



PEW SHEET

21st March 2021

Fifth Sunday in Lent

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sun 21st	8:00 & 10:00am	Fifth Sunday in Lent
	4:30pm	What Matters About Jesus
Mon 22nd	1:00pm	Monday Circle
Tue 23rd	2:00pm	Parish Ladies Fellowship
	7:30pm	What Matters About Jesus
Wed 24th	9:00am	Meditation
	10:30am	Wednesday Service
Thu 25th	9:00am	Morning Prayer
	7:30pm	Faithfull Women
Sat 27th	8:30am	Meditation
	9:00am	Men's Breakfast
	2:30pm	Climate in Crisis - Seminar 1
Sun 28th	8:00 & 10:00am	Palm Sunday

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 REFLECTIONS

The Psalmist rejoices in God's words, commandments, statutes, judgements, precepts, and ways. Jesus knew he was to die but he would not ask his Father to save him. He was fully cognisant of what was to happen and still followed God's ways. We who do not know what is to happen need also to follow God as our delight is in God. Only then do we find peace.

- God who sticks to us like glue, teach us obedience to your ways that we might follow Jesus to his death and resurrection, comforted in the knowledge that he will never abandon us.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of South India.



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Church Security

If you are the last person to leave the Church, Hall or Dendy House, please ensure that all doors are securely locked.

Thank you.



Hearing Loop

A Hearing Loop is installed in the Church, please use the T (telecoil) switch on your hearing aid.

WORSHIP 21/3/2021—FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

SENTENCE

‘This is the covenant I will make with them,’ says the Lord God: ‘I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God and they shall be my people.’ Jeremiah 31.33

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, our Redeemer,
in our weakness we have failed
to be your messengers of forgiveness and hope:
renew us by your Holy Spirit,
that we may follow your commands
and proclaim your reign of love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Jeremiah 31: 31-34

TODAY'S PSALM

Psalms 119: 9-16

SECOND READING

Hebrews 5: 5-14

GOSPEL

John 12: 20-33



TODAY'S MUSIC

O Jesus I have promised - TiS595 (8:00am)

In our darkness - TiS725

What wondrous love is this - CH395

Zoom Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service

<https://zoom.us/j/732357170?pwd=UTZuR1JkK1U1WkVkdM9uZVFLZFR6dz09>

NOTICES

DO JUSTICE GROUP

19 parishioners and friends attended the Sound the Alarm bell ringing (thank you Roger for a sterling job!) and signed a letter to our Prime Minister about the need for policy changes on climate change. On the Sunday following, parishioners signed letters to three other politicians. More letters can be signed after Easter.

Chat Rooms

Several of our parishioners not able to come to church on a regular basis are missing the opportunity to talk to others. Please let us know if you are also missing this time by speaking to a member of Parish council or contacting Jen in the office.

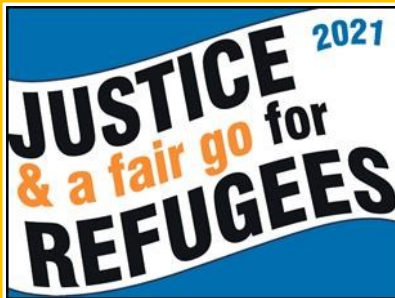
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What's Coming Up

Tue 30th	7:30pm	Tenebrae - Service of Shadows
Thu 1st April	7:30pm	Maundy Thursday - Footwashing & Eucharist
Fri 2nd	9:00am	Good Friday Liturgy
Sun 4th	7:15am 10:00am	Easter Sunday - Service of Light & Eucharist Festive Eucharist
Mon 5th	7:30pm	Faith Issues Discussion
Thu 8th	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team
Sat 10th	10:00am	Do Justice Meeting
Tue 13th	11:00am	Blumes Fashion Show (Anglicare Fundraiser)
Wed 14th	7:30pm	Mission Action Team
Thu 15th	7:30pm	Taize
Sat 17th	9:00am 1:00pm	Men's Chat Dr Gary Presland
Mon 19th	7:30pm	Faith Issues Discussion



**Be part of the action on
Palm Sunday:**

Attend the **Justice and a Fair Go for Refugees Webinar** on
Tuesday 23 March, 7.30-8.30pm on zoom
<https://amnestyau.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMod->

[CggTwiHN2tsC7LzChFuMGOSLuzMyMj](https://amnestyau.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMod-CggTwiHN2tsC7LzChFuMGOSLuzMyMj) - learn more about the issues. Hosted by the Australian Refugee Action Network and supported by Amnesty International. With Zaki Haidari, Farhad Bandesh, Sr Brigid Arthur, Prof John Minns and Dr Graham Thom (Amnesty International). If you register before the night you will receive updates on the speakers and program. Share the FB event to help us promote this important discussion <https://fb.me/e/4Z07XHf6A>

Attend the Melbourne Palm Sunday Walk for Justice for Refugees

– 2pm at the State Library – Walk to the Park Hotel. Music from 1.30pm Share the FB event [Melbourne Walk for Justice for Refugees](#). Speakers include: Moz, Julian Burnside, Sr Brigid Arthur, Faith community councils representatives. MCs - Ahmad Hakim (Refugee Voices) and Michele O'Neill, President, ACTU. Music by TARAB, Mulu, Galerah Pour, and Ajak and friends. Supported by Riff Raff Radical Marching Band.

Climate in Crisis

What can I do?

We are holding a series of 3 free seminars looking at Climate Change. Use the link or QR Code provided to secure your spot and for more information.

