

Pew Sheet 13th March 2022 Lent II

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

8:00am	Meditation
8:00 & 10:00am	Lent II—Transfiguration
5:30pm	Taize meal in hall
6:30pm	Taize service
9:30am	Morning Prayer & Meditation
10:30am	Wednesday Service
8:00am	Meditation
10:30am	Heart Edge Planning
11:00am	Interment of Ashes
8:00 &	Lent III
10:00am	
5:30pm	Taize meal in hall
6:30pm	Taize service
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Prayer of the Week

Remember, O Lord, what you have wrought in us and not what we deserve, and, as you have called us to your service, make us worthy of our calling. 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

Today's gospel reading sees some Pharisees come to warn Jesus that Herod Antipas is out to kill him and they warn him away from Jerusalem. Jesus is not at all deterred by their caution, and tells the Pharisees to tell 'that fox' Herod about how he is casting out demons and healing the sick for the next three days. Despite knowing that being in Jerusalem will result in his death, Jesus remains utterly committed to playing his part in God's mission

- Lord, like you may I play my part in working for God's kingdom, never shying away from it even when difficulties and worries abound.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea



Hearing Loop

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

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WORSHIP 13/3/2022—LENT II— TRANSFIGURATION

SENTENCE

Our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ. *Philippians 3.20*

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of our ancestors, whose chosen servant Abraham was given faith to obey your call and go out into the unknown: endow your Church with such faith that we may follow you with courage; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Genesis 15. 1-12, 15.17-18

TODAY'S PSALM

Psalm 27

SECOND READING

Philippians 3. 17-4.1

GOSPEL

Luke 9. 28-36



TODAY'S MUSIC

Introit: When I survey the wondrous cross TiS 342

Offertory: O Sacred Head sore wounded TiS 339 (8:00am)

Communion Hymn: In our darkness TiS 725

Mission Hymn: Forth in your name O Lord I go TiS 571

Zoom Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service

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

NOTICES

What's Coming Up				
Sun 20th March	8:00 & 10:00am	Lent III		
Sun 20th	5:30pm	Taize meal in hall		
	6:30pm	Taize service		
Mon 21st	1:00pm	Monday Circle		
	7:30pm	Faith Issues discussion		
Tue 22nd	2:00pm	Parish Ladies Fellowship		
Wed 23rd	9:30am	Morning Prayer and Meditation		
	10:30am	Wednesday Service		
Sat 26th	8:00am	Meditation		
Sun 27th	8:00 & 10:00am	Lent IV		
Sun 27th	12:00pm	Coping with Grief and Loss Seminar		
Sun 27th	5:30pm	Taize meal in hall		
	6:30pm	Taize service		

Where is Linda?

You may notice in the next few weeks that Linda is not at church on Sunday mornings. This is because she is helping out at the Parish of the Parks, filling in for Sophie Watkins who had significant neck surgery this week. Linda will be with the folk at St Silas and St Anselm on Sunday mornings through Lent, BUT she will still be working with and amongst us here at St Margaret's during the week and at the Taize services on Sunday afternoons. Linda will return to be with us around Easter, and she will continue as locum after 24th April.

Announcement

On Sunday 27th February it was announced here at St Margaret's at both services, and across the Diocese of Gippsland, that Keren has been appointed by Bishop Richard Treloar to be the next Dean of St Paul's Cathedral, Sale. Her last Sunday in the parish will be 24th April, and she will take some leave before taking up the new role in June. A date for the installation is yet to be advised, but will likely be mid-June.



St Margaret's invites you

To enjoy these peaceful times together during the months of **February and March**. Join with family and friends every Sunday afternoon at 5:30pm to have a light meal followed by a short, peaceful, meditative

TAIZE SERVICE At 6:30pm

Participate or just sit back and relax as we listen to beautiful music and reflections.

Transport can be provided. For more information visit: www.stmargaretseltham.org.au or Phone: 9439 9238

Coping with grief and loss seminar

On Sunday 27th March at 12 midday, St Margaret's are presenting a **Coping** with **Grief and Loss seminar** conducted by the Healthy Ageing service.

See attached flyer for details

READING GROUP

It is not too late to join this group

A Future That's Bigger Than the Past: Towards the Renewal of the Church by Samuel Wells

What do you dream for the future of the church? Join us in reading the groundbreaking book by Sam Wells, Vicar of St Martin in the Fields, as he articulates a vision for renewal.

Remaining session is offered by Zoom - 6pm-7.30pm.

• Wednesday 16 March 2022 - Where to next?

