

## EVENSONG AT 18H00

Officiant: The Revd Mcebisi Pinyana

**Responses:** John Reading  
Psalm: 89:1-8 (Book of Common Prayer page 602)  
First Lesson: 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13  
Second Lesson: Luke 5:33-39  
Canticles: Sumsion in G  
Anthem: O, pray for the peace of Jerusalem – Herbert Howells  
Hymns: 15, 361



**FLOWERS:** Given to the Glory of God in Memory of and Thanksgiving for the life of Brenda Randall.

In Thanksgiving for the birthday of Alicia Ebden today, 19<sup>th</sup> January.

**YEAR'S MIND:** Brian Walsh (19), Enver Moothoosamy (19), Ronald Peterson (20), Marguerite Larkin (21), Irene Campbell (21), Mac Thomas (21), Alvon Collison (22), Johnny Issel (23), Alan Hughes (24), Sheila Maspero (25)

**DONATIONS REQUIRED:** The Cathedral team are very busy with readying the Deanery for the new Dean, and kindly request any donations toward the costs, which are quite extensive. Please deposit (Cathedral bank details: Standard Bank, Account number 70015279) with the reference 'Deanery repairs'. We remain grateful for your Pledges and additional donations which contribute so much to keeping our Cathedral afloat.

**PASTORAL CARE:** If you require pastoral care, please ensure you fill in a request that you can leave with the Sides persons, or Wardens so that the office can follow up in the week. Likewise, if there is an operational matter you'd like to raise, please approach the Wardens directly, or call the office during the week. Sunday is a busy day for staff and clergy, and they have many other duties to attend to. This way we can ensure that your requests and concerns are properly attended to.

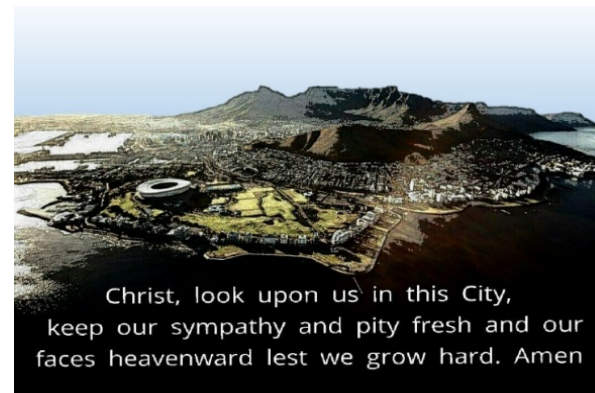
### MUSIC IN THE CATHEDRAL

**CELEBRITY ORGAN RECITAL**  
**Saturday 25 January 2025 at 11:00**  
**Arvid Gast**  
**Titular organist of St. Jakobi Lübeck**

Tickets available on Quicket

## SERVICES IN THE COMING WEEK

Monday 20 January	Angelus	12h00
Tuesday 21 January <i>Agnes, Martyr at Rome, c.304</i>	Angelus	12h00
Wednesday 22 January	Angelus <b>Mass</b>	12h00 <b>13h15</b>
Thursday 23 January <i>Yona Kanamuzeyi, Deacon and Martyr in Africa, 1964</i>	Angelus	12h00
Friday 24 January <i>Francis de Sales, Bishop of Geneva, 1622</i>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>07h15</b>
Saturday 25 January THE CONVERSION OF ST PAUL	<b>Mass</b>	<b>08h00</b>
Sunday 26 January <b>Third Sunday After the Epiphany</b>	<b>Mass</b> <b>Sung Mass</b> <b>Evensong</b>	<b>07h00</b> <b>09h30</b> <b>18h00</b>



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## Cathedral Church of St George

Cape Town and the *Church of the Good Shepherd, Robben Island*; Die Sint George Katedraal, Kaapstad  
iCathedral kaGeorge Ongcwele, Yasekapa  
*A place of healing and hope*

**Sunday, 19 January 2025**  
**Second Sunday after the Epiphany**

### SERVICES FOR THE DAY

07h00 Presider & Preacher: The Revd Mcebisi Pinyana  
09h30 Presider and Preacher: The Revd Mcebisi Pinyana  
18h00 Officiant: The Revd Mcebisi Pinyana

**INTROIT HYMN:** 47 *Brightest and best of the sons of the morning*

**Brightest and best of the sons of the morning,  
dawn on our darkness, and lend us  
thine aid;  
star of the east, the horizon adorning,  
guide where our infant Redeemer is  
laid.**

**Cold on his cradle the dew-drops are  
shining;  
low lies his head with the beasts of  
the stall;  
angels adore him in slumber  
reclining,  
Maker and Monarch and Saviour of  
all.**

Say, shall we yield him, in costly  
devotion,  
odours of Edom, and offerings divine,  
gems of the mountain, and pearls of the  
ocean,  
myrrh from the forest, or gold from the  
mine?