<https://www.trybooking.com/BPGGM>

Seminar 1

March 27: Faith and the Environment. What grounds us? This seminar will explore how faith underpins our actions and advocacy for our world

2.30pm. St. Margaret's Eltham 79-81 Pitt Street Eltham

Speakers: Professor Michael Clarke: Department of Ecology, Environment and Evolution at La Trobe University. ISCAST member

Sister Anne Boyd: Brigidine Community Leader (Earth Spirit Project)

Alex Sangster: Australian Religious Response to Climate Change



BRING YOUR QUESTIONS

SAGE event (St. Margaret's Action Group for the Environment)

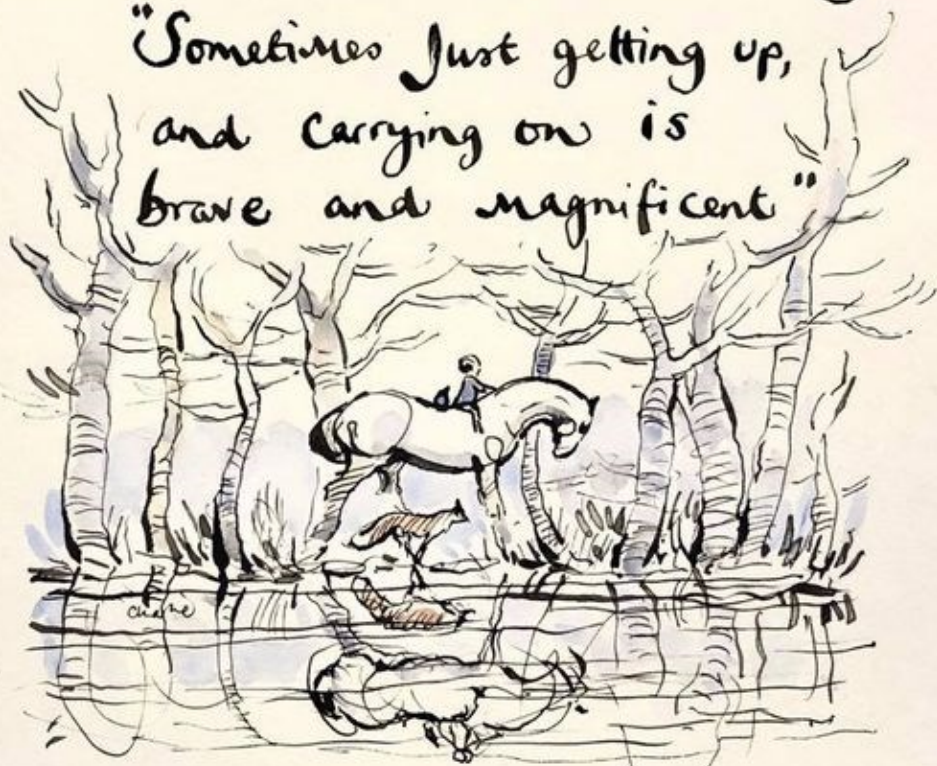
BLUMES MOBILE FASHIONS on 13th April. 11:00am for 11.30 start.

Winter fashions for the "older woman". Bank card facilities available.

Do you want to come? Sign the attendance sheet in the church or ring Jen in the office. Raffle: tickets now being sold by members.



"Sometimes" said the horse
"Sometimes what?" asked the boy
"Sometimes Just getting up,
and carrying on is
brave and magnificent"



ROSTER	21st March 2021 Fifth Sunday in Lent 8:00am	21st March 2021 Fifth Sunday in Lent 10:00am	24th March 2021 Wednesday Lent V 10:30pm
Celebrant	Christopher Garcia	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra
Preacher Gospel	Christopher Garcia John 12: 20-33	Christopher Garcia John 12: 20-23	Keren Terpstra John 12: 20-23
Sacristan Assistant	N/A	N/A	
Liturgical Assistant	N/A	N/A	
Communion Assistants	N/A	N/A	
Greeters & Sides People	John Winkett Margaret Alexander	TBA	Margaret Charles Margaret Alexander
First Reading	Jeremiah 31: 31-34 Elizabeth Ainsworth	Jeremiah 31: 31-34 Adrienne Watson	Jeremiah 31: 31-34 Betty Cooper
Second Reading	Hebrews 5: 5-14 Coralie Carew	Hebrews 5: 5-14 Geoff Sandy	
Psalm	Psalms 119: 9-16	Psalms 119: 9-16	Psalms 119: 9-16
Intercessor	Felicity Wiltshire	Geoff Sandy	
Morning Tea	Coralie Carew	Jan Kerr	Jennifer Constantine
Banking	Lyn Clements		
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	Felicity Wiltshire	Rob Mackenzie Mandy Stevens & John Humann	
Flowers	N/A		

28th March 2021 Palm Sunday 9:30am	31st March 2021 Wednesday in Holy Week 10:30am	1st April 2021 Maundy Thursday 7:30pm
Keren Terpstra	Christopher Garcia	
Keren Terpstra Mark 14: 1 - 15: 27	Christopher Garcia John 13: 21-32	
N/A		N/A
N/A		N/A
N/A		N/A
	Helen Costello	
	Isaiah 50: 4-9a Michael Tucker	
	Psalms 70	
	Jennifer Constantine	
Rob Mackenzie Mandy Stevens John Humann		
N/A		



Prayer 2021 - Following Jesus

O God,
out of your great love for us
you sent your Son Jesus into this world
to bring us back to you:
give us grace to follow him,
to take his yoke upon us and learn from him,
and so to find both rest for our souls
and the courage to do justice, love kindness,
and walk humbly,
so that others may be brought to your light;
we ask this in his name. Amen.



Prayer Chain

For any prayer
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