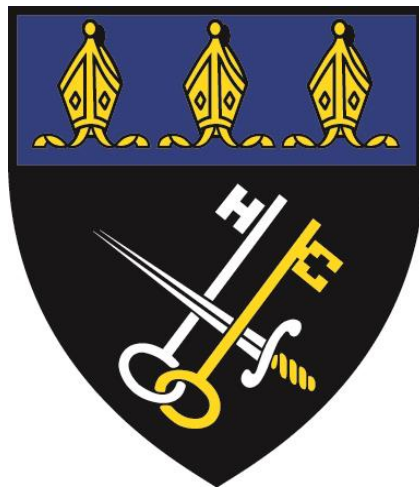


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**A SERVICE TO MARK THE
40th ANNIVERSARY
OF THE CONFLICT
IN THE FALKLAND ISLANDS**

Thursday 16th June 2022

6.00 pm



It is an honour and privilege to welcome you to Llandaff Cathedral this evening to mark the 40th anniversary of the conflict in the Falkland Islands.

HRH The Prince of Wales is unable to attend today's service but has sent a video message which will be played before the service starts.

The service is led by the Cathedral Clergy.

The preacher is the Bishop of Swansea & Brecon, the Right Reverend John Lomas. Bishop John is a veteran of the Falklands conflict. He served in the Royal Navy as an aircraft engineering mechanic in the Fleet Air Arm, working on Phantom F4 jets, Lynx helicopters and Sea Harriers on airship carriers around the world.

The Act of Remembrance and the Blessing will be pronounced by the Archbishop of Wales, the Most Reverend Andrew John.

The Cathedral Choir is directed by Stephen Moore, Director of Music.

The Organ is played by Aaron Shilson, Assistant Director of Music.

Buglers are from the Royal Marines Band Service.

The Standard Bearers in the Cathedral are Dennis Knowles and Steve Liversage.

MUSIC BEFORE THE SERVICE

Prelude in E flat BWV 552i

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

Adagio in E

Frank Bridge (1879-1941)

Elegy

George Thalben-Ball (1896-1987)

Before the service begins a video message from
His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales
will be played on a large screen in the nave.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Please stand to sing the hymn during which the procession of the Cathedral Chapter and clergy enters.

HYMN

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
to his feet thy tribute bring;
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
who like me his praise should sing?
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise the everlasting King!

Praise him for his grace and favour
to his people in distress;
Praise him still the same for ever,
slow to chide, and swift to bless:
Praise him! Praise him!
Glorious in his faithfulness!

Father-like, he tends and spares us;
well our feeble frame he knows;
in his hands he gently bears us,
rescues us from all our foes:
Praise him! Praise him!
Widely as his mercy flows!

Angels, help us to adore him,
Ye behold him face to face;
Sun and moon, bow down before him,
dwellers all in time and space:
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise with us the God of grace!

THE BIDDING

The Venerable Mike Komor

Archdeacon of Margam and acting Dean of Llandaff

We come together today to remember those who served in the armed forces during the conflict in the Falkland Islands, forty years ago. We come together conscious of our need for God's forgiveness for the sin and the desire to dominate others that leads to conflict between people, and war between nations. We think of the many members of the armed forces who lost their lives, and we give thanks for their valour and bravery. We remember too the family members who lost their loved ones and all whose lives and livelihoods were affected by the events of those weeks in 1982.

We pray that the kingdom values of peace and justice may triumph in this world and in the language of our choice, we pray for the coming of God's kingdom as Jesus himself has taught us:

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.

Ein Tad, yr hwn wyt yn y nefoedd,
sancteiddier dy enw.
Deled dy deyrnas,
gwneler dy ewyllys,
megis yn y nef felly ar y ddaear hefyd.
Dyro i ni heddiw ein bara beunyddiol
a maddau i ni ein dyledion
fel y maddeuwn ninnau i'n dyledwyr.
Ac nac arwain ni i brofedigaeth
eithr gwared ni rhag drwg.
Canys eiddot ti yw'r deyrnas,
a'r gallu, a'r gogoniant,
yn oes oesoedd.
Amen.

THE CANDLE OF PEACE AND REMEMBRANCE

The Right Honourable Simon Hart MP

The Secretary of State for Wales

As we light this candle, we pray for the peace of the world, for the reconciliation of former enemies, and for the work of promoting peace and goodwill among all people. We also remember all those who lost their lives in the Falklands Conflict, forty years ago.

Please sit.

THE FIRST READING

The Rt Hon Mark Drakeford MS

The First Minister of Wales

A reading from the Book of Ecclesiastes.

For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven: a time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up what is planted; a time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up; a time to weep, and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance; a time to throw away stones, and a time to gather stones together; a time to embrace, and a time to refrain from embracing; a time to seek, and a time to lose; a time to keep, and a time to throw away; a time to tear, and a time to sew; a time to keep silence, and a time to speak; a time to love, and a time to hate; a time for war, and a time for peace.