Vainly we offer each ample oblation,  
vainly with gifts would his favour  
secure:  
richer by far is the heart's adoration,  
dearer to God are the prayers of the  
poor.

**Brightest and best of the sons of the  
morning,  
dawn on our darkness, and lend us  
thine aid;  
star of the east, the horizon adorning,  
guide where our infant Redeemer is  
laid.**

Helderste lig van die seuns van die  
môre,  
toon ons die weg na ons Heiland en  
Heer,  
ster wat daar ver in die ooste verskyn  
het,  
lei na die plek waar die Kindjie verkeer.

Koud op sy wieg kom die doudruppels  
glinster,  
laag lê sy hoof in die krip van 'n os;  
eng'le aanbid daardie slapende Suigling,  
Skepper en Koning wat ons kom verlos.

**Sal ons Hom bied, as ons hoogste  
verering,  
reukwerk uit Edom geskik vir 'n  
vors,  
edelgesteentes en kosbare pêrels,  
mirre, en goud uit die aarde se kors?**

**Maar tevergeefs bring ons sulke  
geskenke,  
soek ons sy guns met ons rykste besit;  
dierbaar vir God is ons hart se  
verering,  
kosbaar as armes met danksegging  
bid.**

Helderste lig van die seuns van die  
môre,  
toon ons die weg na ons Heiland en  
Heer,  
ster wat daar ver in die ooste verskyn  
het,  
lei na die plek waar die Kindjie verkeer.

**COLLECT FOR THE DAY:**

**God of grace and glory  
your Son revealed your power in many signs:  
transform our everyday lives  
and make us worthy of our calling  
to serve the world in your name;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**THE WORD OF GOD**

**The First Reading: Isaiah 62:1-5**

**The Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:1-11**

**The Gospel: John 2:1-11**

**Psalm 36:5-10**



- 5 Your unfailing kindness O Lord is | in the | heavens:  
and your faithfulness | reaches | to the | clouds.
- 6 Your righteousness is like the | strong | mountains:  
and your justice as the great deep  
you O Lord | save both | man and | beast.
- 7 How precious O God is your en|during | kindness:  
the children of Adam shall take refuge under the | shadow | of your | wings.
- 8 They shall be satisfied with the good things | of your | house:  
and you will give them drink from the | river · of | your de|lights.
- 9 For with you is the | well of | life:  
and in your | light shall | we see | light.
- 10 O continue your merciful kindness toward | those who | know you:  
and your righteous dealing to | those · that are | true of | heart.

Glory to the Father and | to the | Son: and | to the | Holy | Spirit:  
as it was | in the · be|ginning: is now and | will be · for | ever · A|men.

**GRADUAL HYMN: At Cana's wedding, long ago**

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| <p>1<br/>At Cana's wedding, long ago,<br/>they knew his presence by this sign,<br/>a virtue none but Christ could show,<br/>to turn their water into wine:<br/>and still on us his blessing be<br/>as in the days of Galilee.</p> | <p>2<br/>What if the way be far to go<br/>and life at times a weary load?<br/>yet may our hearts within us glow<br/>as theirs on that Emmaus road:<br/>the risen Christ become our guest,<br/>with him to walk, in him to rest</p> |
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O Lord of all our life below,  
O risen Lord of realms above,  
eternal joy be theirs to know,  
united in the bond of love:  
one in the faith, with one accord,  
one with each other and the Lord.

**OFFERTORY HYMN: In Cana at a Wedding Feast**

In Cana at a wedding feast, Christ worked his first great sign.  
There Jesus' mother told her son, "They don't have any wine!"  
He called for six stone water jars; they filled them to the brim;  
Through water changed to wine that day, his friends believed in him.

