



PETER MOYES
ANGLICAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL

A School of the Anglican School Commission (Inc.)

COMMISSIONING OF
Principal

Mr Benjamin Lomas

B.Sc., Grad Dip. Ed., M.Ed.

THE MOST REVEREND KAY GOLDSWORTHY AO
ARCHBISHOP OF PERTH, PRESIDING

9:00am Thursday 14th February 2019

Allan Shaw Centre, Peter Moyes Anglican Community School

WELCOME TO THIS VERY SPECIAL OCCASION

Please stand for the Procession.

Processional Hymn

Here I Am Lord

I, the Lord of sea and sky
I have heard my people cry
All who dwell in dark and sin
My hand will save.

I, who made the stars of night
I will make their darkness bright
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night
I will go, Lord, if you lead me
I will hold your people in my heart

I, the Lord of snow and rain
I have borne my people's pain
I have wept for love of them
They turn away
I will break their hearts of stone,
Give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night
I will go, Lord, if you lead me
I will hold your people in my heart

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame,
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.
Find this bread I will provide
Till their hearts are satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night
I will go, Lord, if you lead me
I will hold your people in my heart

Acknowledgement of Country

Reverend David Deeny

School Chaplain

Ngaala Kaaditj, Noongar Moort, Keyen Kaadak, Nidja Boodja

We acknowledge the Noongar people as the original owners of this land.

Chaplain The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

All **And also with you.**

Chaplain Almighty God, by whose grace your servant Peter Moyes through his witness and work became an example of the risen Christ amongst us, and through whom this School is a living example of that work, mercifully grant that we may live our lives in the joy of Christ being amongst us, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and forever.

Welcome from the School Council

Mr John Filippone

Chair of School Council

The Gathering of the People

Archbishop The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you**

Archbishop My sisters and brothers, we are gathered here to commission Benjamin Lomas as Principal of this School. The ministry continues the good work done here through the years, and is part of the work and witness of the whole Church of God.

It is a new beginning because Benjamin is given authority to lead and shape this community, and because he brings particular gifts to our work together.

Let us pause and remember God's presence with us now.

Silence is kept

Archbishop Let us call to mind all we have failed to be, as we have awaited the commissioning of our new Principal to Peter Moyes Anglican Community School, opening ourselves to God's future in trusting faith.

As we stand in God's presence, let us pray that grace will be given to us all, strengthen us by your Holy Spirit and make us worthy of our calling; unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

All **Amen**

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Old Testament Isaiah Chapter 6, Verses 1-8

Mrs Alison Grey
Associate Principal Middle School

Mrs Grey A reading from Isaiah Chapter 6 Verses 1-8.
Isaiah's Commission

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said:

“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;
the whole earth is full of his glory.”

The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: “Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!”

Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: “Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.” Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?” And I said, “Here am I; send me!”

All Hear the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Second Reading: New Testament

Luke Chapter 10, Verses 25-37

Mr Roderick Wood
Associate Principal Primary School

Mr Wood A reading from Luke Chapter 10 Verses 25-37
The Parable of the Good Samaritan

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?"

He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?"

He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself."

And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live."

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbour?"

Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead.

Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side.

So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side.

But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity.

He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him.

The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.'

Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?"

He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

This is the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

All

The Homily

The Most Reverend Kay Goldsworthy AO, Archbishop of Perth

The Commissioning of Principal

All Stand

Archbishop I invite Mr John Filippone, Chair of School Council, along with Mrs Barbara Godwin OAM, Chair of the Anglican Schools Commission Board, Mr Alan Rourke and Mrs Grainne Barber representing staff, and Primary School Leaders Sophie Ashurst and Matthew Linnell representing the student body at Peter Moyes Anglican Community School, to present Mr Benjamin Lomas to be commissioned for the work now beginning.

The Principal comes forward, escorted by Chair of School Council, Mr John Filippone; Chair of the Anglican Schools Commission Board, Mrs Barbara Godwin OAM; Alan Rourke and Grainne Barber, representing the Staff; and Sophie Ashurst and Matthew Linnell, representing the student body.

