



SELWYN COLLEGE CHAPEL
TUESDAY 1 DECEMBER 2020

Tuesday 1 December – CHORAL EVENSONG, 6:30pm

Responses	Sarah MacDonald
Psalm	85
First Lesson	Zephaniah 3.14-end
Canticles	Plainsong
Second Lesson	1 Thessalonians 4.13-end
Anthem	The angel Gabriel – arr. Sarah MacDonald
Microsermon	Marcus Tomalin
Voluntary	O Rex gentium – Cecilia McDowall

See over for texts of psalms and anthems

PSALM 85

LORD, thou art become gracious unto thy land : thou hast turned away the captivity of Jacob.

2. Thou hast forgiven the offence of thy people : and covered all their sins.
3. Thou hast taken away all thy displeasure : and turned thyself from thy wrathful indignation.
4. Turn us then, O God our Saviour : and let thine anger cease from us.
5. Wilt thou be displeased at us for ever : and wilt thou stretch out thy wrath from one generation to another?
6. Wilt thou not turn again, and quicken us : that thy people may rejoice in thee?
7. Shew us thy mercy, O Lord : and grant us thy salvation.
8. I will hearken what the Lord God will say concerning me : for he shall speak peace unto his people, and to his saints, that they turn not again.
9. For his salvation is nigh them that fear him : that glory may dwell in our land.
10. Mercy and truth are met together : righteousness and peace have kissed each other.
11. Truth shall flourish out of the earth : and righteousness hath looked down from heaven.
12. Yea, the Lord shall shew loving-kindness : and our land shall give her increase.
13. Righteousness shall go before him : and he shall direct his going in the way.

ANTHEM

The angel Gabriel

music: Sarah MacDonald (b.1968)

words: Basque carol, trans. Baring-Gould (1834-1924)

1. The angel Gabriel from heaven came,
With wings as drifted snow, his eyes as flame.
"All hail," said he, "O lowly maiden Mary,
Most highly favored lady." Gloria!

2. "How blest among all women you shall be,
Whom ev'ry age will praise continually.
Your Son shall be Emmanuel, by seers foretold.
"Most highly favored lady." Gloria!

3. Then gentle Mary meekly bowed her head.
"To me be as it pleases God," she said.
"My soul shall laud and magnify God's holy name."
Most highly favored lady. Gloria!

4. Of her, Emmanuel, the Christ, was born
In Bethlehem, all on a Christmas morn.
And Christian folk throughout the world will ever say:
"Most highly favored lady." Gloria!

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