

PEW SHEET

25th October 2020

Pentecost XXI

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sun 25th	9:30am	Pentecost XXI
Mon 26th	9:30am 7:00pm	Morning Prayer Parish Council Meeting
Wed 28th	9:30am	Morning Prayer
Thu 29th	9:30am	Morning Prayer
Sat 31st	8:30am 9:00am 4:00pm	Meditation Men's Chat Evening Prayer
Sun 1st Nov	9:30am	All Saints/All Souls

Prayer of the Week

Almighty and everlasting God,
give to us the increase of faith, hope
and love;
and, that we may obtain what you
promise, make us to love what
you command;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

St Margaret's Anglican Parish Eltham acknowledges the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin nation as the traditional custodians of the land on which we worship. We commit to working for reconciliation and justice for Aboriginal people. Diversity and inclusivity are important to us at St Margaret's.

ABM PEW REFLECTION

Today's Gospel brings to an end Jesus' controversies with the Jewish leaders.

His answer to the question of which commandments are the most important (of the 613 in the Jewish scriptures) is quite traditional and similar to other rabbis of the time.

However, His answer to the question of who the Messiah is, is revolutionary. Clearly from Jesus' argument The son mentioned must not be the son of David, but the Son of God. And by implication for the readers, Jesus himself.

- Give us grace to live more Christ-like lives and tell others of His glory. Amen.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Iglesia Filipina Independiente, the Philippine Independent Church.



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NOTICES

FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION

The next faith issues discussion is to be held Monday 2 November at 7.30pm on the Zoom Platform. The link is below.

Father Ruwan will lead a discussion on 'New Research on Near Death Experiences'

Not to be missed. Everybody is welcome to attend.

ZOOM LINK IS:

[https://zoom.us/j/880545239?](https://zoom.us/j/880545239?pwd=cmFHeEsweXJlMDJtVXp0Y1d6eTdPUT09)

[pwd=cmFHeEsweXJlMDJtVXp0Y1d6eTdPUT09](https://zoom.us/j/880545239?pwd=cmFHeEsweXJlMDJtVXp0Y1d6eTdPUT09)

All services, prayers and meetings online via Zoom.

YouTube channel link:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCU8zWevMdRsIRq70IA6MUIg>

Morning Prayer - Monday, Wednesday and Thursday at 9:30am - Zoom:

<https://zoom.us/j/923263779?pwd=Tml3WUgwZVRBbU42SzdVNTNvVDN4UT09>

Passcode: 278879

Evening Prayer - Saturday at 4:00pm - Zoom:

<https://zoom.us/j/443167432?pwd=eFlUWlV4eTdldicCtUaUdGV0RBd0x6dz09>

Passcode: 686422

What's Coming Up

Mon 2nd	7:30pm	Faith Issues Discussions
Thu 5th	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team
Sat 7th	9:00am	Men's Breakfast
Sun 8th	9:30am	Eucharist - Pentecost XXIII
Fri 13th	1:00pm	Property Team Meeting
Sat 14th	2:00pm	Do Justice Meeting
Sun 15th	9:30am	St Margaret's Day
Mon 16th	7:30pm	Faith Issues Discussions
Sun 22nd	9:30am	Eucharist - Christ the King
Mon 23rd	7:00pm	Parish Council Meeting
Sat 28th	10:30am	Ordination of Priests at St Paul's Cathedral

WORSHIP 25/10/2020—9:30AM

SENTENCE

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: you shall love your neighbour as yourself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

Matthew 22: 37–40

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God,
whose Son has taught us that love is the fulfilment of your law:
stir up within us the fire of your Holy Spirit,
and pour into our hearts your greatest gift of love,
so that we may love you with our whole being,
and our neighbours as ourselves;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 34: 1-12

TODAY'S PSALM

Psalms 90: 1-6, 13-17

SECOND READING

1 Thessalonians 2: 1-13

GOSPEL

Matthew 22: 34-46



TODAY'S HYMNS

Shalom - TiS778

A New Commandment - TiS699

Zoom link for Sunday Services:

<https://zoom.us/j/732357170?pwd=UTZuR1JKK1U1WkVKdm9uZVFLZFR6dz09>

Passcode: 433645

ROSTER

	25th October 2020 Pentecost XXI 9:30am	1st November 2020 All Saints/All Souls 9:30am
Celebrant	Bishop Kate Prowd	Keren Terpstra
Preacher	Bishop Kate Prowd	Keren Terpstra
Gospel	Matthew 22: 34-46	Matthew 5: 1-12
First Reading	Deuteronomy 34: 1-12 Mitzi Tuke	Revelation 7: 9-17 Mabs Jones
Second Reading	1 Thessalonians 2: 1-13 Roger Alcock	1 John 3: 1-3 Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate
Psalm	Psalm 90: 1-6, 13-17	Psalm 34: 1-10, 22
Intercessor	Geoff Sandy	TBA
	8th November 2020 Pentecost XXIII 9:30am	15th November 2020 St Margaret's Day 9:30am
Celebrant	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
Preacher	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
Gospel	Matthew 25: 1-13	Matthew 25: 14-30
First Reading	Joshua 24: 1-3a, 14-25 Mary Lynton-Moll	Deuteronomy 15: 7-11 David Pryor
Second Reading	1 Thessalonians 4: 9-18 Melissa Quintarelli	2 John 1-9 Coralie Carew
Psalm	Psalm 78: 1-7	Psalm 112: 1-9
Intercessor	TBA	TBA

Dancing to the beat of God's heart 2020

God of love,
Your compassion for people knows no bounds.
Give us grace that we may know
the presence of Jesus in us and with us:
in words of scripture,
in water, bread and wine,
in the face of each other.
Transform our lives by your Spirit
and give us your heart of compassion,
so that we may make the transforming love of Christ
known to all. **Amen.**

Prayer Chain

**For any prayer
requests**

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Planned Giving

We know a number of parishioners generously contribute either by bank transfer or ADF. Some also contribute via envelope. Obviously this has not been possible for some time. If anyone wishes to pass on their envelopes, we will be in the church car park Saturday 31st October 10-11am. With thanks for all your contributions.

The Wardens

BREAKING NEW GROUND: GROWING THE CHURCH

Saturday 31 October 2020 | 1.30 – 4.00pm

By Zoom conference

\$25 | \$20 concession

The Minister of Merri Creek Anglican, the Rev'd Dr Peter Carolane, shares the story of its growth, introduce the convictions that have formed it, and identify the challenges of pioneer ministry in Melbourne. Joining him in discussion moderated by Bishop Kate Prowd is Bishop Lindsay Urwin, Vicar of Christ Church Brunswick.

For more information and to register click the link www.trybooking.com/647170, or email to:

theologyevents@trinity.edu.au or call 03 9348 7127.