

WELCOME

We are glad you can join us today.

Activities for children to do during the service are provided in the foyer.

A Hearing Loop is installed in the church; please use your T switch.

An offering will be received during the service, to support the ongoing work of the church. Other ways of giving are included on the next page.

If you are visiting with us today, we encourage all who are baptised to receive communion. If you do not wish to receive communion, please still come forward for a blessing.

Please join us in the hall for refreshments after the service.

Worship & Parish events will be automatically cancelled during a code red day.

A copy of this weeks sermon will be available on the website.

PEW SHEET 9th July 2017—Pentecost V

WELCOME TO COUNTRY

We acknowledge the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin nation who are the traditional custodians of this land on which we meet and pay our respects to their elders past and present.



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

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| Sun | 9th | Eucharist |
| Mon | 10th | Creating Spirit |
| Tue | 11th | Book Club |
| Wed | 12th | Meditation Discovering Spirituality |
| Sat | 15th | Vision Day 2017 |
| Sun | 16th | Eucharist |

THE SEASON OF PENTECOST

The long weeks after Pentecost are a time to focus on the Spirit's growth in our lives. Today:


- Breathe deeply and ask the Spirit to open your eyes and heart and mind.
- Think about the last week. What questions/ thanks/praise/struggles do you bring to God today?

PRAYER FOR THE DISCERNMENT OF VISION

Loving God,
you call us to your service:
give us open eyes to see the path ahead,
open ears to hear your voice,
open hearts to love you and our neighbours as ourselves,
and hands and feet ready to fulfil your calling
as we plan for the years ahead;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

PARISH OFFICE

Our Parish office is inside Dendy House at the rear of the church. Office hours are 10am—2pm Monday to Friday. Please leave us a message or email us if the office is unattended.

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CLERGY

VICAR
The Reverend Keren Terpstra
9439 9238 and 0438 220 878
vicar@stmargaretsethham.org.au
Day off Tuesday

HONORARY ASSOCIATE CLERGY
The Reverend Robert Street
9439 9238 and 0423 514 570

HONORARY ASSISTANT CURATE
The Reverend Kirsten Winkett

The clergy are available for emergencies at all hours.

PARISH COUNCIL

The Parish Council meets once a month and these dates are published in the calendar.

Your councillors are Robin Wembridge; Mandy Stevens; Sandra Brown-Holt; David Pryor and David Tuke.

If you have anything to raise at Parish Council, either contact a councillor or fill in the feedback form in the foyer and place it in the box. If you are hoping to host an event, complete an Event Planning Sheet from the office first to speed up the process.

Parish Matters is a newsletter produced regularly, and copies are maintained on the website. Please contact Harry Watson or Sally Petty if you have a contribution to make.

GIVING

St Margaret's encourages the exercise of our discipleship by generous giving to God's work and mission here. If you don't want to contribute through the open plate, there are direct debit forms in the foyer to be able to give anonymously through the Anglican Development Fund. If you wish to make a bequest, there is information in the foyer on how to do so.

PASTORAL CARE

The pastoral care team members are available to provide a telephone call or visit people in need in their home, hospital, rehabilitation, aged or palliative care facility. These contacts seek to enable people to share their needs and concerns in order to discern appropriate channels for them to receive spiritual, emotional and/or practical support as desired. A member of the Pastoral Care team may be contacted at any time (24/7) on **0455 610 692**.

WARDENS

Our Church Wardens are:

John Winkett 9439 1793

Shirley Nash 9432 9510

Melissa Laidlay 0427 370 431

COMMUNICATIONS

If you have any information you would like to share with the Parish, contact the office for assistance. Consider asking to use the pew sheet; the website; social media; group text messages; or advertising material.

Please submit all material for the pew sheet no later than 11am on the preceding Wednesday.

KEY PARISH CONTACTS

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| Do Justice Group: | Jenny Disney |
| Faith Formation Network: | Annette Street |
| Property & Maintenance Committee: | John Winkett |
| Pastoral Care Committee: | Adrienne Watson |
| Discovering Spirituality: | Shirley Nash |
| Finance Committee: | John Humann |
| Communications Committee | Mary Lynton-Moll |

WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday 8am: Reflective service of Holy Communion followed by morning tea.

Sunday 10am: Family service of Holy Communion with music, children's activities, morning tea

Wednesday 10:30am: Holy Communion, morning tea. Meditation prior to this service.

Saturday 5pm: Short evening prayer service to prepare for worship the next day.

Monday, Thursday, Friday 8:30am: Morning prayer

WORSHIP

SENTENCE OF THE DAY

'Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest,' says the Lord. 'Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart.'

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty God,
Your Son Jesus Christ has taught us
That what we do for the least of his brothers and sisters
We do also for him:
Give us the will to serve others
As he was the servant of all,
Who gave up his life and died for us;
One God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

TODAY'S HYMNS

I heard the voice of Jesus say TiS585
Jesus Christ is waiting TiS665
For the life that you have given TiS774
Jesus lover of my soul TiS211(a)
Lord of the Dance TiS242

TODAY'S PSALM

Psalm 45: 10-17

TODAY'S GOSPEL

Matthew 11: 15-19, 25-30



ABM PEW REFLECTIONS

Pentecost V
Sunday 9th July 2017

The tides of white noise in our everyday lives have meant that many of us have cultivated a skill that stands in our way of being true disciples – selective hearing. How seldom we truly and deeply listen to others!