Far from the town, the crowds pressed in on Jesus' prayer retreat.  
He healed their sick, then told his own, "You give them food to eat!"  
Five loaves of bread and two small fish were all they found to share,  
Yet thousands ate the meal he blessed, with baskets left to spare.

Out on the sea, the winds were strong; the stormy waves were high;  
There Jesus' friends were filled with fear when he came walking by.  
"Take heart, for it is I!" he said, and helping Peter stand,  
He calmed the storm and stirred their hearts; God's world was in his hand.

The blind, the poor, the outcast too, found Christ to be their friend.  
"Have mercy!" Bartimaeus said. "I want to see again."  
With great compassion and with grace, Christ gave him back his sight.  
Through deeds of power, deeds of love, he filled our world with light.

O Lord, we see your wondrous signs and know through faith-filled eyes:  
You are new wine that brings us joy, true bread that satisfies.  
You give clear vision to your church, you make the wounded whole.  
You give us hope, when seas are rough; for you are in control!

**COMMUNION HYMN: Wise men seeking Jesus**

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| <p>1<br/>Wise men seeking Jesus,<br/>Travelled from afar,<br/>Guided on their journey<br/>By a beauteous star.<br/>But if we desire him,<br/>He is close at hand;<br/>For our native country<br/>Is our Holy Land.</p> | <p>2<br/>Prayerful souls may find him<br/>By our quiet lakes,<br/>Meet him on our hillsides<br/>When the morning breaks.<br/>In our fertile cornfields<br/>While the sheaves are bound,<br/>In our busy markets<br/>Jesus may be found.</p> |
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Every peaceful village  
In our land might be,  
Made by Jesus' presence  
Like sweet Bethany.  
He is more than near us,  
If we love him well;  
For he seeketh ever  
In our hearts to dwell.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN: 51 As with gladness men of old**

**As with gladness men of old  
did the guiding star behold,  
as with joy they hailed its light,  
leading onward, beaming bright;  
so, most gracious Lord, may we  
evermore be led to thee.**

As with joyful steps they sped,  
Saviour, to thy lowly bed,  
there to bend the knee before,  
thee whom heaven and earth adore;  
so may we with willing feet  
ever seek thy mercy-seat.

**As they offered gifts most rare  
at thy cradle rude and bare,  
so may we with holy joy,  
pure and free from sin's alloy,  
all our costliest treasures bring,  
Christ, to thee our heavenly King.**

Holy Jesus, every day,  
keep us in the narrow way,  
and, when earthly things are past,  
bring our ransomed souls at last  
where they need no star to guide,  
where no clouds thy glory hide.

**In the heavenly country bright  
need they no created light;  
thou its light, its joy, its crown,  
thou its sun which goes not down;  
there for ever may we sing  
alleluias to our King.**

Blydskap gryp die Wysies aan,  
toe die leidster op hul baan,  
in die hemel' opgerys,  
hul die pad na Bet'lem wys;  
mag u Woord ons siele só,  
Heiland, trek na U daarbo!

**Kyk, hoe spoed hul op die reis,  
waar die ster die Kindjie wys;  
kyk, hoe hul die knieë buig,  
om Hom hulde te betuig:  
laat ons ook met hande skoon  
soek na u genadetroon!**

En soos hul met hart en hand  
offers uit die verre land,  
voor die krippe het gesprei,  
so met harte toegewy  
bring ons ook in hierdie dae  
skatte, Heer, wat U behae.

**Yesu, z'usihambise  
Endleleni engwele,  
Uthi ekupheleni,  
Usamkel' Ezulwini,  
Ap' uhleli kóna, Nkosi,  
Unezako i-Ngelosi.**

Elizwen' Ezulwini  
Kuhlelw' ekukhanyeni;  
Uli-Langa labo, Nkosi,  
Bonwabe ke ne-Ngelosi:  
Singa singaya nathi,  
Sikubong' apho futhi.

**SOLEMN EVENSONG**

**THE SERVICE OF INSTALLATION OF THE SIXTEENTH DEAN OF  
CAPE TOWN & RECTOR OF THE CATHEDRAL OF  
ST GEORGE, THE MARTYR, CAPE TOWN**

**THE VENERABLE TERENCE IAN LESTER  
WILL TAKE PLACE ON  
THE FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF OUR LORD IN THE TEMPLE  
02 FEBRUARY 2025  
AT  
16:00**

**ALL WELCOME**

