

GRACE CATHEDRAL

Our Vision: A world where people experience God's love and are made whole.

Our Mission: To share the love of Jesus through compassion, inclusivity, creativity and learning.



Evensong

23 August 2018

5:15 p.m.

Evensong

THURSDAY IN THE THIRTEENTH WEEK AFTER PENTECOST • 23 AUGUST 2018 • 5:15 PM

Welcome to Grace Cathedral. Choral Evensong marks the end of the working day and prepares for the approaching night. The roots of this service come out of ancient monastic traditions of Christian prayer. In this form, it was created by Thomas Cranmer, Archbishop of Canterbury in the 16th century, as part of the simplification of services within the newly-reformed Church of England. The Episcopal Church, as part of the worldwide Anglican Communion, has inherited this pattern of evening prayer.

In this service we are invited to reflect on the business of the past day, to pray for the world and for ourselves, and to commend all into God's hands as words of Holy Scripture are said and sung. The beauty of the music is offered to help us set our lives in the light of eternity; the same light which dwelt among us in Jesus, and which now illuminates us by the Spirit. May this service be a blessing to you.

VOLUNTARY

Choral in F

Jean Langlais

The people stand as the procession enters.

The Invitatory and Psalter

OPENING SENTENCE

Said by the officiant.

PRECES

Bernard Rose

Officiant O Lord, open thou our lips.

Choir And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

O God, make speed to save us.

O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.

The Lord's name be praised.

HYMN 424

Sung by all, standing.

East Acklam

For the fruit of all cre - a - tion, thanks be to God.
In the just re - ward of la - bor, God's will be done.
For the har - vests of the Spi - rit, thanks be to God.

For his gifts to ev - ery na - tion, thanks be to God.
In the help we give our neigh - bor, God's will be done.
For the good we all in - her - it, Thanks be to God.

For the plow - ing, sow - ing, reap - ing, si - lent growth while we are sleep - ing,
In our world - wide task of car - ing for the hun - gry and de - spair - ing,
For the won - ders that as - tound us, for the truths that still con - found us,

fu - ture needs in earth's safe - keep - ing, thanks be to God.
in the har - vests we are shar - ing, God's will be done.
most of all that love has found us, thanks be to God.

text: F. Pratt Green (1903-2000), alt.; music: Francis Jackson (b. 1917)

The Lessons

JEREMIAH 23:23-29

THE MAGNIFICAT

The people stand.

Arthur Wills
Evening Service in G Minor

Choir My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour. For he hath regarded the lowliness of his handmaiden. For behold, from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed. For he that is mighty hath magnified me, and holy is his Name. And his mercy is on them that fear him throughout all generations. He hath showed strength with his arm; he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts. He hath put down the mighty from their seat, and hath exalted the humble and meek. He hath filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he hath sent empty away. He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel, as he promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed for ever. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

- Luke 1:45-55

LUKE 12:49-56

The people sit.

THE NUNC DIMITTIS

The people stand.

Wills

Choir Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word; For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the face of all people, To be a light to lighten the Gentiles, and to be the glory of thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

- Luke 2:29-32

HOMILY

The people sit.

The Rev. Mary Carter Greene
Director of Children, Youth and Family Ministry

THE APOSTLES' CREED

The people stand. Sung by all on a monotone.

All I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost,
the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers

Sung by the officiant and choir.

Rose

Officiant The Lord be with you.

Choir And with thy spirit.

Let us pray. The people may kneel.

Lord have mercy upon us.

Christ have mercy upon us. Lord have mercy upon us.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Sung on a monotone.

All **Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
Thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

THE SUFFRAGES

Rose

Officiant O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.

Choir And grant us thy salvation.

O Lord, save this land.

And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Endue thy ministers with righteousness.

And make thy chosen people joyful.

O Lord, save thy people.

And bless thine inheritance.

Give peace in our time, O Lord.

Because there is none other that fighteth for us, but only thou, O God.

O God, make clean our hearts within us.

And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

THE COLLECTS

Sung by the officiant.

ANTHEM

The people sit.

Martin How

Choir Day by day, dear Lord, of thee three things I pray: to see thee more clearly,
love thee more dearly follow thee more nearly, day by day.

— Prayer of St. Richard of Chichester

CLOSING PRAYERS

The people may kneel.

The Rev. Canon Abbot Bailey
Canon to the Ordinary

HYMN 660

Sung by all, standing. An offering is received.

