



Pew Sheet 17 September 2023

Pentecost XVI

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 16th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 17th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XVI
Sun 17th	4:30pm — 6:00pm	FaithFull Women (Show and Tell)
Mon 18th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues
Tue 19th	1:30pm	Memory Care Café
Wed 20th	9:00am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Thur 21st	9:00am	Thursday discussion group (online)
Sat 23rd	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 24th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XVII
Sun 24th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize prayers

Hearing Loop

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



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

Both today's psalm and the alternative canticle remind us of the Easter Vigil where the Church celebrates the exodus of the Israelites from Egypt. This miracle is the focus of the Jewish Passover. The Psalmist tells us that God is powerful enough to have turned the 'rock into a pool of water and the flintstone into a welling spring'. If we look, we can find those times where God has caused miracles to happen in our own lives. There are probably times, if we look carefully enough, when God has done something miraculous for our country. Let us all be attentive this week to see where we can find God's miracles in our own lives, among our friends and families and within Australia.

- Lord, help me to find miracles, both big and small, in the world.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Korea, the Daehan Seong Gong Hoe.



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WORSHIP 17/9/2023 - PENTECOST XVI

SENTENCE

If you, O Lord, should note what we do wrong, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

Psalm 130.3-4

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God,
you call your Church to witness that in Christ
we are reconciled to you:
help us so to proclaim the good news of your love,
that all who hear it may turn to you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Exodus 14. 19-31

TODAY'S PSALM

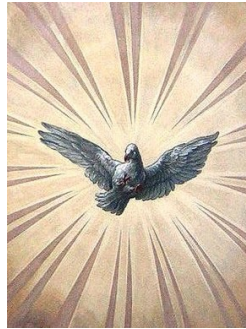
Psalm 114

SECOND READING

Romans 14. 1-14

GOSPEL

Matthew 18.21-35



TODAY'S MUSIC

Introit: The strife is o'er—TiS 367

Offering: I come with joy—TiS 533 to tune 485

Communion Hymn: Holy, holy holy my heart—TiS 723

Mission Hymn: You shall go out with joy—TiS 755 (8.00am)

YouTube Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCU8zWevMdRslRq70IA6MUlg/live>

NOTICES

What's Coming Up

Sun 24th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XVII
Sun 24th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize prayers
Mon 25th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Parish Council meeting
Wed 27th	9:00am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Thur 28th	9:00am	Thursday discussion group (online)
Sat 30th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 1st October	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XVIII (Baptism of Patrick McConnell at the 10.00am service)
Sun 1st	12:00pm	Pub lunch
Mon 2nd	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues Discussion
Tue 3rd	1:30pm	Memory Care Cafe
Wed 4th	9:00am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Thur 5th	9:00am 1:00pm	Thursday discussion group (online) Pastoral Care Team meeting
Sat 7th	8:00am 8:30am	Meditation Men's Breakfast
Sun 8th	10:00am	Blessing of the Animals Service (one service only)

Prayer of the Week



O God,
without you we are not able to please
you:
mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit
may in all things direct and rule our
hearts;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Image : Charlie Mackesy

"Be patient with
yourself."



Shouting at a flower
won't make it bloom."

FaithFull Women

Mitzi will be leading our FaithFull Women
this Sunday 17th September, 4.30pm.

Time to pause: Show and Tell

An opportunity for women to bring sym-
bols to share that represent the ways that their own reflective
practices are nourishing for their spirits and lead them to crea-
tivity and/or action.

Led by Mitzi Tuke

Sunday 17 September from 4.30-.6pm in the Church



Parish Office

The Parish office will be open next week Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 10.00am to 2.00pm. (Office closed Wednesday and Friday).

Thursday morning Discussion Group

Linda's prayer group will be studying a new book

**'Silence & Honey Cakes' (Rowan Williams) at the weekly
9.00am Thursday morning on-line Discussion Group.**

Linda would love to see some new faces join, so feel free to join on zoom at the below link.

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87390647541?
pwd=OWlpakgzZFNsT2hwdFExbEFSenFsZz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87390647541?pwd=OWlpakgzZFNsT2hwdFExbEFSenFsZz09)

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

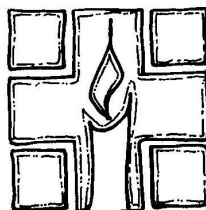
Transport

We are conscious that some of our family have difficulty coming to church. If you need a lift, if you are willing to provide transport the Pastoral Care Committee is willing to help. Please contact me. Reminder, this service is definitely available for the Installation of our new Vicar and St Margarets Day.

Sally Petty, Transport Coordinator! 0407543532

Baptism

Please pray for Patrick Anthony James McConnell. This child will be baptised during the 10.00am service on Sunday 1st October 2023.