Ecclesiastes 3.1-9

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please remain seated as the choir sings:

PSALM 46

God is our hope and strength:
a very present help in trouble.

Therefore will we not fear, though the earth be moved:
and though the hills be carried into the midst of the sea;

Though the waters thereof rage and swell:
and though the mountains shake
at the tempest of the same

There is a river, the streams whereof make glad the city
of God: the holy dwelling-place of the Most Highest.

God is in the midst of her, therefore shall she not be removed:
God shall help her, and that right early.

The nations make much ado and the kingdoms are moved: but God hath shewed
his voice, and the earth shall melt away.

The Lord of hosts is with us:
the God of Jacob is our refuge.

O come hither and behold the works of the Lord:
what destruction he hath brought upon the earth.

He maketh wars to cease in all the world:
he breaketh the bow and knappeth the spear in sunder,
and burneth the chariots in the fire.

'Be still then and know that I am God:
I will be exalted among the nations, and I will be exalted in the earth.'

The Lord of hosts is with us:
the God of Jacob is our refuge.

THE SECOND READING

Ms Bet Davies

Deputy Lieutenant of South Glamorgan

Darlleniad o Sant Mathew.

Pan welodd Iesu y tyrfaoedd, aeth i fyny'r mynydd, ac wedi iddo eistedd i lawr daeth ei ddisgyblion ato. Dechreuodd eu hannerch a'u dysgu fel hyn: "Gwyn eu byd y rhai sy'n dlodion yn yr ysbryd, oherwydd eiddynt hwy yw teyrnas nefoedd. Gwyn eu byd y rhai sy'n galaru, oherwydd cânt hwy eu cysuro. Gwyn eu byd y rhai addfwyn, oherwydd cânt hwy etifeddu'r ddaear. Gwyn eu byd y rhai sy'n newynu a sychedu am gyfiawnder, oherwydd cânt hwy eu digon. Gwyn eu byd y rhai trugarog, oherwydd cânt hwy dderbyn trugaredd. Gwyn eu byd y rhai pur eu calon, oherwydd cânt hwy weld Duw. Gwyn eu byd y tangnefeddwyr, oherwydd cânt hwy eu galw'n blant i Dduw. Gwyn eu byd y rhai a erlidiwyd yn achos cyfiawnder, oherwydd eiddynt hwy yw teyrnas nefoedd. "Gwyn eich byd pan fydd pobl yn eich gwaradwyddo a'ch erlid, ac yn dweud pob math o ddrygair celwyddog yn eich erbyn, o'm hachos i. Llawenhewch a gorfoleddwch, oherwydd y mae eich gwobr yn fawr yn y nefoedd; felly yn wir yr erlidiwyd y proffwydi oedd o'ch blaen chwi.

Matthew 5.1-12

Dyma air yr Arglwydd

Diolch a fo i Dduw.

A reading from Saint Matthew.

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: 'Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely, on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Matthew 5.1-12

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please stand to sing:

HYMN

Tydi a wnaeth y wyrth, O Grist, Fab Duw,
tydi a roddaist imi flas ar fyw:
fe gydiaist ynof drwy dy Ysbryd Glân,
ni allaf tra bwyf byw ond canu'r gân;
'rwyf heddiw'n gweld yr harddwch sy'n parhau,
'rwy'n teimlo'r ddwyfol ias sy'n bywiocáu;
mae'r Haleliwia yn fy enaid i,
a rhoddaf, Iesu, fy mawrhad i ti.

You are my Sun, O! Christ of Calvary,
You beautify the whole of life for me;
The gleaming dawn makes all the shadows flee,
I now have sight where once I could not see;
Your gracious Life upon my path sheds light,
To cherish You is my supreme delight;
The Hallelujah has possessed my soul,
To you, O! Christ, I give my praises all.

Tydi sy'n haeddu'r clod, ddihalog Un
mae ystyr bywyd ynot ti dy hun;
yr wyt yn llanw'r gwacter drwy dy air,
daw'r pell yn agos ynot, O Fab Mair;
mae melodïau'r cread er dy fwyn,
mi welaf dy ogoniant ar bob twyn;
mae'r Haleliwia yn fy enaid i,
a rhoddaf, Iesu, fy mawrhad i ti.

Words: W. Rhys Nicholas (1914-96)
Verse 2 translated J. Henry Griffiths (1915-85)

Music: PANTYFEDWEN
M. Eddie Evans (1890-1984)

Please sit.

THE SERMON

The Right Reverend John Lomas
Bishop of Swansea and Brecon

ANTHEM

Even such is time, which takes in trust
Our youth, our joys, and all we have,
And pays us but with age and dust,
Who in the dark and silent grave
When we have wandered all our ways
Shuts up the story of our days,
And from which earth, and grave, and dust
The Lord will raise me up, I trust.

