

## Keeping in Touch:

**Parking** -Please consider that some people need to park close to the front door. We should leave places in the car park if possible.

We gather every Sunday at 8:00am & 10am and Wednesdays at 10:30am for worship

**Meditation Group**- every Saturday, 8am and every Wednesday, 9:30am. All Welcome.

### Dates to keep October/November 2016

Sun 30 Oct	LA and Communion Assistant meeting
Tues 1 Nov	Office Closed—Public Holiday
Wed 2 Nov	Discovering Spirituality
Thurs 3 Nov	Pastoral Care Meeting
Sat 5 Nov	Men's Breakfast
Sun 6 Nov	Parish Pub Lunch
Tues 8 Nov	10am Anglicare AVPG AGM
Thurs 10 Nov	Faith-Full Women's Study
Fri 11 Nov	Remembrance Day
Tues 15 Nov	Parish Council Meeting
Sat 19 Nov	All Saints Retreat
Sun 20 Nov	St Margaret's Day Celebrations
Sat 26 Nov	St Margaret's AGM

### Parish Office

79-81 Pitt St, ELTHAM, 3095.  
Tel: (03) 9439 9238 Located in Dendy House (rear of Church). **Open 10am-2pm Tues, Wed, Fri and 9:30am-12:30pm Mon and Thurs.**  
Phone messages can be left when the office is unattended.

**Please submit ALL materials for the weekly bulletin or for printing to the Parish Office, NO LATER THAN 11AM WEDNESDAY (items for the bulletin will only go in if there is space available). If you need to contact or visit the office on a Friday afternoon, please do so before 1pm as it is normally unattended from 1pm to finalise setting up the church for the weekend.**

## For distribution:

Imagine - September 2016  
Partners—Autumn 2016  
Parish Matters—Latest Edition  
TMA—October 2016  
Brotherhood of St Laurence—Sept 2016

## For browsing onsite:

Sower—Winter 2016  
Benetas—Winter 2016  
Ignite—Winter 2016  
Sower, Bible Society—Spring 2016  
Pioneer—Autumn 2016  
SU Victoria Outreach—September 2016  
The Link—Winter 2016  
Ship to Shore—Winter 20016



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### Parish Directory

#### Vicar:

Rev. Keren Terpstra  
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#### Honorary Associate Clergy:

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9439 9238  
Email:  
parishoffice@stmargaretsetham.org.au

All Clergy are available for emergencies all hours

#### Wardens

Sally Petty 9439 2116  
John Winkett 9439 1793  
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#### Prayer Chain

Glenys Collis 9457 5724

#### Pastoral Visiting Contact

Adrienne Watson 9439 9059

#### Extended Home Communion

Rev. Robert Street 9439 9238

#### Email Addresses:

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Vicar: The Revd Keren Terpstra  
Honorary Associate Clergy: The Revd. Robert Street and  
Archdeacon Alan Nichols

30 October 2016

Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

*Please join us for refreshments after the service*



### Prayer of the day

Merciful God,  
righteous Judge of all,  
who sent Jesus among us to seek and to save those who are lost:  
grant that we may eagerly seek the Saviour,  
and joyfully welcome him into our homes and lives.  
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

## Today's Service Details

### Readings for this week



*Habakkuk 1.1-4; 2.1-4; Psalm 119.137-144; 2 Thessalonians 1.1-4, 11-12; Luke 19.1-10.*

Reading	8am	10am
Habakkuk 1.1-4; 2.1-4	Vacant	L Pryor
Psalm 119.137-144		
2 Thessalonians 1.1-4,11-12	G Collis	S Toomey
Luke 19.1-10		

**Intercessor :** S Petty G Sandy

#### PRAYER TAPERS

You are invited to light candles for prayer **before & after** the service & **during the peace**

#### BEQUEST

Have you considered supporting the Parish in your will? See brochure about how to make a bequest.

Saint Paul, writing to the Thessalonians makes mention of their faith, love for one another and perseverance under difficult circumstances. This was the ancient world so reputation was passed on by word of mouth. What a testimony it was. What is your church known for? May God count us worthy of his calling so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in us and may we continue to pray for one another and give thanks to God.

Let us pray that God will count us worthy of his calling and that by his power we might be known as people of faith and love.

Give thanks for the work of EpiscoCare in Egypt (Dr Maged Moussa Yani, Director), the Diocese of Jerusalem's development desk (especially for Sawsan Aranki-Batato), and the Rev Roger Kay and Bishop Grant LeMarquand (Area Bishop for Ethiopia).