Mr John Filippone Archbishop of Perth, Kay Goldsworthy AO, we present to you
Chair of School Mr Benjamin Lomas, chosen to be Principal of this School.
Council

Archbishop Education is part of the Church's mission in sharing the Good News of the Gospel of the Kingdom of God. Education recognises that all human experience presents opportunities for developing and deepening the love and knowledge of God and others.

Benjamin, as the Principal of Peter Moyes Anglican Community School, you are responsible for ensuring that the School is grounded in Christian values, principles and beliefs.

As the Principal you have a special responsibility to ensure that everyone in this school is valued and recognised as being created in the image of God, and uniquely gifted by him.

Do you Benjamin, in the presence of this congregation, commit yourself to the new opportunities and responsibilities now entrusted to you?

Principal I do.

Archbishop Will you, with God's help, strive faithfully to encourage and uphold the traditions of academic excellence and pastoral care, and the Christian values of this School within our Anglican tradition?

Principal I will, with the help of God.

Archbishop Members of the Anglican Schools Commission, School Council, staff, students, parents and friends, will you assist Benjamin in this great responsibility with encouragement, support and loyalty?

All **We will, with the help of God.**

Presentation of Symbols

Sophie Ashurst and Matthew Linnell Primary School Leaders Mr Lomas, accept this candle. May it be a sign of Christ's presence, who is with you always, a light to your path and a lamp to your feet.

Sophie Ashurst and Matthew Linnell present the candle

All **Amen**

Mrs Barbara Godwin OAM Chair of ASC Board Benjamin, accept this Prayer Book. May the common prayer of the whole Church surround and sustain you in all you do.

Mrs Barbara Godwin OAM presents a copy of A Prayer Book for Australia

All **Amen**

Mr Alan Rourke Head of Year 8 Benjamin, receive this copy of the School roll. Work with us in teaching and learning and build up all the staff and students in your care.

Mr Alan Rourke presents the School Roll

All **Amen**

Mr John Filippone Chair of School Council Benjamin, receive the keys of this School. May every door and every heart be open to you.

Mr John Filippone presents the keys of the School

All **Amen**

Mrs Grainne Barber Benjamin, receive this Bible to mark your new position of leadership.
Head of Florey House It is God's Word and the foundation of all true wisdom. Use it to
guide and inspire you.

Mrs Grainne Barber presents the Bible

All

Amen

Archbishop's Licence

The Reverend Peter Laurence OAM

Chief Executive Officer of The Anglican Schools Commission

The Reverend Peter Laurence OAM reads the Archbishop's Licence

Anointing of Principal

The Principal kneels before the Archbishop as the Archbishop blesses and anoints the Principal with Holy Oil.

Archbishop Holy Spirit, gentle as a dove, living, burning as fire, empower your
servant Mr Lomas for the Ministry and work of Principal of this School.

Mr Lomas, receive this charge and accept the care and leadership of
this School. May God pour grace upon you abundantly and be with
you in your worship and your work. May you be faithful as is God who
calls you. And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and
the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always.

All

Amen

Principal stands and faces the congregation

Archbishop My friends, I present to you Mr Benjamin Lomas, your newly
commissioned Principal of Peter Moyes Anglican Community School.

The congregation greets the new Principal with applause

Musical Item

Performed by Our Primary School Choir

“The Miracle” by Shawna Belt Edwards

Jesus walked upon the water.
He stilled the storm and calmed the angry sea.
With His hands He healed the leper.
He made the lame to walk, the blind to see.
He fed a thousand people with a loaf or two of bread.
And when the ruler’s daughter died,
He raised her from the dead.

Jesus is a God of miracles;
Nothing is at all impossible to Him.
But I know this:
Of all His miracles, the most incredible must be
The miracle that rescues me!

Jesus bled and died to save me
A price that I could never pay alone.
When He rose again, He gave me
The greatest gift the world has ever known!
Yes, I can be forgiven every time that I repent,
And someday He will lift me up to live with Him again.

Jesus is a God of miracles;
Nothing is at all impossible to Him.
But I know this:
Of all His miracles the most incredible must be
The miracle that rescues me,
The miracle that rescues you and me!

Prayers of Intercession

Archbishop Let us pray for our new Principal, School Community, Students and Staff.

