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The Pebble

13 November 2016

Feast of the Dedication

On the Anniversary of the Dedication of a Church

O Almighty God.

to whose glory we celebrate the dedication of this house of prayer:

We give thee thanks for the fellowship of those who have worshipped in this place;

and we pray that all who seek thee may find thee,

and be filled with thy joy and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord

American Episcopal Prayer book

Welcome to all who are sharing with us in worship today. The Ministry of Healing and Wholeness is offered in the Lady Chapel during Communion. Everyone is warmly invited to Morning Tea after the Solemn Sung Eucharist

THE LITURGY FOR TODAY

8.00 am Holy Eucharist (1662)
10:30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist <u>HYMNS:</u>
346 City of God, how broad and far
416 O God of Bethel by whose hand
205 Christ is made the sure foundation *Communion hymn*413 Now thank we all our God

READINGS FOR TODAY

Ezekiel 47: 1-2, 8-9, 12 The response to Psalm 46 is: The waters of the river gladden the city of God 1 Peter 3: 9-11, 16-17 John 2: 13-22

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

<u>Samuel 5: 1-3</u> <u>Colossians 1: 12-20</u> <u>Luke 23: 35-43</u>

ORGAN POSTLUDE: *In Memoriam* Edward Elgar *arr*. Herbert Brewer

PARISH NEWS

Pot luck lunch A pot luck lunch follows the 10.30 am Service this morning as is our custom on the second Sunday of the month. All welcome.

<u>Garage sale</u> Thank you to all who helped with the garage sale on Saturday. A skip will arrive on Monday morning and the clear out of garden detritus and garage sale remnants starts after midday. Helpers for this important clearance task would be much appreciated. Please let Warwick Harris or the Vicar know if you can help in this way.

Fellowship group The St Peter's fellowship group will meet for our Christmas luncheon on Tuesday 22 November at 12.30 pm in the Waterloo Hotel followed by tea or coffee at Raylene's home. Please advise Raylene 455 2389 or Gay 476 1613 if you plan to attend by Friday 18 November.

<u>Please remember in your prayers</u> Karsyn Rex Ludlow to be baptised at St Peter's on Sunday 27 November.

Pray for the Sick and Infirm Claire Johnson, Cherry Gordon, Jun Miyagi, Margaret Sterling, Anita Stephens, Mahlia and Sheree Napier, Joan Ferguson, Jonathan Gillies, Ian Gordon, Katie Bowron, Lorraine Mitchell and Denise Walker.

Third Caversham Lecture This Tuesday Evening. The third Caversham lecture on Tuesday evening at 7.30 pm in the Parish Lounge will be a panel discussion involving Keith Gillions funeral director, Professor Peter Skegg professor of law, Dr Tony Fitchett retired GP and Gayle Elliott palliative care nurse. They will discuss topics such as how to make a wise will; what do I do when a family member dies unexpectedly at home, planning my funeral Service; what palliative care services are available to us; pain control options and dealing with grief. **David Moxon to step down** The Archbishop of Canterbury's representative to the Holy See and director of the Anglican centre in Rome Archbishop David Moxon is to retire in June next year after four years in the post. Archbishop Justin Welby and the governors of the Anglican centre in Rome have begun the search for an Anglican bishop to succeed him for the combined post, which has been dubbed "the Archbishop of Canterbury's Spymaster General."

Removal of Holy Cross windows to take place in early <u>**December**</u> Fr Hugh met with the tradesman who will remove the four stained glass windows from Holy Cross on site on Thursday morning. This signals the removal of the windows at the end of the sale tender process expected to be in early December, their storage in especially constructed wooden crates and their safe storage at St Peter' s.

Family news Katie Bowron has concluded her time at the Ashburn clinic and has now moved to Christchurch where she is staying with friends while reconnecting with a number of professional carers whom she has found to be effective and helpful in the past.

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