Maryton



1 O Mas-ter, let me walk with thee in low - ly paths of ser - vice free;
 2 Help me the slow of heart to move by some clear, win-ning word of love;
 3 Teach me thy pa-tience; still with thee in clos - er, dear - er com - pa - ny,
 4 in hope that sends a shin-ing ray far down the fu-ture's broad - ening way,



tell me thy se - cret; help me bear the strain of toil, the fret of care.
 teach me the way-ward feet to stay, and guide them in the home-ward way.
 in work that keeps faith sweet and strong, in trust that triumphs o - ver wrong,
 in peace that on - ly thou canst give, with thee, O Mas - ter, let me live.

text: Washington Gladden (1836-1918); music: Henry Percy Smith (1825-1898)

VOLUNTARY

Chorale

Francis Jackson

The Readings

JEREMIAH 23:23-29

Am I a God near by, says the Lord, and not a God far off? Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the Lord. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the Lord. I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, "I have dreamed, I have dreamed!" How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back—those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the Lord. Is not my word like fire, says the Lord, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

LUKE 12:49-56

Jesus said, "I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! From now on five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; they will be divided: father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law." He also said to the crowds, "When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, 'It is going to rain'; and so it happens. And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, 'There will be scorching heat'; and it happens. You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?"



Serving the Assembly

Officiant	The Very Rev. Dr. Malcolm Clemens Young , Dean
Homilist	The Rev. Mary Carter Greene , Director of Children, Youth and Family Ministry
Prayers	The Rev. Canon Abbot Bailey , Canon to the Ordinary
Musicians	The Men of the Cathedral Choir Benjamin Bachmann , The Diana Dollar Knowles Canon Director of Music Christopher Keady , Assistant Director of Music

our congregation



Congregation Town Hall

Sunday, August 26 • 9:30 a.m. • Gresham Hall

Join us for a town hall with our dean, Malcolm Clemens Young, to discuss responses to the recently conducted congregation survey and your dreams for the cathedral. Our delegates will also report on issues at General Convention this year.



And save the date for **Congregation Sunday**, taking place on Sunday, September 16 after the 11 a.m. Choral Eucharist. We'll have a bounce house, ministry fair, food and more!

spiritual life



Education for Ministry Summer Series

Thursday, August 23 • 6:30 p.m. • Chapter House Library

Read and discuss Ken Stone's *Reading the Hebrew Bible with Animal Studies*. This serves as an introduction to Education for Ministry in the fall. Contact Roberta Sautter at nixile@earthlink.net.



Telling Your Truth: Writing as a Spiritual Practice

Thursdays, August 23, September 13 and 27, October 25 and November 15 • 6:15 - 8 p.m. • Chapter Room

Uncover and give voice to your truth. Join us for a workshop exploring writing as a spiritual practice. All forms of writing and any level of experience are welcome. For more details, email Carol James at carolj@gracecathedral.org.

artist in residence



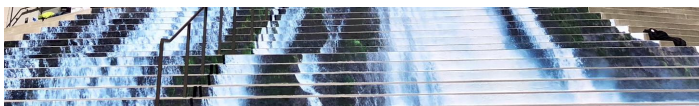
Grace Cathedral's 2018 Artist in Residence Sukey Bryan: Celebrating the Oceans, Protecting the Earth

Our 2018 Artist in Residence Sukey Bryan marks the Global Climate Action Summit taking place in the fall and the Year of Truth with a stunning series of art installations. Bryan's work centers on nature and climate change to give us a new understanding of our relationship to our world.

On view now:

- ~ *Waterfront*, Cathedral north transept, a five-panel oil painting
- ~ *Tidal Race*, Plaza columns, series of eight large scale photographs
- ~ *Kelp Forest*, Plaza, two murals painted by the Summer Arts Camp
- ~ *Impressions of the Ocean*, Outdoor labyrinth, a finger paint project by the Community Preschool

Learn more at gracecathedral.org/art.



global climate action summit



Global Climate Action Summit Service and Faith-Rooted Affiliated Workshops

Service on Wednesday, September 12 • 4 p.m.
Workshops on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 12-14 • Cathedral

A special Multi-Faith Service of Wondering and Commitment will be held at the cathedral at the opening of the Global Climate Action Summit that is taking place in San Francisco from September 12 - 14. The Episcopal Diocese of California, GreenFaith and Interfaith Power & Light are presenting the service. While the service is by invitation only at present, it will be livestreamed and we are excited about people from the Bay Area and around the world participating in this fashion.

