

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.

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, present and emerging.



Prayer 2019



Lord teach us to pray.
Teach us to listen to your voice
and to hear your word.
Teach us to offer our hearts to you in love
and to know your love.
Teach us to forgive
and be forgiven.
Teach us to give our lives in your service
and to do your will.
Teach us to pray,
and pray in us, Lord Jesus. **Amen.**

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sun 4th	8:00am	Eucharist
	10:00am	Eucharist
Mon 5th	1:00pm	Monday Circle
Wed 7th	9:30am	Meditation
	10:30am	Eucharist
Thu 8th	9:30am	Property Team Meeting
	7:30pm	Praying for the environment
Fri 9th	7:00pm	Film Screening - The Judge
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	10:00am	Eucharist

Prayer Chain

For urgent prayer requests

Rae Kerr

0432 688 571

An Afternoon with Liminality Celtic Trio

Sunday 18th August at 2:30pm
at St Margaret's

Special Guest Keren Terpstra


Tickets \$25.00, includes Devonshire Tea.

Bookings: <http://www.trybooking.com/BEITC>



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

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, Betty Cooper and Harry Watson.

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

John Humann 0438 871 357

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 9435 7349
Faith Formation Network:	Annette Street 0407 043 706
Property Team	Sally Petty 0407 543 532
Pastoral Care Team:	Adrienne Watson 9439 9059
Finance Committee:	Kathleen Toal 0439 032 977
Communications Team	Sandra Brown-Holt 0417 545 615

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

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.
Colossians 3.1

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Living God, Judge of us all,
you have placed in our hands the wealth we call our own: through your Spirit give us wisdom,
that our possessions may not be a curse,
but a means of blessing in our lives.
Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

TODAY'S PSALM

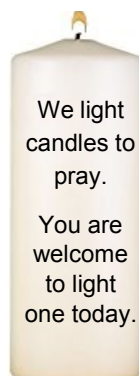
Psalm 107: 1-9, 43

TODAY'S GOSPEL

Luke 12: 13-21

TODAY'S HYMNS

Opening: Worship in the beauty of holiness - TiS454
Gradual: Take my life and let it be - TiS599
Offertory: For the life that you have given - TiS774
Offering: Lord Jesus, joy of loving hearts - TiS499
Mission: Let us talents and tongues employ - TiS537



ABM PEW REFLECTIONS

4th August 2019 Pentecost VIII

Paul urges us to reject 'earthly' values and centre our lives on Christ who himself in the Gospel points out the foolishness of depending on the material possessions of this life and forgetting that we are dependent on God for our life, the God who is loving and compassionate (despite his people's unfaithfulness) as stressed by Hosea.

- 'O give thanks to the Lord for he is good: for his loving mercy is for ever.' (Psalm)
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Myanmar.



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NOTICES

Messy Church

Where: Eltham Montmorency Uniting Church (Cnr John Street and Main Road, Eltham) with St Margaret's Anglican Church

When: Sunday 4th August 2019 at 5pm

This Messy Church is an opportunity to bring a friend, invite a new family, share Messy Church with others

What: Messy Church is a fun time for children and families to gather together for stories with a faith theme, songs, activities and a light meal.

Would you like to know more? Contact

Fiona on 0417164503,
fambruinsma@bigpond.com



Guest Preacher - Dr Paula Gooder

10:30am - 12:00pm Sunday 4th August

St Pauls Cathedral, Cnr Flinders and Swanston Streets, Melbourne.

Canon Dr Paula Gooder, Chancellor of St Paul's Cathedral London and well known New Testament Scholar will be the Guest Preacher on Sunday 4 August at St Pauls 10.30am Choral Eucharist.

On that day, they will also mark Hiroshima Peace Day with members of Melbourne's Japanese Community.

Combined Services Breakfast

Sunday 11th August at 9:15am

The combined Sunday services breakfast is on again from 9.15am on 11th August.

Come along and enjoy some delicious scones and croissants!



Film Screening - The Judge

Friday 9th August, 7pm to 9pm at St Margaret's

The remarkable story of a female Sharia Law Judge and her fight for justice and equal rights for women.

Entry \$22.00 full / \$15.00 concession includes tea and coffee.

Book via facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/sawaelthamfilm/>

Supported by Elthambookshop.

All proceeds go to Support Association for the Women of Afghanistan.

