

Pew Sheet

10th October 2021

Pentecost XX

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sun 10th	9:30am	Pentecost XX Via Zoom
Wed 13th	7:30pm	Mission Action Team via Zoom
Sat 16th	8:30am	Meditation - Zoom
Sun 17th	9:30am	Luke, Evangelist and Martyr via Zoom

Prayer of the Week

Almighty God,
in your wisdom you have so ordered
our earthly life
that we must walk by faith
and not by sight:
give us such trust in your fatherly care
that in the face of all perplexities
we may give proof of our faith
by the courage of our lives;
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 First Peoples. Diversity and inclusivity are important to us at St Margaret's. Everyone is welcome here, regardless of race, gender, sexuality, or ability.

ABM PEW REFLECTIONS

Psalm 22 speaks very honestly of the hard times that come with being human, times when God might seem far away. 'My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?' says the Psalmist. These are the words Jesus cried out on the cross, in the depth of his suffering. And yet Jesus himself reminds us that God does not forsake us, that there is hope and wholeness for the world. Right there on the cross, Jesus embodies the presence of God with us, holding the broken and hurting world in his outstretched, crucified arms.

- Reflect on your life right now. What hurts? What is hard? Place all your hurt and suffering in Jesus' gentle and compassionate arms. Pray that he will fill you with hope and wholeness.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Melanesia.



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SENTENCE

There is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for Jesus' sake, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age, with persecutions, and in the age to come eternal life.

Mark 10: 29–30

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Merciful God,
in your Son you call not the righteous but sinners to repentance:
draw us away from the easy road that leads to destruction,
and guide us into paths that lead to life abundant,
that in seeking your truth,
and obeying your will,
we may know the joy of being a disciple of Jesus our Saviour;
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Job 23: 1-9,16-17

TODAY'S PSALM

Psalms 22: 1-15

SECOND READING

Hebrews 4: 12-16

GOSPEL

Mark 10: 17-31



TODAY'S MUSIC

Mission: Lord of all hopefulness - TiS613

Zoom Link - Sunday 9:30 am Service

<https://zoom.us/j/732357170?pwd=UTZuR1JkK1U1WkVKdm9uZVFLZFR6dz09>

NOTICES

Free Fruit and Vegetables

Second Bite will be providing more fruit and vegetables this week, varieties unknown at this stage.

Bags of the produce will be available on Saturday afternoon (under the church signs at the front of the carpark) for you to take for yourself or someone you know.

Diana (LinC)



What's Coming Up

Mon 18th	7:30pm	Faith Issues Discussion via Zoom
Sat 23rd	9:00am	Bible 360 Seminar
Sun 24th	9:30am	Pentecost XXII via Zoom
Mon 25th	7:15pm	Parish Council Meeting via Zoom
Sat 30th	10:00am	Parish Visioning Day
Sun 31st	9:30am	Pentecost XXIII via Zoom
Thu 4th Nov	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team
Sat 6th	8:30am	Men's Breakfast
Sun 7th	9:30am	All Saints/All Souls
Wed 10th	2:00pm	SVCS Service
	7:30pm	MAT Dendy House
Sat 13th	10:00am	Do Justice Meeting
Sun 14th	9:30am	Margaret of Scotland
Mon 15th	11:00am	Staff Meeting
	7:30pm	Faith Issues Discussion
Thu 18th	7:30pm	Taize

ROSTER	10th October 2021 Pentecost XX 9:30am	17th October 2021 Luke, Evangelist & Martyr 9:30am
Celebrant	Linda Fiske	Keren Terpstra
Preacher Gospel	Keren Terpstra Mark 10: 17-31	Linda Fiske Luke 10: 1-9
Sacristan Assistant	N/A	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	N/A	N/A
Communion Assistants	N/A	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	N/A	N/A
First Reading	Job 23: 1-9, 16-17 Adrienne Watson	Jeremiah 8: 22 - 9: 3 Carole Tedja Or David Pryor
Second Reading	Hebrews 4: 12-16 Jan Kerr	2 Timothy 4: 9-17a Coralie Carew Or Lyn Clements
Psalm	Psalm 22: 1-15	Psalm 145: 10-18
Intercessor	Sandra Brown-Holt	Felicity Wiltshire Or Linda Mackenzie
Morning Tea	N/A	N/A
Banking	N/A	N/A
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	Liz Pryor Rob Mackenzie	Mandy Stevens John Humann
Flowers	N/A	N/A

24th October 2021 Pentecost XXII 9:30am	31st October 2021 Pentecost XXIII 9:30am
Linda Fiske	Keren Terpstra
Keren Terpstra Mark 10: 46-52	Linda Fiske Mark 12: 13-17, 28-34
N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A
Job 42: 1-6, 10-17 Catherine Pearson Or Harry Watson	Ruth 1: 1-18 Michael Tucker Or Liz Pryor
Hebrews 7: 21-28 Michael Tucker Or Roger Alcock	Hebrews 9: 11-15 Barbara Speed Or Glenys Collis
Psalm 34: 1-8	Psalm 146
Michael Tucker Or Robert Street	Sally Petty Or Geoff Sandy
N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A
Mandy Stevens John Humann	Mandy Stevens John Humann
N/A	N/A

Anglicare news

A morning tea meeting is being planned for next month after lockdown.

However, lockdown has not stopped the busy ladies of Anglicare knitting for children in care. This month 12 rugs, 10 cot blankets, 30 teddies, 16 jackets & jumpers, 45 beanies and two patchwork cot quilts have been completed and sent to Anglicare. In addition some good quality men's and women's clothing has been included. Thanks to Mary Ann, Barbara, Catherine and Elisabeth at our church and the five other contributors this month.

These items will be much appreciated by the recipients at Anglicare.

DO JUSTICE

WE are awaiting the arrival of the banner requesting action on climate change. It will be placed on the church hall on Sunday next week to mark Faiths 4 Climate Justice.

Did you know that the average cost of natural disasters in Australia will rise from the \$35 billion this year to \$73 billion in 2060.

Zoom meeting Saturday 9th.

BE-ATTITUDES

Blessed are those who use low energy light bulbs
for theirs is the light of God's wisdom.

Blessed are those who travel by train (and other public transport)
for their lives are on God's track.

Blessed are those who choose a car with low fuel consumption
for they are in God's fast lane.

Blessed are those that insulate their homes
for theirs in the warmth of God's love.

Blessed are those who put themselves down to use energy from renewable
sources for they have kindled the flame of the future.

Written by the Iona Community in Glasgow

From the website of the Australian Religious Response to Climate Change. (ARRCC)

Sunday 17th of October has been designated a Day of Action by ARRCC to draw attention to the problems the world will face if carbon emissions continue and are not lowered.

Watch for the banner that Do Justice will erect on the walls of the church hall, and after lockdown finishes, come and sign letters to leading Federal Ministers.

"This is getting harder,"
sighed the boy.



"Then every step you
take is a bigger victory."

Image: Charlie Mackesy





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

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