

Pew Sheet 24th April 2022—Easter II

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 23rd	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 24th	10:00am	Easter II
	11:00am	Keren's farewell
Tue 26th	1:00pm	Parish Ladies Fellowship
Wed 27th	10:30am	Memorial Service – Betty Cooper
Wed 27th	7:30pm	Parish Council meeting
Fri 29th	3:00pm	Garage sale setup
Sat 30th	8:00am	Meditation
	9 to 1pm	Garage Sale
Sun 1st May	8:00am & 10:00am	Easter II
Sun 1st	12:00pm	Pub lunch
Mon 2nd	1:00pm	Monday Circle
	7:30pm	Faith issues discussion

Prayer of the Week

Almighty God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection
and the life
of all who put their trust in him:
raise us, we pray, from the death of sin
to the life of righteousness;
that we may ever seek the things which are
above,
where he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **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

St John relates to us the story of 'Doubting Thomas' where Thomas would not believe the story of the Resurrection told to him by the other disciples. We need not dwell on his doubt any longer: his cry of 'My Lord and my God!' tells us that he could see Jesus as he is. His scepticism led to profound understanding. If I were to examine myself, would I find areas of my life where I have stopped at scepticism and not managed to come to a deeper understanding?

- Lord of the faithful and of the doubters, send your Spirit to deepen my understanding, so that like St Thomas I might find clarity of belief.
- Give thanks for the Church of South India, remembering especially today their ministry in a predominantly non-Christian context.



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Hearing Loop

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



WORSHIP APRIL 24TH— EASTER II

SENTENCE

Jesus said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' *John 20.27*

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Living God,
for whom no door is closed,
no heart is locked:
draw us beyond our doubts,
till we see your Christ
and touch his wounds where they bleed in others.
This we ask through Christ our Saviour,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Acts 5. 27-32

TODAY'S PSALM

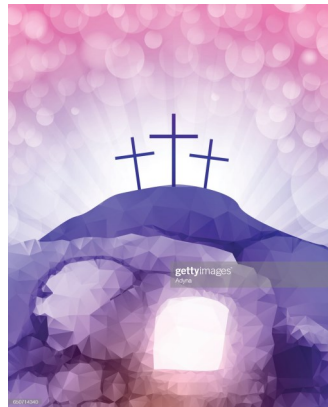
Psalm 118. 14-29

SECOND READING

Revelation 1. 4-8

GOSPEL

John 20. 19-31



TODAY'S MUSIC

Introit: Faith will not grow from words alone
(to Tallis' Cannon TiS 558)

Offertory: This joyful Eastertide TiS 381

Fraction anthem: The disciples knew the Lord Jesus

Mission Hymn: Shalom TiS 778

Zoom Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service

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

NOTICES

What's Coming Up

Sun 1st May	8:00am & 10:00am	Easter III
Sun 1st May	12:00pm	Pub lunch
Mon 2nd	1:00pm	Monday Circle
Mon 2nd	7:30pm	Faith issues discussion
Wed 4th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning prayer & meditation Wednesday service
Thur 5th	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team meeting
Sat 7th	8:00am	Meditation
Sat 7th	8:30am	Men's Breakfast
Sat 7th	12.45pm	World Labyrinth Day
Sun 8th	8:00am & 10:00am	Easter IV—Good Shepherd Sunday
Mon 9th	1:00pm	Monday Circle
Tue 10th	9:00 to 12:30pm	Anglicare Meeting—Blumes Fashion Parade
Wed 11th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning prayer & meditation Wednesday service
Wed 11th	2:00pm	SVCS Aged Care Service
Sat 14th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 15th	8:00am & 10:00am	Easter V

World Labyrinth Day

1pm May 7, 2022

St Margaret's Eltham
79-81 Pitt Street Eltham
Phone.94399238
www.stmargaretseltham.org.au

Gather at 12.45 for a short introduction. After walking the labyrinth we will finish with a reflection followed by light refreshments.

Follow signage to gathering spot

St Margaret's Anglican Church Eltham



Celebrating 160 years



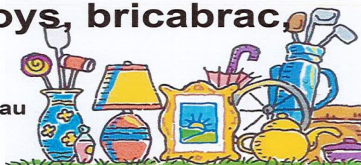
GARAGE AND GOODIES SALE

SATURDAY APRIL 30 2022

9am - 1pm

**Bargins galore. books, collectables,
homemade cakes, jams, toys, bricabrac
homeware etc. etc**

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NATIONAL RECONCILIATION WEEK 2022



Sorry Day

Thursday 26 May 2022

11am - midday

Alistair Knox Park

820 Main Road Eltham

**A special gathering for local
primary school leaders**

Student participation

Acknowledgements

Sorry Day statements

Reconciliation Walk

through the Park

Visitors Welcome

Supported by Nillumbik Shire Council
Vaccination status required



Party Time:

Keren's Farewell - Reminder. Service Sunday April 24, one service at 10.00 Followed by lunch.

- Please pass on your donation towards the present
- Please advise numbers and dietary requirements for lunch (sign-up sheet in the church foyer or RSVP to Parish Office 9439 9238)
- BYO drink (punch provided) Request donation towards food.

Garage and Goodies Sale

Another reminder to collect, plan, offer to help.

Drop off to the hall 3pm to 6pm Friday 29 April.

Start setting up 7.30am, Saturday 30 April.

No electrical goods.