Words: Sir Walter Raleigh (1552-1618)

Music: Bob Chilcott (b.1955)

REFLECTIONS ON THE FALKLAND ISLANDS CONFLICT

Brigadier J F Rickett CBE
on behalf of the Armed Services

The Honourable Roger Spink MLA
Falkland Islands Legislative Assembly
on behalf of the people of the Falkland Islands

Please stand.

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

The Most Reverend Andrew John

Archbishop of Wales

Let us remember before God, and commend to his sure keeping:
those who have died for their country in war;
those whom we knew, and whose memory we treasure;
those who have lived and died in the service of humankind.

Grant them eternal rest, O Lord
And let light perpetual shine upon them.

“They shall grow not old as we that are left grow old:
age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
we will remember them.”

We will remember them.

“When you go home, tell them of us and say:
for your tomorrows, we gave our today”

The Last Post is sounded.

A period of silence.

Reveille is sounded.

Please sit while the choir sings:

ANTHEM

We shall walk through the valley in peace;
We shall walk through the valley in peace;
If Jesus Himself shall be our Leader,
We shall walk through the valley in peace.

There will be no trials there;
There will be no trials there.
If Jesus himself shall be our Leader,
We shall walk through the valley in peace.

Words: African American Spiritual

Music: African American Spiritual
Arranged by Undine Smith Moore (1904-89)

THE PRAYERS

The Reverend Canon Dr Jan van der Lely
Canon Chancellor of Llandaff Cathedral

God of all, in the desire for peace
may we be restless until war and conflicts cease.
May we honour the millions killed in war by
being active and committed peacemakers in our time.

Kindle your love within us
**that we may be your light in the world
and channels of your peace.**

God of time and eternity,
help us, in our human frailty, to be the people you would have us be.
May we respond to human need through loving service,
to reach out with unconditional love to all.

Kindle your love within us
**that we may be your light in the world
and channels of your peace.**

God of all compassion,
may we always be alert to the needs of others
and be ready and willing to respond;
to treat all others as we ourselves would wish to be treated.

Kindle your love within us
**that we may be your light in the world
and channels of your peace.**

God of justice,
give us your passion to work
for a world where all may live in safety.
Lead us from falsehood to truth, darkness to light, and from death to life.

Kindle your love within us
**that we may be your light in the world
and channels of your peace.**

God of hope,
we thank you for our rich diversity.
Together may we be receivers and givers of wisdom and faithfulness.

Kindle your love within us
**that we may be your light in the world
and channels of your peace.**

We pray together the Prayer of the South Atlantic Medal Association:
**Almighty God, maker of earth and sky and sea,
we give thanks for the freedom
in which we enjoy the beauty of the created world;
and we remember with gratitude and humility
those of our number who paid that freedom's price.
May not only our memories,
but our commitment to, and through, our association,
further the cause of justice, freedom and peace
in our country and in the world.
In the name of the Prince of Peace, Jesus Christ. Amen**

Please stand to sing:

FINAL HYMN

Christ is the world's true light,
its captain of salvation,
the day-star clear and bright,
desire of every nation;
new life, new hope awakes
for all who own his sway:
freedom her bondage breaks,
and night is turned to day.

In Christ all races meet,
their ancient feuds forgetting,
the whole round world complete,
from sunrise to its setting:
when Christ is throned as Lord,
all shall forsake their fear,
to ploughshare beat the sword,
to pruning-hook the spear.

One Lord, in one great name
unite us all who own you;
cast out our pride and shame
that hinder to enthrone you;
the world has waited long,
has travailed long in pain;
to heal its ancient wrong,
come, Prince of Peace, and reign.

Words: George Wallace Briggs (1875-1959)
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Music: NUN DANKET
Praxis Pieta Melita (1647 Crüger)

Please remain standing.

THE BLESSING

The Archbishop

Go forth into the world in peace, be of good courage. Hold fast to that which is good; Render to no-one evil for evil; strengthen the faint-hearted; support the weak, help the afflicted. Honour all people, love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

And the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, ✠
and the Holy Spirit, be among you and
remain with you always. **Amen.**

A bendith Duw hollalluog,
y Tad, y Mab, ✠ a'r Ysbryd Glân
a fo yn eich plith ac a
drigo gyda chwi yn wastad. **Amen.**

THE NATIONAL ANTHEMS

Mae hen wlad fy nhadau yn annwyl i mi,
Gwlad beirdd a chantorion, enwogion o fri,
Ei gwrol ryfelwyr, gwladgarwyr tra mad,
Dros ryddid collasant eu gwaed.
Gwlad, gwlad, pleidol wyf i'm gwlad.
Tra môr yn fur i'r bur hoff bau,
O bydded i'r hen iaith barhau.

God save our gracious Queen,
Long live our noble Queen,
God save the Queen.
Send her victorious,
Happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us,
God save the Queen.

Please remain standing as the Procession leaves the Cathedral.

Organ Voluntary

Fantasie in A

César Franck (1822-90)

