



The Chapel of St Peter and St Paul
at the Old Royal Naval College, Greenwich
**Choral Eucharist for the
Last Sunday after Trinity**
Sunday, 27 October 2024 at 11.00am

Welcome to the Chapel of St Peter and St Paul for our worship this morning. If you have any questions or require help, please do not hesitate to ask the welcomers.

The setting of today's mass is the Spatzenmesse by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-91).

A collection will be taken during the service. To make a contactless donation, please see a member of the congregation holding a reader as you leave the Chapel. Standing Order forms and forms to register for Gift Aid tax relief are available at the back of the Chapel. We are grateful for all donations supporting the ministry and mission of this community.

If children need a break during the service, families should feel welcome to go outside and then re-enter. Families are also welcome to use the Queen Mary Undercroft as a self-service crèche facility. It is not staffed, but toys and books are provided.

In the case of a fire alarm, please make your way out of the main doors or as directed by the Foundation staff. Any person with mobility issues will be assisted by the staff. Everyone should assemble on the Lower Grand Square.



An induction loop system for the hearing impaired is installed in the Chapel. Hearing aid users should adjust their aids to T.

Introit

*Holy is the True Light, and passing wonderful,
lending radiance to them that endured in the heat of the conflict.
From Christ they inherit a home of unfading splendour,
wherein they rejoice with gladness evermore.
Alleluia!*

Words: Salisbury Diurnal; trans. George Herbert Palmer (1842–1933)

Music: William Henry Harris (1883–1973)

The service continues in the main booklet.

Collect

Lord, we beseech thee to keep thy household the Church in continual godliness; that through thy protection it may be free from all adversities, and devoutly given to serve thee in good works, to the glory of thy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

First Reading

Jeremiah 31, v 7-9

read by Elizabeth Lloyd-Davies

Thus says the Lord: 'Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and raise shouts for the chief of the nations; proclaim, give praise, and say, "The Lord has saved his people, the remnant of Israel." Behold, I will bring them from the north country, and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth, among them the blind and the lame, the woman with child and her who is in travail, together; a great company, they shall return here. With weeping they shall come, and with consolations I will lead them back, I will make them walk by brooks of water, in a straight path in which they shall not stumble; for I am a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my first-born.

This is the word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Psalm 34. 1-8

I will always give thanks unto the Lord:
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.
My soul shall make her boast in the Lord:
the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad.

O praise the Lord with me:
and let us magnify his Name together.
I sought the Lord, and he heard me:
yea, he delivered me out of all my fear.
They had an eye unto him, and were lightened:
and their faces were not ashamed.
Lo, the poor crieth, and the Lord heareth him:
yea, and saveth him out of all his troubles.
The angel of the Lord tarrieth round about them that fear him:
and delivereth them.
O taste, and see, how gracious the Lord is:
blessed is the man that trusteth in him.

Second Reading

Hebrews 7, v 23-end

read by Ralph Allwood

The former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office; but Jesus holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues for ever. Consequently, he is able for all time to save those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.

For it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, unstained, separated from sinners, exalted above the heavens. He has no need, like those high priests, to offer sacrifices daily, first for his own sins and then for those of the people; he did this once for all when he offered up himself. Indeed, the law appoints men in their weakness as high priests, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect for ever.

This is the word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Reading

Mark 10, v 46-end

The Holy Gospel is written in the 10th chapter of the Gospel according to Saint Mark, beginning at the 46th verse.

All **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

They came to Jericho; and as Jesus was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a great multitude, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside. And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, 'Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!' And many rebuked him, telling

him to be silent; but he cried out all the more, 'Son of David, have mercy on me!' And Jesus stopped and said, 'Call him.' And they called the blind man, saying to him, 'Take heart; rise, he is calling you.' And throwing off his mantle he sprang up and came to Jesus. And Jesus said to him, 'What do you want me to do for you?' And the blind man said to him, 'Master, let me receive my sight.' And Jesus said to him, 'Go your way; your faith has made you well.' And immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

Sermon

The Revd Faith Wakeling

The service continues in the main booklet.

Offertory Hymn

'To the name that brings salvation'

NEH 470

The service continues in the main booklet.

Communion Anthem

Ave verum corpus,
natum de Maria Virgine,
vere passum, immolatum
in cruce pro homine:
cujus latus perforatum,
unde fluxit sanguine.
Esto nobis praegustatum
in mortis examine.
O dulcis, O pie,
O Jesu, fili Mariae,
miserere mei.
Amen.

*Hail the true body,
born of the Virgin Mary,
Truly suffering, was sacrificed
on the cross for all:
from whose pierced side
flowed blood.
Be a foretaste
in the final judgment.
O sweet, O merciful,
O Jesus, Son of Mary,
Have mercy on me.
Amen.*

Words: C14 Eucharistic chant

Music: William Byrd (c. 1540–1623)

The service continues in the main booklet.