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?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87390647541?pwd=OWlpakkzZFNsT2hwdFExbEFzSenFsZz09)

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

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.



Op Shop re-opening

The Combined Uniting Church & St Margaret's Op Shop is reopening on **Thursday 21 April** for the first time in two years. Opening times will be **Thursdays and Fridays from 10am to 4pm**.

Please consider joining the roster to work in the Op shop.

Contact Lyn Clements on 0412 198 210 or Jan Kerr on 0438 130 550.

Thanks
John Humann

Faith issues discussion

All parishioners and friends are welcome to a Faith Issues Discussion to be held Monday 2 May at 7.30pm in the church. Refreshments will follow.

The topic is **The Vodou Religion** and will be led by Geoff Sandy. Vodou (Voodoo) is an interesting and misunderstood religion. It is a synthesis of two main traditions - West African and Roman Catholicism. In Haiti it was created amongst the enslaved. It has about 60 million devotees worldwide.

Not to be missed. Plenty of lovely images.

Transport can be arranged.

Geoff Sandy MOB: 0434422768

Parish Office

Carolyn will be in the office next week on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday between 10 & 2:00pm.

ROSTER	24 April 2022 Easter II 10:00am	27 April 2022 Funeral for Betty Cooper 10:30am	1 May 2022 Easter III 8:00am
Celebrant	Keren Terpstra John 20. 19-31	Linda Fiske John 14. 1-6	Linda Fiske John 21. 1-19
Preacher Gospel	Keren Terpstra	Linda Fiske	Linda Fiske
Sacristan Assistant	Diana Warrell	N/A	Robert Brazenor
Liturgical Assistant	Adrienne Watson	N/A	Christine Winkett
Communion Assistants	N/A	N/A	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	Kevin Gillett Diana Warrell	N/A	Catherine Pearson
First Reading	Harry Watson Acts 5.27-32	N/A	John Winkett Acts 9. 1-6 (7-20)
Second Reading	David Pryor Revelation 1. 4-8	2 Corinthians 4.16— 5.10	Clive Noble Revelation 5. 6-14
Psalm	<i>Psalm 118. 14-29</i>	<i>Psalm 23</i>	<i>Psalm 30</i>
Intercessor	Robert Street	N/A	TBA
Morning Tea	Mitzi Tuke	Caterers	Avis Perrett
Banking	Kevin Gillett		John H
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	John Humann Rob Mackenzie		
Flowers	Jan Kerr		Jenny

1 May 2022 Easter III 10:00am	4 May 2022 Wednesday 10:30am
Linda Fiske John 21. 1-19	Linda Fiske John 6. 35-40
Linda Fiske	Linda Fiske
Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	N/A
Annette Street	N/A
N/A	N/A
Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	Jennifer Constantine
Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate Acts 9. 1-6 (7-20)	Rae Kerr Acts 8. 1-8
Josephine Ball Revelation 5. 6-14	N/A
<i>Psalms 30</i>	<i>Psalms 66. 1-8</i>
Liz Pryor	N/A
Lyn Clements	
ummann	
Sandra Brown-Holt Mandy Stevens	
Disney	



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What is it with meditation? Can silence and directed attention help us
'put on the mind of Christ'?
with Dr Petrina Barson

**Sunday 24th April 2022 from 3:00pm to 5.00pm at
Ewing Memorial Centre of Stonnington Uniting Church
Cnr of Burke Road & Coppin Street, Malvern East
Our first physical face to face meeting for 2022**

The meeting will also be live streamed via zoom for those unable to
attend physically

Event Zoom Link

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82617542800?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82617542800?pwd=V0pjWVlKYkIEb0UzbGQySVNvYllYZz09)

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Open by Clicking link while holding control key, or cut and paste into your
browser

(If needed, the Meeting ID is 826 1754 2800 and Passcode is 467500)

*"Can anything good ..
come from a storm? "*



*"you learn to love yourself
and others who are struggling"
said the horse.*

Image : Charlie Mackesy

Funeral—Betty Cooper

A memorial service will be held for Betty Cooper on Wednesday 27th April at 10.30am. This will be followed by morning tea in the hall.

Anglicare News

- **Fashion Parade**

MAY 10th Blumes fashions will be coming to the church with their winter clothes collection.

10 am to 12.midday.

\$5 for coffee and lots of raffles.

- **DONATIONS of food and knitted rugs and beanies.**

Thanks to all parishioners and supporters of the people cared for by Anglicare. Six boxes of foods, 4 boxes of knitting and 6 boxes of 'lightly used clothing' have been collected and will be distributed. All very much appreciated.

Jenny

Welcome

Welcome to Carolyn Jung who is now working in a permanent part-time capacity replacing Jen. Carolyn has been helping in the office since December and we're so glad she's able to be with us in an on-going way.

Carolyn's hours will be Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 10am—2pm (16 hours per week). Carolyn is happy to help out, please be aware that with less hours she won't be as available as Jen was.

Carolyn lives in South Morang with her husband Peter, and children Elijah, Isaac and Hannah.



Prayer 2022 - Following Jesus

God give us grace:

**to seek after you with all our hearts,
to desire to know you with our minds,
to love you not for fear of loss
or hope of gain**

but for yourself alone.

Send us out that we may be

your hands of healing,

your voice of hope,

and your blessing for those around us.

Amen.



Prayer Chain

**For any prayer
requests**

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