ROSTER	17 September 2023	17 September 2023	20 September 23
	Pentecost XVI	Pentecost XVI	Wednesday
	8:00am	10:00am	10:30am
Celebrant	Linda Fiske	Linda Fiske	Rev Taplin
Preacher Gospel	Linda Fiske Matthew 18.21-35	Linda Fiske Matthew 18.21-35	Rev Taplin Luke 7.31-35
Sacristan Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Jan Gack	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Geoff Sandy	N/A
Communion Assistants	Coralie Carew Neil Andrewartha	Tony Michaelson Jan Kerr	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	John Winkett	Roger Alcock	Jill Rogers
First Reading	Robert Brazenor Exodus 14.19-31	Liz Pryor Exodus 14.19-31	TBA 1 Timothy 3.14-16
Second Reading	Coralie Carew Romans 14.1-14	Geoff Sandy Romans 14.1-14	N/A
Psalm	<i>Psalm 114</i>	<i>Psalm 114</i>	<i>Psalm 111.1-6</i>
Intercessor	Felicity Wiltshire	Linda Mackenzie	N/A
Morning Tea	Coralie Carew	Jan Kerr	Jill Rogers
Banking	Rob Mackenzie		
Zoom/Ppt Cameras		Sandra Brown-Holt Mandy Stevens	
Flowers	Liz Pryor		

ROSTER	24 September 2023	24 September 2023	27 September 23
	Pentecost XVII	Pentecost XVII	Wednesday
	8:00am	10:00am	10:30am
Celebrant	Rev Taplin	Rev Taplin	Rev Taplin
Preacher Gospel	Rev Taplin Matthew 20.1-16	Rev Taplin Matthew 20.1-16	Rev Taplin Luke 9.1-6
Sacristan Assistant	Sally Petty	Diana Warrell	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Sally Petty	Julia Urwin	N/A
Communion Assistants	Catherine Pearson	Angela Langan David Pryor	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	Jo Norman	Kevin Gillett Diana Warrell	Margaret Charles & Margaret Alexander
First Reading	Peter Wiltshire Exodus 16.2-15	David Tuke & Mitzi Tuke Exodus 16.2-15	Barbara Alexander Ezra 9.5-9
Second Reading	Barbara Speed Philippians 1	David Pryor Philippians 1	N/A
Psalm	<i>Psalm 105.1-6, 37-45</i>	<i>Psalm 105.1-6, 37-45</i>	<i>Psalm 119.97-104</i>
Intercessor	Barbara Speed	Robert Street	N/A
Morning Tea	Helen Coutts	Mitzi Tuke	Jennifer Constantine
Banking	Kevin Gillett		
Zoom/Ppt Cameras		John Humann Rob Mackenzie	
Flowers	Barbara Speed		

St Margaret's Anglican Church Eltham



Celebrating 160 years

BLESSING *all Animals*

8 October 2023 at 10AM

St, Margaret's mudbrick hall

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Speaker

Sandra Verdam

Who will talk about

Companion Dogs

ALL WELCOME

Come

*With or
without
your pet*

*Sandra
with her
Companion
Dog Jip*



FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION

All parishioners and friends are invited to Faith Issues Discussion Monday 18 September 2023 at 7.30pm in the church. Refreshments will follow.

The discussion will be led by Mandy Stevens on **Power** ..

It is part of the *Gender Equality and Respect bible series* also offered elsewhere. It aims to help us reflect on God's intention for equality and for us to treat each other with respect, with a particular focus on gender equality. This session looks at redemption and explores how inequality between men and women is not part of God's plan. We are called to follow Jesus' example and bring restoration and transformation in society. It addresses a very topical and important topic given the scourge of domestic violence.

Grace and peace
Geoff Sandy
MOB: 0434422768

Group spiritual direction

I'm thinking of leading a small group for spiritual direction. This would be a safe space where through contemplation, deep listening and respectful sharing we might support each other in exploring our life and faith, noticing and sustaining the sacred elements of our everyday lives. We would meet one morning a month for an hour and a half. If you are interested could you please contact me, Chris Winkett on 0407047999 or chriswinkett@gmail.com

Memory Care Café Dates

1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month from 1.30pm to 3.00pm

SEPTEMBER (19)

OCTOBER (3 & 17)

NOVEMBER (21st only)

closed 7th due to Melbourne Cup holiday)

DECEMBER (5 & 19)



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Eltham Memory Care Cafe

**The
Dementia
Centre.**

HammondCare 
As an independent Christian charity,
HammondCare champions life.

*A presentation at the café during Dementia Week
(18-24 Sept)*

**Tom Gauci will introduce the
Staying at Home Program**

Tuesday 19 September

1.30pm- presentation 45 minutes

Tom will also introduce Local Providers of
the program.

All Carers Welcome

Pew Sheet Notice

Changing the service broadcast link to YouTube

To improve the quality of our 10 AM service broadcast, it has been necessary to upgrade the system that has been used to date and in doing so we have now subscribed to YouTube for the broadcasting of our services.

Effectively, this means that anyone with the link will be able to view our services at any time, thus making our services and the way St. Margaret's shares the word of God available to a much broader audience.

It also means that Zoom will no longer be used and the link that has been used to date, will not work.

To access our service, the link to YouTube and all future service broadcasts is; <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCU8zWevMdRslRq70IA6MUIq/live>


This will take you directly to the St. Margaret's YouTube page and you will be able to access the service as soon as the service goes "Live".

We trust that you find this new process easy to operate, that the sound quality is significantly improved and that you and your families, wherever they are, will be able to enjoy our Services at St. Margaret's the way that they are intended.



Grace

Go before us, O Lord, in all our doings
with your most gracious favour,
and assist us with your continual help;
that in all works, begun, continued and ended in
you,
we may glorify your holy name,
and finally by your mercy
obtain everlasting life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.



Prayer Chain

For any prayer
requests

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