Booking Link https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/reading-group-a-future-thats-bigger-than-the-past-tickets-199576557857

Learning to Pray Group

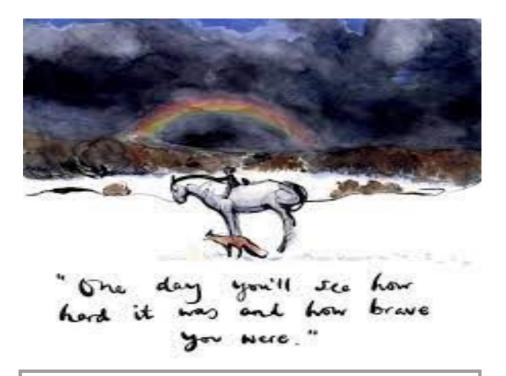
Linda's prayer group studying the Book "Learning to Pray" by James Martin will continue at **9am on Thursdays on-line.** You can join on Zoom.

Use the Ignatian Exercises

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87390647541? pwd=OWlpakkzZFNsT2hwdFExbEFSenFsZz09

You don't need a copy of the book in order to join, everyone welcome!.





Wiser Driver program

Being able to continue to drive is a key factor in supporting independence as we get older. Nillumbik Shire Council invite you to join us for a free 4 week Wiser Driver program with resources to support you in driving confidently. *Please note that participants are required to attend all 4 x 2 hour sessions, which are free.

Session Dates:

- Monday 7 March 2022 1-3pm
- Monday 21 March 2022 1-3pm

Where: Eltham Library Community Room (Panther PI, Eltham 3095)

You are required to book tickets for all four sessions via Eventbrite. If you have any questions, please call Positive Ageing Officer (Nillumbik Shire Council) on 9433 3345.

https://wiser-driver-nillumbik-2022.eventbrite.com.au

No driving lessons or tests involved. Afternoon tea will be provided. Limited spots available!

	13 March 2022	13 March 2022	16 March 20	
ROSTER	Lent II—	Lent II—	Wednesda	
	Transfiguration	Transfiguration		
	8:00am	10:00am	10:30am	
Celebrant	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpst	
Preacher	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpst	
Gospel	Luke 9.28-36	Luke 9.28-36	Matthew 20.17	
Sacristan Assistant	Coralie Carew	Annette Street	N/A	
Liturgical Assistant	Coralie Carew	Mitzi Tuke	N/A	
Communion Assistants	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Greeters & Sides People	Mary Lynton-Moll	Annette Street Diana Warrell	Jennifer Consta	
First	Helen Coutts	Rob Mackenzie	Carol Tedja	
Reading	Genesis 15. 1-12, 15.17-18	Genesis 15. 1-12, 15.17-18	Jeremiah 18. 18	
Second	Mary Lynton-Moll	Mel Quintarelli	N/A	
Reading	Philippians 3.17– 4.1	Philippians 3.17—4.1	N/A	
Psalm	Psalm 27	Psalm 27	Psalm 31.1-	
Intercessor	Coralie Carew Litany of Light	Sandra Brown-Holt Litany of Light	N/A	
Morning Tea	Elizabeth Ainsworth & Mary Lynton-Moll	Linda Mackenzie Jan Kerr		
Banking	David Pr			
Zoom/Ppt Cameras		John Humann Mandy Stevens		
Flowers	Lent			

22	20 March 2022	20 March 2022	23 March 2022	
У	Lent III	Lent III	Wednesday	
	8:00am	10:00am	10:30am	
ra	Keren Terpstra	Keren Terpstra	Linda Fiske	
ra -28	Keren Terpstra Luke 13. 1-9	Keren Terpstra Luke 13. 1-9	Linda Fiske Matthew 5.17-19	
	Jean Taylor	Jan Gack	N/A	
	Robert Brazenor	Geoff Sandy	N/A	
	N/A	N/A	N/A	
ntine	John Winkett	Harry Watson Roger Alcock	Jennifer Constantine	
	Robert Brazenor	Adrienne Watson	Betty Cooper	
3-20	Isaiah 55.1-9	Isaiah 55.1-9	Deuteronomy 4.1 (2- 3) 4-9	
	Coralie Carew	Geoff Sandy	N/A	
	1 Corinthians 10.1-13	1 Corinthians 10.1-13		
5	Psalm 63. 1-9	Psalm 63. 1-9	Psalm 147. 12-20	
	Felicity Wiltshire	Geoff Sandy	N/A	
	Coralie Carew	Jann Kerr Linda Mackenzie		
	Rob Ma	ickenzie		
		Liz Pryor Rob Mackenzie		
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Roster vacancies

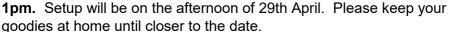
We currently have the following gaps in the roster. If you can help please contact the parish office or coordinator listed below.

Task	Week	Service	Coordinator
Intercessor	1st Sunday	8.00am	Geoff Sandy
Intercessor	4th Sunday	8.00am	Geoff Sandy
Liturgical Assistant	5th Sunday	8.00am	Keren Terpstra
Liturgical Assistant	5th Sunday	10.00am	Keren Terpstra
1st reading odd months	5th Sunday	8.00am	Mel Quintarelli
1st reading even months	5th Sunday	8.00am	Mel Quintarelli
Morning tea	5th Sunday	8.00am	Coralie Carew
Banking	5th Sunday		David Pryor

Garage and Goodies Sale—

change of date—Saturday 30 April

Please note the date for the garage sale has been moved forward to Saturday 30 April, **9am to**



Keys

We are doing a key audit. Most key holders will have received a phone call this week, just checking the numbers on the key. If you do hold one and haven't heard from me, would you please help by ringing me (0407543532) or the Parish Office on 9439 9238. Many thanks, Sally Petty.