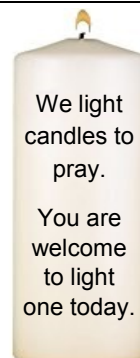
Jesus in this Gospel account says to us, 'Let anyone with ears listen!' before rebuking an unrepentant generation. Jesus then challenges us to heed his call to himself, to seek rest for our world-wearied souls.

The ocean of white noise rushes over us, crashing and splashing, very nearly drowning out Jesus' call from the shore for rest. Sometimes God speaks to us through the words of others, if only we would listen. Pray that we will have ears to hear over the white noise, and courage in obedience to his call on our lives.

Give thanks for the Episcopal Church in the Philippines.



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We light
candles to
pray.

You are
welcome
to light
one today.

NOTICES

Emergency contact for pastoral care 0455 610 692

We are producing a fridge magnet with this number for friends or family to be able to tell us of your situation in time of need. Contact a team member anytime (24/7).

Socks, Socks, Socks

Thanks to people for donating 60 pairs of new socks (and 10 pairs of used socks). Last years total of 120 pairs of socks still stands as the record. These socks will be given to men who attend breakfast at St Peter's Eastern Hill and lunch at St Mark's Fitzroy.

Anglicare Group

There will be no meeting on Tuesday 11th July. The next meeting will be on 25th July at 10am for packaging Christmas cards and lunch. Contact Jenny Disney on 9435 7349 if you would like to come.

Megs Munchers



Sunday 30th July @ noon. To help with catering could you please ring Barbara Talbot 9435 0418, before Wednesday 26th July. Thank you.

The next **Do Justice meeting** is on Saturday 22nd July at 10:30am to 12:00pm.

Barak vs The Black Hats of Melbourne by Mick Woiod.

Book Launch today at 1:00pm, Rosina Auditorium, Abbotsford Convent, 1 St Heliers Street, Abbotsford.

STAND UP FOR JUSTICE with Julian Burnside AO QC

Friday 28th July at 7:00pm for 7:30pm, St Francis Xavier Church Hall, 86 Mayona Road, Montmorency.
Speakers Omar & Saad Al-Kassab, Kobra Moradi. Supper by donation. To book email massginfo@gmail.com or go to <https://massblog.wordpress.com/> Free event.

Commemorative Service to mark the centenary of the

**Battle of Ypres—Menin Road,
Passchendaele, Zonnebeke**

at St Margaret's at 2pm on Saturday August 5th.

Speaker: Andrew Mackenzie OAM.

All Welcome. Contact Kathleen 0439 032 977.

| ROSTER | 9th July 8am | 9th July 10am | 16th July 8am | 16th July 10am |
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| Celebrant | Keren Terpstra | Keren Terpstra | Keren Terpstra | Keren Terpstra |
| Preacher | Keren Terpstra | Keren Terpstra | Keren Terpstra | Keren Terpstra |
| Sacristan Assistant | Robert Brazenor | Sandra Archer | Jean Taylor | Diana Warrell |
| Liturgical Assistant | Vacant | Roger Alcock | Vacant | Roger Alcock |
| Communion Assistants | Jo Norman | Sylvia Gilbert Dave Miles | Coralie Carew Neil Andrewartha | Tony Michaelson Jan Kerr |
| Greeters & Sides people | Gwen Sharp Michael Tucker | Anne Bryant Lillian Lloyd | John Winkett Margaret Alexander | Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate |
| First Reading | Genesis 24: 34-38, 42.49, 58-67 Ian Collis | No first reading | Genesis 25:19-34 Elizabeth Ainsworth | No first reading |
| Second Reading | Romans 7: 14.25 Fay Gravenall | Romans 7: 14-25 Melissa Quintarelli | Romans 8: 1-11 Graham Carew | Romans 8: 1-11 Geoff Sandy |
| Intercessor | Graham & Coralie | Sandra Brown-Holt | Gwen Sharp | Shirley Nash |
| Morning Tea | Elizabeth Ainsworth Mary Lynton-Moll | Pat & Meryl | Gwen Sharp The Carews | Elizabeth & Geoff Milgate |
| Banking | David Pryor | | Jo Norman | |
| Flowers | Liz Pryor | | Meryl Long | |
| Powerpoint | Felicity Wiltshire | Liz Pryor | Felicity Wiltshire | Liz Pryor |

| WHAT'S COMING UP | |
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| 15/07/17 | Vision Day |
| 20/07/17 | Taize Service |
| 22/07/17 | Do Justice meeting |
| 25/07/17 | Anglicare Group meeting Ladies Fellowship meeting |
| 30/07/17 | Meg's Munchers lunch |
| 05/08/17 | Commemoration Service Battle of Ypres |
| 18/10/17 | Melbourne Synod |

| Wednesday Roster | | | |
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| Date | Greeting | Reading | Morning Tea |
| 12/7/17 | Jennifer Constantine | Genesis 41:55-42:7a Gwen Sharp | Kerry Bland |
| 19/7/17 | Helen Costello | Exodus 3:1-6,(7-8), 9-12 Robyn Riley | Barbara Alexander Jenny Disney |
| 26/7/17 | Margaret C Margaret A | Exodus 16:1-5, (6-8), 9-15 Betty Cooper | Jennifer Constantine & Fay Gravenall |
| 2/8/17 | Jenny Disney | Exodus 34: 29-35 Rae Kerr | Margaret A Margaret C |
| 9/8/17 | Jennifer Constantine | Numbers 13: 1-2, 25-14:1, 26-29 (30-33), 34-35 Gwen Sharp | Kerry Bland |