OXFAM WINTER CONCERT

Friday 16th August at 7:30pm at St Margaret's

Featuring:

Chocolate Lilies - acapella singing group

Janet Vague - sings jazz classics

Eltham Voices - acapella singers

Robbie Greig & Friends - local singer/musician/songwriter

Entry \$15 / \$10 students and concession card holders (pay at the door)

*** Great Supper ***

Raising funds for Oxfam's life saving development work

ROSTER	4th August 2019 Pentecost VIII 8:00am	4th August 2019 Pentecost VIII 10:00am	7th August 2019 Wednesday 10:30am	11th August 2019 Pentecost IX 8:00am	11th August 2019 Pentecost IX 10:00am	14th August 2019 Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
Preacher	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
Sacristan Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Jan Gack		Robert Brazenor	Jan Gack	
Liturgical Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Rodney Millard		Robert Brazenor	Rodney Millard	
Communion Assistants	Mandy Stevens John Winkett	Adrienne Watson Annette Street		Jean Taylor	Sylvia Gilbert Sandra Brown-Holt	
Greeters & Sides People	Catherine Pearson	Harry Watson Roger Alcock	Jenny Disney	Sally Petty	Anne Bryant Lillian Lloyd	Jennifer Constantine
First Reading	Hosea 11: 1-11 John Winkett	Hosea 11: 1-11 Helen Robertson	Daniel 7: 9-10, 13-14 Rae Kerr	Isaiah 1: 1, 10-20 Mary Lynton-Moll	Isaiah 1: 1, 10-20 Helen Symons	Deuteronomy 34: 1-12 Joan Bateman
Second Reading	Colossians 3: 1-11 Clive Noble	Colossians 3: 1-11 Helen Symons		Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16 Sally Petty	Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16 Annette Street	
Psalm	Psalm 107: 1-9, 43	Psalm 107: 1-9, 43	Psalm 106: 17-24	Psalm 50: 1-8, 23-24	Psalm 50: 1-8, 23-24	Psalm 66: 1-8
Intercessor	Linda Mackenzie	Geoff Sandy		Coralie Carew	Sandra Brown-Holt	
Morning Tea	Fay Gravenall Linda Mackenzie	Lyn Clements	Margaret Charles Margaret Alexander	Elizabeth Ainsworth Mary Lynton-Moll	Jean & Margaret	Jenny Disney
Banking	Melissa Laidlay			David Pryor		
Powerpoint	Felicity Wiltshire	Sandra Brown-Holt		Felicity Wiltshire	Sandra Brown-Holt	
Flowers	Liz Pryor			Sandra Brown-Holt		

WHAT'S COMING UP

Thu 8th	9:30am 7:30pm	Property Team meeting Praying for the environment - Dendy House
Fri 9th	7:00pm	Film Screening - The Judge
Sat 10th	10:00am	Parish Renewal Retreat
Sun 11th	9:15am	Combined Services Breakfast
Tue 13th	9:30am 7:30pm	Communications Committee meeting Book Club
Wed 14th	2:30pm	Eucharist at SVCS Retirement Village
Thu 15th	7:30pm	Taize service
Fri 16th	7:30pm	Oxfam concert
Sun 18th	2:30pm	Liminality concert
Mon 19th	11:00am	Staff meeting
Tue 20th	10:00am 1:00pm	Blumes Fashions Winter Sale - Anglicare Fundraiser Embryonic Dabblers
Sat 24th	9:00am	Parish Council Leadership Development Day
Sun 25th	P.M.	Film, Friends, Faith & Food
Mon 26th	6:30pm	Parish Council Meeting
Tue 27th	2:00pm	Ladies Fellowship
Wed 28th	12:00pm	Piece of Peace
Sat 31st	2:00pm	Planned Giving High Tea
Sun 1st September	12:00pm	Pub Lunch
Tue 3rd	11:00am	Anglican Ladies Fellowship Lunch
Thu 5th	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team
Sat 7th	8:30am	Men's Breakfast
Tue 10th	9:30am 7:30pm	Communications Committee Meeting Book Club
Wed 11th	2:30pm	Eucharist at SVCS Retirement Village
Thurs 12th	9:30am 7:30pm	Property Team meeting Christian Meditation as Prayer - Dendy House
Mon 16th	11:00am	Staff Meeting
Tue 17th	1:00pm	Embryonic Dabblers
Thurs 19th	7:30pm	Taize Service
Sun 22nd	P.M.	Film, Friends, Faith and Food
Mon 23rd	6:30pm	Parish Council Meeting
Tue 24th	2:00pm	Ladies Fellowship
Wed 25th	12:00pm	Piece of Peace