

## HYMNS

4 New every morning is the love  
129 Lord teach us how to pray aright (omit 2)  
130i My spirit longs for thee  
593i At the name of Jesus (omit 2,4,6)

## PRAYERS

- For the Church; in the Anglican Church of Hong Kong (Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui), for Holy Carpenter Church, Hung Hom, for the Revd Simon Cheung and Tsang Kai Choy.  
-For Hong Kong and the world... for the people of Myanmar and especially our friends in the Diocese of Toungoo.  
-For the sick, especially Rita Farmer, John Ford and Kevin Burnett.  
-For the departed, especially remembering Nic Tinworth who died a year ago.

*If you would like to include anyone by name in our prayers, please let Will, Alison or Olivia know.*

## VOLUNTEERS TODAY

Welcomers  
Altar Server  
Reader            Rose

Intercessions    Phoebe Poon        Ronald

Offertory & Collection  
Flowers            No flowers in Lent    No flowers in Lent

*Refreshments    No Refreshments    at present*

*Junior Church    No Sunday School    at present*

*Thank you to all volunteers!*

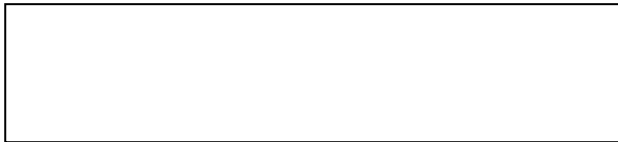
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**The church colour in Lent is purple for penitence, repentance, and preparation.**

## NOTICES

**Lent Course: The Culture of God**  
Wednesday evenings 8pm on Zoom.  
We started last week but you can still join.  
You will need the book 'The Culture of God' by Fr Nadim Nassar, available now from St John's Cathedral Bookstore. Call 2868 2848 or email [bookstore@stjohnscathedral.org.hk](mailto:bookstore@stjohnscathedral.org.hk) to reserve a copy.  
Let Will know if you'd like to join.

We had a joyful St Stephen's Dinner on Friday night at the Aberdeen Boat Club, our first social event for many months. It was truly delightful to meet in person, not just on screen! Many thanks to Olivia for organizing the dinner. We look forward to more social events to bring us together and rebuild our community as the virus comes under control and restrictions are relaxed.



10am Sunday Service Zoom Link  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86200488008>

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# St. Stephen's Chapel

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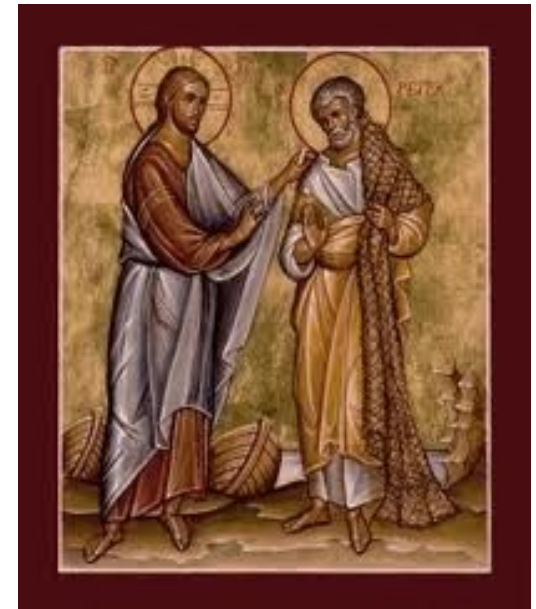
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## 2nd Sunday in Lent

28th February 2021

10am Holy Eucharist  
The Revd Will Newman



*Get thee behind me Satan!*

*1<sup>st</sup> Reading from the Book of Genesis*

When Abram was ninety-nine years old, the LORD appeared to Abram, and said to him, 'I am God Almighty; walk before me, and be blameless. And I will make my covenant between me and you, and will make you exceedingly numerous.' Then Abram fell on his face; and God said to him, 'As for me, this is my covenant with you: You shall be the ancestor of a multitude of nations. No longer shall your name be Abram, but your name shall be Abraham; for I have made you the ancestor of a multitude of nations. I will make you exceedingly fruitful; and I will make nations of you, and kings shall come from you. I will establish my covenant between me and you, and your offspring after you throughout their generations, for an everlasting covenant, to be God to you and to your offspring after you.

God said to Abraham, 'As for Sarai your wife, you shall not call her Sarai, but Sarah shall be her name. I will bless her, and moreover I will give you a son by her. I will bless her, and she shall give rise to nations; kings of peoples shall come from her.'

*Genesis 17.1-7, 15-16*

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

THE GOSPEL

Priest: Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

**All: Glory to you, O Lord.**

Then Jesus began to teach the disciples that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, 'Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'

He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.'

*Mark 8.31-38*

Priest: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you, O Christ.**