

**BIBLE STUDY GROUPS:** The Lent Bible study groups will continue to meet monthly. All are welcome, and new people can join or try out sessions any time. For more details of venues etc. contact [missioner@blackburncathedral.co.uk](mailto:missioner@blackburncathedral.co.uk) The Friday lunchtime group will meet on the second Friday of each month at 1pm and the Tuesday evening group will meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 7.30pm. Watch this space for the Monday group...

**MOTHERS' UNION:** Tickets are now available for the Strawberry tea and entertainment on the 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2pm in the crypt. Tickets £5, from Maureen Birtwell and other members.

**THY KINGDOM COME SERVICE:** Do you speak another language? If so, and even if you don't think you speak it very well, please contact [missioner@blackburncathedral.co.uk](mailto:missioner@blackburncathedral.co.uk) We are looking for people who can read a short Bible passage in a language other than English at the Thy Kingdom Come service at 7.30pm on 9<sup>th</sup> June. The aim is to have as many languages as possible!

**SUMMER PICNIC:** Save the date! Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 12.30 – 2.30pm, in the Cathedral gardens or South Transept if wet. Games, face painting, balloons, food. All children & young people 5-13 years are welcome.

### CHURCHES TOGETHER IN LANCASHIRE: JUNE EVENTS

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June 7-9pm: *More Tea Vicar*, St John's, Blackpool. An opportunity for Church ministers, pastors leaders and other church workers to equip themselves with tools and resources to support other leaders or members experiencing or engaging with Mental health Issues. <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/more-tea-vicar-tickets-60919004382>

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June, 7.30-9.30pm: *Dr Elaine Storkey Lectures: Is Christianity Dying in the West?* Lancaster Priory Church <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/elaine-storkey-explores-is-christianity-dying-in-the-west-tickets-61869522407>

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June, 7-9pm: *Scars Across Humanity: Understanding and Overcoming Violence Against Women*, Burnley & Pendle Faith Centre <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/myevent?eid=61925826815>

**YOUNG PEOPLE:** Bishop Philip will be taking a Diocesan group to the Youth Pilgrimage in Walsingham which runs from Monday July 29<sup>th</sup> until Friday August 2<sup>nd</sup>. A fabulous five day festival of lively worship with social events and a trip to the seaside all set amidst the beauty of rural North Norfolk. It is for those aged between 11 and 18 and the cost will be around £125 including transport, food and tents.

**BLACKBURN FOODBANK:** Urgently needed food items are, tinned items: custard, fruit, rice pudding and tuna. The collection point is situated at the back of the Nave on Sundays. Items may be left with the virgers during the week. To find out more visit: [blackburn.foodbank.org.uk](http://blackburn.foodbank.org.uk)

**SUNDAY STEWARDING:** For those members of the congregation who would like to help on a 'one off' basis, we now have a schedule of vacant slots on the notice board at the West End of the Cathedral. Please feel free to add your name to as many or as few as you feel able. We ask that you arrive about 30 minutes before the start of a service to receive any instructions you may need.



# BLACKBURN CATHEDRAL

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## 26<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019

### SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (BCP: FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER)

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**8.00am**            **Holy Communion** (*BCP*)  
President:           Canon Pailing

**9.00am**            **The Parish Communion** (*congregational*)  
Setting:            Mass of St Thomas *David Thorne*  
President and Preacher: Canon Horsfall

**10.30am**          **Cathedral Eucharist** (*Alleyn Singers*)  
Setting:            Missa in Simplicitate (*Langlais*)  
Motets:            Sacerdotes Domini (*Byrd*)  
                        Oculi omnium (*Byrd*)  
President:          Canon Pailing  
Preacher:          Canon Horsfall

**4.00pm**            **Choral Evensong** (*Alleyn Singers*)  
Short Address: Canon Brian McConkey

*Please see separate service sheet for details*



The Cathedral is fitted with an induction loop for speech and music.  
Hearing aids should be put onto the appropriate setting.



