

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 4th June 2017 Pentecost

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

Sun	4th	Pentecost Eucharist with the Confirmation of Breeana & Mitzi Parish pub lunch
Mon	5th	Creating spirit
Wed	7th	Meditation & Eucharist
Thurs	8th	Morning prayer
Fri	9th	Morning prayer
Sat	10th	Evening prayer
Sun	11th	Eucharist

A very warm welcome from all of us to Jennifer, our new Parish Secretary.

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
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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.

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

Do Justice Group:	Jenny Disney
Faith Formation Network:	Annette Street
Property & Maintenance Committee:	John Winkett
Pastoral Care Committee:	Harry 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 program, 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

WORSHIP

SENTENCE OF THE DAY

"Let anyone who is thirsty come to me," says the Lord; "and let the one who believes in me drink. For out of your heart shall flow rivers of living water."

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, who taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the Spirit to have a right judgement in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the same Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

TODAY'S HYMNS

Come Down, O love Divine TiS 390
Celtic Alleluia TiS 257 vs 8
Filled with Spirit's Power TiS 411
Come Holy Spirit TiS 710
Great God your Spirit TiS 416

TODAY'S PSALM

Psalm 104: 26-36

TODAY'S GOSPEL

John 20: 19-23



ABM PEW REFLECTIONS

Pentecost (Whitsunday) – Sun 4 June 2017

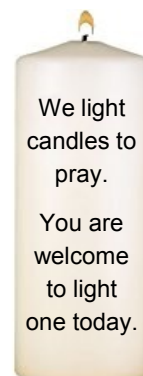
We hear from St Luke of the 'Birth of the Church' where the Holy Spirit descends on the believers who then speak in many of the languages of the known world. Today it is the same: the Church proclaims the Gospel of our Lord in hundreds of tongues – using time-honoured liturgical languages (Ge'ez, Old Church Slavonic, Coptic, Syriac and Latin among them) as well as everyday tongues spoken in the street.

Pray that the Church continues to proclaim Jesus Christ in ways that are accessible for all.

Give thanks for the work of those who translate the scriptures into languages that have not yet had a version of the Bible.



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We light
candles to
pray.

You are
welcome
to light
one today.

NOTICES

Garage and Goodies Sale.
17 June 2017 9am-1pm

Goodies can be dropped off at the hall from 1pm onwards on Friday the 16th.

No electrical good please, or any items in bad repair.

If you need to drop off earlier please tell Sally.

Helpers please tell Sally.

Boards and adverts should go up soon but we need to get the word out there.

A4 and A5 adverts available in the Foyer if anyone can take and place somewhere or distribute.

Working Bee.

Thank you to all for supporting the working bee on Sat. This is the largest group we have had for quite some time. Consequently we were able to achieve all the jobs listed and some others.
A very successful day so thanks again.

Edwina Gateley Retreats, 2017.

Attention wise parish women of all ages!
You are invited to be part of a very special week with Catholic theologian and poet Edwina Gateley. The retreat is for women only and will take place at Amberley in Lower Plenty from 4th - 10th August, 2017.

ASYLUM SEEKER CENTRE: We will welcome David Spitteler from the Asylum Seeker Centre preaching on the 18th June and Jan Crombie on the 25th June.

ROSTER	4th June 9:30am	11th June 8am	11th June 10am
Celebrant	Bishop Huggins	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
Preacher	Bishop Huggins	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
Sacristan Assistant	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	Robert Brazenor	Sandra Archer
Liturgical Assistant	Geoff Sandy		Melissa Laidlay
Communion Assistants	Chris Winkett Adrienne Watson	Jo Norman Michael Tucker	Sylvia Gilbert Dave Miles
Greeters & Sides people	Roger Alcock Geoff Milgate	Gwen Sharp Michael Tucker	Anne Bryant Lillian Lloyd
First Reading	Acts 2: 1-21 Chris Winkett	Exodus 34: 1-8 Helen Coutts	No first reading
Second Reading	1 Corinthians 12: 1-13 Helen Symons	2 Corinthians 13: 1-3 Fay Gravenall	2 Corinthians 13: 11-13 Helen Symons
Intercessor	Geoff Sandy	Graham & Coralie Carew	Sandra Brown-Holt
Morning Tea	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	Kathleen Toal	Lyn Clements
Banking	Melissa Laidlay	David Pryor	
Flowers	Melissa Laidlay	Angela Langan	
Powerpoint	Sandra Brown-Holt	Felicity Wiltshire	Sandra Brown-Holt

WHAT'S COMING UP

03/06/17

8am Men's Breakfast

17/06/17

9am—1pm Garage & Goodies Sale

28/06/17

Parish Council Meeting

15/07/17

Parish Planning Day

18/10/17

Melbourne Synod

St. Margaret's Anglican Church

GARAGE & GOODIES

SALE

79-81 Pitt Street, Eltham

Saturday 17 June

9:00 am- 1:00pm

**Cakes, jams, books, bric a brac ,
collectables, sausage sizzle,**

BARGAINS GALORE

Proceeds to fund restoration of Dendy House,

built



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