Parish Office

We apologise that there was no pew sheet sent out 6th March, 2022 due to illness. Carolyn will be in the office next week on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday between 10 & 2:00pm.

Pew Sheet

Currently the Pew Sheet is emailed out on a Friday. There are also some hard copies printed in the Church foyer. If you do require the Pew Sheet to be posted please contact the Parish office on 9439 9238.

Do Justice

Do Justice group is in need of a Chair. Jenny Disney, who has capably chaired the group for the last 4 years stepped down late last year, and we give thanks for her faithful ministry and passion to see God's goodness manifest in justice.

Do Justice seeks to offer a voice for St Margaret's, and a point of coordination for our work to "do justice and love kindness, walking humbly with God" in a number of areas of need: justice in relationship with Aboriginal and First Nations peoples, justice for asylum seekers and refugees, climate justice, and raising awareness of homelessness and domestic violence, among others.

The chair of this group calls meetings, coordinates the group's organising of events, and keeps in touch with those at St Margaret's who as part of our vocation are striving for God's justice in many different ways, including Anglicare Parish Partnerships group and others. The chair reports to parish council, and consults with the vicar for support, guidance and advice.

If this is something that the Spirit is murmuring in your ear about, please speak to Keren.

Lenten Studies 2022

This year we are running two different Lenten Studies, both online.

Linda—Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm via Zoom (link below), commencing Tuesday 8th March

Linda will be running *A Sacred Space*, adapting a 2021 retreat offered by Margaret Silf using Ignatian practices, on Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm, via Zoom (link below). More information about the retreat can be found here: https://sacredspace.com/en/retreats/lent-2021/. This study will have seven sessions, and will start on Tuesday 8th March, including one session after Easter.

Keren—Thursday evenings at 7pm via Zoom (link below), commencing Thursday 3rd March

Keren will be running *Who is my Neighbour?* which is part of the *Inspired to Follow: Art and the Bible Story* series from HeartEdge (St Martin in the Fields, London), on **Thursday evenings at 7pm**, **via Zoom (link below).** 'Inspired to Follow: Art and the Bible Story' is a free resource to help people explore the Christian faith, using paintings and Biblical story as the starting points. It's been created by St Martin-in-the-Fields in partnership with the National Gallery. We ran a successful Advent study in the same series in 2021. There will be six sessions in this series, starting from Thursday 3rd March.

These sessions are open to all.

The Zoom link for the two studies will be the same:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88598209338? pwd=UWloRG5LSkxEUzFGYmZNT053aCtXQT09

passcode: 551627

Anglicare Food Collection

Please remember to add items to your weekly shop. Please be aware of use by dates and avoid specific seasonal items. (ie no Easter eggs in June!) greatly needed by homeless and disadvantaged.



HeartEdge Planning Mornings

Parish Council is seeking to make a plan that will carry us through the next twelve months or so. We're inviting everyone at St Margaret's to two planning mornings on **Saturday** 19th **March** and **Saturday** 2nd **April** from 10:30am-12noon to share hopes and aspirations of what you/we together would like to achieve in the next twelve months, under the HeartEdge Four Cs: Community, Compassion, Culture, and Congregation.

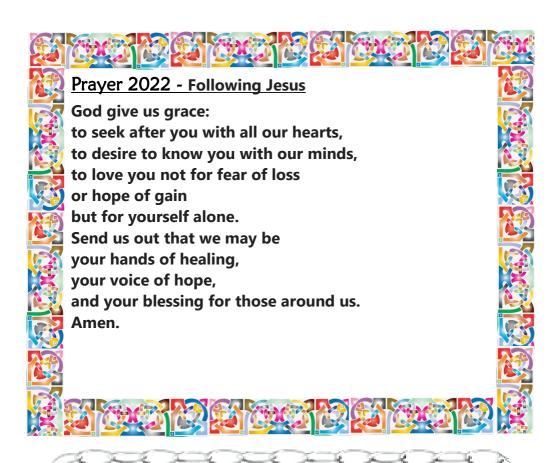
Faith issues discussion

The next meeting of Faith Issues Discussion is on **Monday 21 March 2022 at 7.30pm** in the church. All parishioners and friends are welcome. Refreshments are served after the discussion.

The issue to be discussed is **Religious Freedom and Religious Discrimination.** It is very topical and controversial. Nevertheless, it is important to people of faith. Please make an effort to attend. Some Notes have been prepared to assist with the discussion. They can be obtained from me.

If you require transport let me know.

Geoff Sandy, Co-ordinator MOB 0434422768



Prayer Chain

For any prayer requests

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Or

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