.uk](http://www.stnicholascathedral.co.uk).

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