

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 22nd July 2018 Mary Magdalene

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

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



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sun 22nd	8:00am	Eucharist
	10:00am	Eucharist
Mon 23rd	1:00pm	Monday Circle
	6:30pm	Parish Council Meeting
Tue 24th	2:00pm	Parish Ladies Fellowship
Wed 25th	9:30am	Meditation
	10:30am	Eucharist
	12:00pm	Piece of Peace
Sat 28th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 29th	8:00am	Eucharist
	10:00am	Eucharist
	3:00pm	Open Door Singers Concert

Prayer of the week

O God,
you alone can order our unruly wills and affections: teach us to love what you command, and to desire what you promise, that, among the changes and chances of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Bishop Philip's Retirement

Our regional bishop, the Right Reverend Philip Huggins, will be retiring in October. His last visit with us at St Margaret's will be Sunday 12th August at a joint service at 9:00am, followed by a special morning tea. If you'd like to donate something towards a gift for the Bishop, please leave your donation on the collection plate or take to the office.



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@stmargaretselfham.org.au
Day off Tuesday

PASTORAL ASSISTANT
Margie Dahl
9439 9238 and 0403 625 122
Day off Friday

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

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: Mandy Stevens; Sandra Brown-Holt, Harry Watson and John Humann.

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:

Kathleen Toal 0439 032 977

Shirley Nash 0403 601 713

David Tuke 0408 017 962

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 Team	Sally Petty
Pastoral Care Team:	Adrienne Watson
Finance Committee:	Kathleen Toal
Communications Team	Sandra Brown-Holt

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 4pm: Short evening prayer service to prepare for worship the next day.

WORSHIP

SENTENCE OF THE DAY

The love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all, so that those who live might live not for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them.

2 Corinthians 5.14-15

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty God,
whose Son called Mary Magdalene to be a witness
of his resurrection:
mercifully grant that by your grace
we may be forgiven and healed,
and may know you in the power of your Son's risen life;
who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

HYMNS

Opening: Great is your faithfulness - TiS54

Almighty God to whom all hearts are open - SCE(2)629

Gradual: A prophet woman broke a jar - TiS696

Offering: May the mind of Christ my Saviour - TiS609 (8am)

Mission: Christ be my leader - TiS624

TODAY'S PSALM

Psalm 63: 1-8

TODAY'S GOSPEL

Matthew 6



ABM PEW REFLECTIONS

Sunday 22nd July 2018

Mary Magdalene

Poor Mary Magdalene! Long seen by the Church in the West as a whore, rather inexplicably as the Bible says nothing to suggest it, her reputation is now rehabilitated because of closer study of Scripture. As the Psalmist says, 'the mouths of liars shall be stopped'. Like the Orthodox Churches, may we see her as 'Equal to the Apostles'.

- Pray for all whose reputations have been unfairly maligned in the press and on social media; and pray for all biblical scholars.
- Pray for the Anglican Church of Melanesia, giving thanks for the work they do to further God's mission in the world.



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Prayer Chain

For urgent prayer
requests

Glenys Collis

0407 398 948

NOTICES

Piece of Peace

Wednesday 25th July

We will continue yarning and yarning, so please bring needles and wool or projects. We will also have a 'Gratitude Dip', so could you please think about what you are grateful for. Bring a plate to share. Any queries ring Jennifer on 0417 524 228. **ALL WELCOME.**



Baptism

We pray for Benjamin Ian Kiosses and his parents and sponsors as they prepare for his baptism at the 10:00am service next Sunday the 29th July.

Author Dinner with Kara Martin and poet Miriam Dale

Kara Martin is the author of 'Workship, How To Use Your Work To Worship God'.

