Glasgow Cathedral
(St Mungo’s or High)
Church of Scotland

Morning Worship
Sunday Date
11am
Today’s service is led by The Rev’d Mark Johnstone. The Director of Music is Andrew Forbes, the organ is played by Professor Malcolm Sim & Aaron Hawthorne. Choirs today are the Cathedral Choir and the Phoenix Choir.

This service is broadcast each week by our Elders Jane and Glen Collie, of Collie Productions, and is available on glasgowcathedral.org and the Cathedral “Official YouTube” channel. We would be delighted if you would mention the broadcast to friends or on social media.

We do not currently have regular access to the Cathedral office. However, the office telephone is monitored. If telephoning please leave a message and we will respond where appropriate.

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Today we welcome the Merchants House to the Service.

Andrew Ralston’s book launch see back page

Thursday 4\textsuperscript{th} November - Start time 7pm
Vigil with influence from Iona Community Led by John Bell.

Friday 5\textsuperscript{th} November- Start time 7pm
Concert Under the Bridge uses the timeless music of Antonio Vivaldi’s The Four Seasons

Sunday 7\textsuperscript{th} November - Start 11am
Morning Service with The Rt Hon Lord Wallace Moderator of General Assembly of The Church of Scotland Preaching.

Sunday 7\textsuperscript{th} November - Start 4pm
COP26 Service

Monday 8\textsuperscript{th} November – Start 7pm
Christian Aid Concert

Tuesday 9\textsuperscript{th} November – Start 7pm
Taize Service

If you would like to go to any of these events, please contact Heather on 0141 552 8198 or email heather.beadling@glasgowcathedral.org for further information.
ORGAN VOLUNTARY:

PRAYER: The Congregation will be invited to stand for our ‘gathering prayer’

INTROIT: I was glad – C H H Parry

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN: CH3 300

1. At the Name of Jesus
   Every knee shall bow,
   Every tongue confess him
   ‘Tis the Father’s pleasure
   We should call him Lord,
   Who from the beginning
   Was the mighty Word.

   4. In your hearts enthrone him;
      There let him subdue
      All that is not holy,
      All that is not true:
      Crown him as your Captain,
      In temptation’s hour;
      Let his will enfold you
      In its light and power.

2. Humbled for a season,
   To receive a name
   From the lips of sinners,
   Unto whom he came,
   Faithfully he bore it
   Spotless to the last;
   Brought it back victorious,
   When from death he passed.

   5. Brothers, this Lord Jesus
      Shall return again,
      With his Father’s glory,
      With his angel train;
      For all wreaths of empire
      Meet upon his brow,
      And our hearts confess him
      King of Glory now.

3. Name him, brothers, name him
   With love strong as death,
   But with awe and wonder
   And with bated breath!
   He is God the Saviour,
   He is Christ the Lord,
   Ever to be worshipped,
   Trusted, and adored.

CALL TO PRAYER & LORD’S PRAYER

   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, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.
FIRST READING: 1 Samuel 3:1-13 Read by Philip Braat - Lord Provost

PSALM: Psalm 133 Read by Andrew McFarlane

SECOND READING: Matthew 25:1-13 Read by May Storrie - Lord Dean of Guild

THE APOSTLES’ CREED

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.

HYMN: CH4 251

1. I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin
my hand will save.
I, who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

2. I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them.
They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my Word to them.
Whom shall I send?

Refrain

3. I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide
till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?

Refrain
PRAYER OF GRATITUDE AND CONCERN

ANTHEM: *The Lord is my shepherd* – Will Todd

**HYMN:** CH4 153

1. Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father there is no shadow of turning with thee; thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not as thou hast been thou forever wilt be,

   *Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed thy hand hath provided - great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.*

2. Summer and winter, and seed-time and harvest, sun, moon and stars in their courses above, join with all nature in manifold witness to thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

   *Refrain*

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside.