The Dean *The Very Rev'd Peter Howell-Jones*  
Canon Pastor *Rev'd Canon Andrew Horsfall*  
Episcopal Canon *The Rt Rev'd Philip North*

Canon Sacrist *Rev'd Canon Andrew Hindley*  
Canon Missioner *Rev'd Canon Dr Rowena Pailing*  
Organist and Director of Music *Samuel Hudson*

# The Cathedral this Week

*All are welcome to join in the Cathedral week-day worship. Public prayer takes place every day: some people find a regular pattern of attendance helpful, or you can just drop in whenever you can.*

For details of choral music during the week, please see the Music List, copies of which can be found on the welcome desk or online at [www.blackburncathedral.com](http://www.blackburncathedral.com)

## 27<sup>th</sup> Monday

### Rogation Day

10.00am	<b>Morning Prayer</b>		Canon Pailing
10.30am	<b>Holy Communion</b>	<i>Order One</i>	Canon Pailing
5.15pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	<i>said</i>	The Dean

## 28<sup>th</sup> Tuesday

Lafranc, Prior of Le Bec, Archbishop of Canterbury, Scholar, 1089

8.40am	<b>Morning Prayer and Eucharist</b>		The Dean
5.15pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	<i>said</i>	The Dean

## 29<sup>th</sup> Wednesday

Josephine Butlers, Social Reformer, 1906; Joan of Arc, Visionary, 1431;  
*Apolo Kivebulaya, Evangelist in Central Africa, 1933*

8.40am	<b>Morning Prayer</b>		The Dean
11.00am	<b>Holy Communion BCP</b>		The Dean
<i>Please note there is no Lunchtime recital today</i>			
5.15pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	<i>said</i>	The Dean

## 30<sup>th</sup> Thursday

### ASCENSION DAY

8.40am	<b>Morning Prayer</b>		Canon Pailing
5.15pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	<i>said</i>	The Dean
7.00pm	<b>Solemn Eucharist</b>		President: The Dean
	<i>(Renaissance Singers)</i>		Preacher: Canon Pailing
8.15pm	<i>L'ascension by Olivier Messiaen (see reverse for details)</i>		

## 31<sup>st</sup> Friday

The Visit of the Blessed Virgin Mary to Elizabeth

8.40am	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<i>said</i>	Canon Pailing
12.30pm	<b>Holy Communion</b>		Rev'd Robert Moore
5.15pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	<i>said</i>	Canon Pailing

## 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday

June

Justin, Martyr at Rome. c. 165

9.00am	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<i>said</i>	Canon Pailing
9.30am	<b>Holy Communion</b>		Canon Pailing
3.30pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	<i>said</i>	Canon Pailing

**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June**  
**THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**8.00am**            **Holy Communion** *BCP*

President:            The Dean

**9.00am**            **The Parish Communion** *(Young People's Choir)*

Setting:             Missa 'Veni Creator Spiritus' *(Paul Ritchie)*

President and Preacher: Canon Wedgeworth

Motet:                Come down, O Love divine *(Harris)*

**10.30am**          **Cathedral Eucharist** *(Men's Voices)*

*with the Commissioning of Wardens & Stewards*

Setting:             Messe 'cum júbilo' *(Durufié)*

President:            The Dean

Preacher:            Canon Wedgeworth

Motet:                Ave Maria *(David Briggs)*

Offertory:           Mrs B Robb and Mrs C Royds

Coffee Rota:        The Scholars

**4.00pm**            **Choral Evensong** *(Men's Voices)*

Introit:             Let God arise *(Locke)*

Responses:         Rose

Canticles:          *Howells in E*

Anthem:             Thou, O God, art praised in Zion *(Macpherson)*

Preacher:            Canon Pailing

**NOTICES**

**FLOWERS:** Flowers today are given by Kate Thompson in loving memory of her mother, Lily Thompson.

**ASCENSION DAY:** On Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May there will be a choral Eucharist at 7pm, sung by the Renaissance Singers. The Service will be followed by a performance of *L'ascension* by Messiaen, given by the Cathedral's Director of Music, Samuel Hudson. Entry to the recital is free with a retiring collection for Cathedral funds.

**COMMISSIONING OF WARDENS & STEWARDS:** Please make efforts to be with us next Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June at the 10.30am Eucharist, which will include the commissioning of the Churchwardens and Stewards, elected at the Cathedral AGM.