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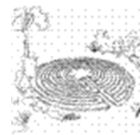
### Next Week's Rosters 6 November 2016

#### All Saints/All Souls

(Pls arrange substitute if unavailable)

1st w/end of month	8am	10am
<b>Celebrant</b>	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
<b>Preacher</b>	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
<b>Sacristan Assistant</b>	Sue Keogh	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate
<b>Greeters &amp; Sides people</b>	Catherine Pearson Vacant	Harry Watson Roger Alcock
<b>Liturgical Assistant</b>	Mary Ann Wilkie	Adrienne Watson
<b>Children's Time</b>		
<b>Readings:</b>		
Daniel 7.1-3, 15-18	Sue Keogh	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate
Psalm 149		
Ephesians 1.11-23	Clive Noble	Heather O'Donnell
Luke 6.20-31		
<b>Intercessor</b>	Catherine Pearson	Geoff Sandy
<b>Communion Assistants</b>	Mandy Stevens Chris Winkett	Mark Laidlay Adrienne Watson
<b>Refreshments</b>	Fay Gravenall & Friends	Elizabeth & Geoff
<b>Banking Assistant Counter</b>	Melissa Laidlay	
<b>Flowers</b>	Bianca Langan	
<b>PowerPoint</b>		Chris Warrell

#### Labyrinth Walks



In conjunction with Saturday prayer, the Labyrinth will be open from 4.15pm on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat of each month. Come and join us for a guided walk using a passage from the readings or Gospel. Next walk on Sat 5<sup>th</sup> November. Meet on the labyrinth ready to start.

All welcome.  
Contact Melissa Laidlay  
0427 37 0431

### All Saints/All Souls Day

will be marked next Sunday. If you would like to remember a loved one who has died please add their name to the list provided in the foyer.

**Support** the Eltham Refugee Housing and Support Project. See Poster in foyer

**LinC**—A volunteer is needed to take client calls in the LinC office for a couple of hours on Fridays. Contact: Stella 94313022 or Diana 94398565

A **digital camera** has been donated to St. Meg's by Catherine Pearson (thank you Catherine) so that we may all use it for special events or services we wish to record. It is kept in the first vestry cupboard, so please use it and let Mary or Lynette know so we can download the photos.

#### What's On

**Seminar: 'Women, Discipleship and the Gospels.** At St Margaret's Eltham - Saturday 29 October 2016 at 2.00 pm. Speaker: The Rev'd Canon Professor Dorothy A. Lee FAHA. Dean & Frank Woods Professor of New Testament. Trinity College Theological School University of Divinity. Volunteers needed - Can you help please . . . Parishioners are invited to bring a plate of food to help with the catering and volunteers are needed to assist with the serving of the afternoon tea.

**Operation Christmas Child shoebox Appeal** —Please take a brochure and a box/es in foyer. The \$9 postage cost (for each box) can be put in a marked envelope and placed in the collection plate. Boxes need to be in by Sunday October 30.

**LA's and Communion Assistants meeting**—Sunday 30 October at 12noon. Meeting with Keren to go through the liturgical action.

**Men's Breakfast**—Saturday 5 November. For more details, please see Harry Watson.

**Parish Pub Lunch**—Sunday 6 November. For more details, please see Mitzi Tuke.

**Anglicare**—Anglicare Christmas cards still

**Morning Prayer**  
Monday, Thursday & Friday at 8:30am  
**Evening Prayer**  
Saturday at 5pm.

All welcome



available from the church. Packets of 10 at \$10. The AGM of the Eltham AVPG will be held on 8th November at 10am in the church hall.

**Book Club**—Vacancy in the Book Club. We meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues of the month, November 8, in St Margarets. This months book "The Dressmaker". Please contact Helen Coutts 9439 1654.

**Anglicare Victoria**— the parish has been invited to a 'Thank You Morning Tea' that will be held on Tuesday 22 November from 11am at St Peter's Eastern Hill, East Melbourne. Please contact the office if you are interested in attending. RSVP: 11 November.



### St Margaret's Day

We will be celebrating St Margaret's Day on Sunday November 20. More details to come.

**St Margaret's Parish Annual Meeting**  
Saturday 26 November 2016 at 4pm

**Updating of Electoral Roll.** Revision of Electoral Roll has begun, with additions returned by **Sunday 30 October.**

**AGM Reports** Committees & groups please prepare an Annual report and submit by **Saturday 5 November.**

**Agenda items** to wardens by **Wednesday 23 November.**

**Nominations** for Wardens, Parish Council and Incumbency Committee are now invited and must be received by Vicar by **5pm Wednesday 16 November.**