   *Refrain*

SERMON

**OFFERTORY:** Benedictus (*The Armed Man*) – Karl Jenkins

Offertory Prayer – Donald Carmichael

**DOXOLOGY, DEDICATION OF THE OFFERING & CHORAL AMEN**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
HYMN: CH3 279

1. Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
   Endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won;
   Angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
   Kept the folded grave-clothes, where thy body lay.

   *Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,*  
   *Endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won.*

2. Lo, Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;  
   Lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom;  
   Let the Church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,  
   For her Lord now liveth; death hath lost its sting.

   *Refrain*

3. No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of Life;  
   Life is naught without thee: aid us in our strife;  
   Make us more than conquerors, through thy deathless love:  
   Bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above.

   *Refrain*

BENEDICTION & THREE-FOLD AMEN

ORGAN VOLUNTARY: Choral Song – S S Wesley

History of Merchants House

The Merchants House of Glasgow was already a long established Institution, when in 1605 it first received a written Constitution. This was the Letter of Guildry which still forms the basic constitution of the Merchants House, as of the Trades House of Glasgow and the former Dean of Guild Court in Glasgow, prior to the latter’s abolition by the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973.

Under this Constitution, subject to such alterations as were made by regulations passed from time to time, the House continued to be governed until the passing of the Burgh Reform Act in 1833. Subsequently, resolutions
have been passed with a view to confirming its Regulations to the circumstances of the day

Leading Entrepreneur and Philanthropist May Storrie CBE as the first female Lord Dean of Guild

The Merchants House of Glasgow, a social enterprise charity with a 400-year-old history, today (Tuesday, 18 May) announced that May Storrie CBE has been elected as the first female Lord Dean of Guild since its incorporation in 1605.

The newly elected Lord Dean of Guild, May Storrie, said “This is a very proud moment for me and I am looking forward to playing a leading role in representing the Merchants House and being part of the future, to ensure we continue with our mission in tackling poverty in Glasgow and the West of Scotland.

May Storrie is a successful entrepreneur and philanthropist who set up Donald Storrie Estate Agents in Scotland in 1973. Her late husband, Donald, joined the business when it could support them both, and together they built up a network of 32 offices throughout Scotland, being acquired by Nationwide in 1987. May served as regional chairman for Nationwide Estate Agency covering Scotland, Northern Ireland, Tyne Tees and Cumbria. She was elected third female President of the National Association of Estate Agents in 1996. She was awarded a CBE for her service to Business and Philanthropy in 2015.

May is a Patron and Development Board Member of Marie Curie and supported her late husband Donald in the Big Build Appeal to raise £16 million for the construction of the Marie Curie Hospice in Glasgow. She continues to actively support a wide range of Charities, including as a Trustee of the RSNO Foundation and BeYonder Involve. She is the European representative on the worldwide governing body of The Sovereign Order of St. John of Jerusalem, Knights Hospitaller. May is also an Honorary Patron of the Phoenix Choir, a Member of the Incorporation of Coopers of Glasgow and a Liveryman, The Worshipful Company of Coopers of London.
ADVANCE NOTICE

NEW BOOK FROM THE SOCIETY OF FRIENDS OF GLASGOW CATHEDRAL

2021 marks the 85th anniversary of the foundation of the Society of Friends of Glasgow Cathedral by Rev. A. Nevile Davidson. To mark this milestone, a new book will be published, entitled Where Mortal and Immortal Meet, edited by Dr. Andrew G. Ralston.

Part One of the book traces the history of the Society of Friends and Part Two contains sixteen studies by eminent historians of the past and present, covering different aspects of the development of the Cathedral from the time of St. Mungo up to the twentieth century.

Join us on Sunday 28 November 2021 in the Sacristy of Glasgow Cathedral after the morning service (c.12.30am) for a launch event at which copies will be available for the price of £15. All proceeds go to the Society of Friends. Refreshments will be served.

Thereafter, copies will be available in the Cathedral and mail orders can also be taken. For more information, please contact book@glasgowcathedral.org