Saturday 28th July at 6:30pm at:
Greensborough Christian Book Centre, 14 Church Street.
3 course meal included - Cost \$30.00
RSVP by July 25th on 9435 5762

Community Event

Commemorative Service to mark

**The Battle of Le Hamel
& Hundred Days Offensive:**

The final period of the First World War

2:00pm Saturday 4th August 2018

ALL WELCOME

Attend the service & view memorabilia from 1:00pm
St Margaret's Hall, 79-81 Pitt Street, Eltham

Golden Wedding Anniversary

Please join Kathleen and Gary Toal as they celebrate 50 years of marriage.

Saturday 28th July 2:30pm to 5:00pm

The celebration begins with a Thanksgiving Eucharist at 2:00pm followed by a high tea in the Church Hall. Please no gifts; if you would like to make a donation to the Tiwi College on Melville Island, this would be appreciated. RSVP Deirdre Reid 0407 558 455.



OPEN DOOR SINGERS

invite you to their 3rd Anniversary Soiree/
Concert to be held at St Margaret's on:
SUNDAY 29th JULY 2018 at 3PM

to be followed by a scrumptious afternoon tea.
Entry fee is \$5 which will be donated to charity.
Franciscus Henri will be performing and you will be
listening to songs from Gershwin and Les Miserables
plus many others. You will also be asked to join in the
singing. **HOPE YOU CAN JOIN US.**

ROSTER	Sunday 22nd July Mary Magdalene 8:00am	Sunday 22nd July Mary Magdalene 10:00am	Sunday 29th July Pentecost X 8:00am	Sunday 29th July Pentecost X 10:00am
Celebrant	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
Preacher	Noel Whale	Noel Whale	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
Sacristan Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Jean Ransom	Sally Petty	Adrienne Watson
Liturgical Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Melissa Laidlay	Sally Petty	Melissa Laidlay
Communion Assistants	Catherine Pearson Graham Carew	Angela Langan David Pryor	Jean Taylor Kathleen Toal	Vacant
Greeters & Sides People	Jo Norman Margaret Charles	Kevin Gillett Diana Warrell	Robyn Wembridge Sally Petty	Jean Ransom Vacant
First Reading	Proverbs 3: 13-20 Peter Wiltshire	Proverbs 3: 13-20 Mitzi & David Tuke	Exodus 16: 1-8, 13-21, 31-35 Vacant	Exodus 16: 1-8, 13-21, 31-35 Liz Pryor
Second Reading	Proverbs 3: 13-20 Vacant	Proverbs 3: 13-20 David Pryor	Ephesians 3: 14-21 Vacant	Ephesians 3: 14-21 Sarah Toomey
Intercessor	Vacant	Robert Street	Sally Petty	Geoff Sandy
Morning Tea	Vacant	Lyn Clements	Jenny Disney	Jan Kerr
Banking	Kevin Gillett		David Tuke	
Powerpoint	Felicity Wiltshire	Mandy Stevens	Felicity Wiltshire	Mandy Stevens
Flowers	Angela Langan		Angela Langan	

WHAT'S COMING UP

Thu 2nd August	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team
Fri 3rd	8:00pm	Boite Concert - Vardos
Sat 4th	8:30am	Men's Breakfast
	2:00pm	Commemorative Service - Battle of Le Hamel
Sun 5th	12:00pm	Pub Lunch
Sat 11th	10:00am	Do Justice meeting
Sun 12th	9:00am	Combined Service - Bishop Philip's visit
Tue 14th	9:30am	Communications Committee
Thu 16th	9:30am	Finance Committee
Fri 17th	3:00pm onwards	Keren's Birthday Celebrations

Wednesday Roster

Date	Greeting	Reading	Morning Tea
25/7/18	Margaret Alexander & Margaret Charles	Proverbs 3: 13-20 Betty Cooper Psalm: 63: 1-8	Fay Gravenall & Jennifer Constantine
1/8/18	Jenny Disney	Jeremiah 15: 10-21 Rae Kerr Psalm: 59: 1-5, 18-20	Margaret C & Margaret A
8/8/18	Jennifer Constantine	Jeremiah 31: 1-7 Gwen Sharp Psalm: 72: 12-21	Jenny Disney