Keith Solly
Head Boy For our new Principal
God of wisdom, thank you for calling Mr Lomas to be our new Principal.
Please help Mr Lomas in his work.
Guide him in the decisions he has to make.
Help him to care for and manage the School carefully and well.
Help him to be joyful as the leader of our School Community.
May he enjoy good relations with the students, the staff, the School Council and the parents.
May he enjoy using all the gifts that you have given him to fulfill your will for our School in the years ahead.

God of Grace.

All **Hear our Prayer**

Emillie Foster
Head Girl For the School Community
Holy Lord, we give thanks for Peter Moyes Anglican Community School and for its motto "Act justly, honour God."
We ask for your continued blessings on our new Principal and for all who work here with wisdom and dedication to guide, enrich and support the young people in their care.

We give our thanks for our parents and carers; for their patience and compassion, and for the opportunities they provide for us. May they be blessed in your love as they strive to raise children who are honest resilient, fair-minded and eager to learn.

God of Grace.

All **Hear our Prayer**

Mr Richard Alchin
Deputy Principal

For the Staff

God of life and love, pour your blessings upon the staff as they strive to be worthy models of your love and examples of faith and trust in you. Give them patience, wisdom and strength, and keep before them the vision of allowing each student to develop the talents they possess. Strengthen them with the courage to stand up for truth and justice, to lead by example, and to embrace and uphold the ideals of a Christian life. Help them through the long hours of preparation and marking to see the progress their students can achieve if they, in their turn, make similar efforts.

God of Grace.

All

Hear our Prayer

Mrs Natalie Shaw
Associate Principal
Senior School

For the Students

Gracious Lord we give thanks for the students entrusted to our care. Help them to grow in learning, wisdom, and in knowledge. May they come to know your love and to increase in compassion, understanding and the ability to walk in another's footsteps. Give them vision to see that each of them has a place in the world and can contribute much to their community. May each student become a light to those around them as they work, study and play in harmony and in preparation for the future.

God of Grace

All

Hear our Prayer

The School Prayer

Mrs Nicole Brown Please join with me in the School Prayer:
Deputy Associate
Principal
Primary School

All

**Almighty God, we ask for your protection over our School.
Bless all who come here, to work, to learn and to serve.
Grant us to grow in faith, hope, love and wisdom.
Keep us ever mindful of the needs of others, and we pray all our
works will bring glory and honour to your name.
We ask this through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.
Amen.**

A Welcome to the Principal

The Reverend Peter Laurence OAM

Chief Executive Officer of The Anglican Schools Commission

A Responce from the Principal

Mr Benjamin Lomas

Principal of Peter Moyes Anglican Community School

Blessing and Dismissal

All Stand

Archbishop Our help is in the name of the Lord.

All **Who made heaven and earth.**

Archbishop Blessed be the name of the Lord.

All **From this time forth, and for evermore.**

Archbishop Go forth into the world in peace; be of good courage; hold strongly to that which is good, render to no one evil for evil; strengthen the faint hearted; support the weak; help the afflicted; give honour to all; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit; and the blessing of the Holy and Life-Giving Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

All **Amen**

Chaplain Go in peace to love and serve the lord:

All **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

Recessional Hymn

Shine, Jesus, Shine

Lord, the light of your love is shining,
In the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us,
Set us free by the truth You now bring us,
Shine on me, shine on me.

Chorus:

Shine, Jesus, shine,
Fill this land with the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze,
Set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow,
Flood the nations with grace and mercy;
Send forth Your word,
Lord, and let there be light.

Lord, I come to Your awesome presence,
From the shadows into Your radiance;
By the blood I may enter Your brightness,
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness.
Shine on me, shine on me.

Shine, Jesus, shine,
Fill this land with the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze,
Set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow,
Flood the nations with grace and mercy;
Send forth Your word,
Lord, and let there be light.

As we gaze on Your kingly brightness
So our faces display Your likeness.
Ever changing from glory to glory,
Mirrored here may our lives tell Your story.
Shine on me, shine on me.

Shine, Jesus, shine,
Fill this land with the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze,
Set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow,
Flood the nations with grace and mercy;
Send forth Your word,
Lord, and let there be light.

Thank you

*for joining with our School Community
on this special occasion.*

*All guests are invited to join the Principal for refreshments to be held
in the Main Administration Staff Room.*



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