The Episcopal Diocese of California, GreenFaith and Interfaith Power & Light are also holding Global Climate Action Summit Faith-Rooted Affiliated Workshops at the cathedral on Thursday, September 13 and Friday, September 14 that are open to the public. Learn more and register at diocal.org.

community & volunteer



Gun Buyback Thank You

Bayview Mission and Grace Cathedral wish to thank SFPD, the SF Foundation and our dedicated volunteers for helping our efforts to end gun violence. We collected 58 pieces that included: one assault weapon; 16 rifles; 38 handguns and 3 BB guns. Afterwards, we celebrated our community with BBQ, cookies and a bouncy castle.



Senior Community Day

Thursday, August 23 • 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. • Chapter House Dining Room

Enjoy a continental breakfast, social hour or Bible study and an educational presentation. We will conclude our day with the sharing of senior care bags. For more information, visit gracecathedral.org/seniors.



Women in Community

Saturday, August 25 • 2 - 4 p.m. • Private Residence

Women in Community is a group of women from Grace Cathedral who get together monthly for refreshments and conversation in a casual, supportive setting. RSVP with Joanne Compean at (415) 819-8003 or joannejcompean@gmail.com.



Blessing of the Backpacks

Sunday, August 26 • 11 a.m. Choral Eucharist • Cathedral

Next week, students of all ages are invited to bring their backpacks up to the altar for blessings for the school year. Learn more and donate to support those who cannot afford basic school supplies at gracecathedral.org/schoolsupplies.



Dinner with Grace - Drivers & Reheaters needed!

Wednesday, August 29 • 4 - 6 p.m. • 516 O'Farrell St

Feed hungry bodies and souls by helping heat and transport meals from the cathedral to the Crosby Hotel.

cathedral worship

Sundays

Nursery	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Eucharist	8:30 a.m.
Sunday School	10:45 a.m.
Choral Eucharist	11 a.m.
Evening Eucharist	6 p.m.

Monday - Friday

Morning Prayer	9 a.m.
Holy Eucharist	12:10 p.m.
Evening Prayer	5:15 p.m.

Tuesdays

Yoga	6:15 p.m.
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Wednesdays

The Vine (Contemporary Worship)	6:30 p.m.
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Thursdays

Holy Eucharist	7:30 a.m.
Choral Evensong	5:15 p.m.

Saturdays

Morning Prayer	9 a.m.
Evening Prayer	3 p.m.



The Forum

The Forum is a series of stimulating conversations about the issues of our day. Events take place at Gresham Hall on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. unless otherwise noted. Free and open to all. For more information on upcoming guests and past visitors, visit gracecathedral.org/forum.

September 16: George Shultz, the Distinguished Fellow at the Hoover Institute and former Secretary of State, on climate change, in the context of the Global Climate Action Summit.



September 23: Sukey Bryan, 2018 Grace Cathedral Artist in Residence, on her residency in the Year of Truth.



September 30: Mark Hanson, San Francisco Symphony's executive director, on the power of music.



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when we're open

Cathedral: Open daily 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. (Thursday open 7 a.m.).

Columbarium: Sunday 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

Docents generally available: Monday - Friday 1 - 3 p.m. • Saturday 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Sunday after the 11 a.m. service (meet at the font).



Get connected, stay connected

Follow us on Facebook (facebook.com/gracecathedralsf), Instagram (gracecathedral), Twitter (@gracecathedral), YouTube (Grace Cathedral San Francisco) and follow our dean on Twitter (@MalcolmYoung). Sign up for our weekly events email, Cathedral Highlights, or for congregation updates at gracecathedral.org/connect.

Listen to sermons and services online

The 11 a.m. Sunday Eucharist and 5:15 p.m. Thursday Evensong are posted on our website for a week after each service. Subscribe to the sermons through iTunes or listen at gracecathedral.org/listen.

Prayer Requests

To request prayers of thanksgiving or intercession, email prayer@gracecathedral.org. Every day, our prayer team tends to the concerns of the community and remembers those who have died.

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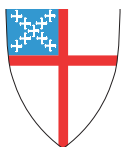
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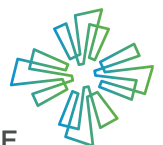
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