Final Hymn

'Forth in the peace of Christ we go'

NEH 361

Voluntary

Church sonata in C major (K 336)

W.A. Mozart (1756-91)



NOTICES

MONDAY EVENSONG: Please note that Choral Evensong tomorrow (28 October) will take place at St Alfege Church at 5.30pm. The Chapel Choir will be joined by the Gorcum Boys' Choir from the Netherlands. Introit, *Holy is the true light* by Harris; Responses by Jackson; Canticles, *Evening Service in G* by Sumsion; Anthem, *Geistliches Lied* by Brahms.

LUNCHTIME CONCERT, 2 NOVEMBER: The New Eden Consort, made up of current and former members of the Chapel Choir, will perform at St James' Church Piccadilly on 2 November at 1.10pm. The programme will include works by Wolf, Imogen Holst, Palestina, Florence Price, and Ethel Smyth. The concert is free and open to the public. Familiar faces from the Chapel are most welcome!

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY, 3 NOVEMBER: The annual reading aloud of the names of deceased loved ones will take place during the Choral Eucharist next week on All Saints' Sunday. Anyone who wishes to remember individuals in this way may print their names on the sign-up sheets on the tables at the back of the Chapel. Alternatively, please email names to chaplain@ornc.org by 1 November.

ST ALFEGE CHRISTMAS JOURNEY: Every year, St Alfege Church hosts a series of 'Christmas Journey' performances for local Year 2 schoolchildren (6-7 year olds). This year, the performances will take place on 25/26 November. The organisers are looking for volunteers to take part – no previous experience is required! Those interested in helping should contact Andrew Morley (andrew.morley13@btinternet.com) as soon as possible.

CHOIR CHRISTMAS CONCERT, 1 DECEMBER: For its autumn recital this year, the Chapel Choir will perform Haydn's *The Creation* on 1 December at 7.00pm in the Chapel. To purchase tickets (£15 full/£10 concession/£5 student), please ring the Blackheath Halls box office on 020 8463 0100 or visit <https://www.trinitylaban.ac.uk/whats-on/trinity-laban-ornc-chapel-choir-christmas-concert/>.

CHAPEL CAROL SERVICES 2024: The Chapel Carol Service on Sunday, 15 December will be a ticketed (but free) event. Tickets are once more available today (27 October) from Anthea Larken. The same service will take place on Monday, 16 December but will be un-ticketed. Refreshment tickets for the mulled wine/mince pie reception following the Sunday service are £7.50 if bought ahead (cash only) and £8 on the night (card only). These tickets are available to purchase from Anthea Larken and Eileen Falconer.

MIDDLE EAST CRISIS: On behalf of the congregation, the Trustees of the Chapel Fund have made a donation of £500 to the Middle East Humanitarian Appeal set up by the Disasters Emergency Committee to assist people suffering from the conflicts in Gaza, Lebanon, and across the region. Individual donations may also be made through www.dec.org.uk.

CHARITY OF THE MONTH: This month's charity is Starlight, the national charity for children's play in healthcare. Recognising that play has the power to reduce fear, pain, and trauma during medical treatment and recovery from illness, Starlight seeks to ensure that children experience this power in supporting their mental and physical health. Moreover, play can also be an important way for them to understand their treatment and why they are having it. Starlight works to support health-play specialists and equip hospitals with essential play equipment.

LIFT USE ON SUNDAYS: To ensure that those requiring access to the Chapel lift do not encounter any difficulty or delay, a Foundation staff member will be on duty at the lift from 10.00–10.45am every Sunday morning. Those who wish to enter the Chapel using the lift are asked to arrive before 10.45am.

CHAPEL MAILING LIST: To receive the Chapel's weekly email, including the Chaplain's message, the forthcoming order of service, and the previous week's sermon, please send your first and last name and email to the Chapel Secretary at ornccsecretary@outlook.com with the subject line Chapel Mailing List.

WEDDING AND BAPTISM ENQUIRIES: For inquiries regarding weddings at the Chapel, please contact the Chapel Manager at drobson@ornc.org. To inquire about baptisms, please contact the Chaplain at chaplain@ornc.org.

FORTHCOMING SUNDAY SERVICES:

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| Sunday, 3 November | 11.00am Choral Eucharist for
All Saints' Sunday
Preacher: The Revd Dr Robert Tobin |
| Sunday, 10 November | 11.00am Choral Eucharist for
Remembrance Sunday
Preacher: The Very Revd Victor Stock |
| Sunday, 17 November | 11.00am Choral Eucharist for
the Second Sunday before Advent
Preacher: The Revd Faith Wakeling |



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Regular Services in the Chapel

Sunday 11.00am Choral Eucharist (BCP)

Monday (term-time) 5.30pm Choral Evensong (BCP)

Wednesday (term-time) 1.05pm Said Eucharist (CW)

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