



Pew Sheet 5 November 2023 All Saints / All Souls Day

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 4th	8:00am	Meditation
	8:30am	Men's Breakfast
Sun 5th	8:00 & 10:00am	All Saints/All Souls Service
Sun 5th	11.30am	Singing practice
Sun 5th	12:00pm	Pub lunch
Mon 6th	1:00pm	Monday Circle
	7:30pm	Faith Issues Discussions
Wed 8th	9:00am	Morning Prayer
Thur 9th	9:00am	Thursday discussion group (online)
Sat 11th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 12th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XXIV
Sun 12th	9:30am	Linda's Farewell
Sun 12th	11:30am	Singing practice

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

All of humanity is blessed by God and many are called saints. The readings for today give some of their characteristics: purity, persistence in the trials of life, worship of God; and the Gospel expands this to include those who are poor, who mourn, are meek, hungry, merciful, peacemakers and persecuted. All of us are children of God and live in God's love now. Yet there is more to come!

- God, grant me a foretaste of what I am to expect in the fullness of life with you.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of Province of South-East Asia



Hearing Loop

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



Parish Office

The Parish office will be open only 3 days next week due to Public holiday on Tuesday. **The office will be open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10.00am to 2.00pm**

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Email: parishoffice@stmargaretseltham.org.au, Tel: 9439 9238

Locum Priest in charge : Rev Dr Linda Fiske lindalfiske@gmail.com Tel: 0408 561 964

WORSHIP 5/11/2023—ALL SAINTS / ALL SOULS

SENTENCE

Those who have clean hands and pure hearts, who do not lift up their souls to what is false; they will receive blessing from the Lord, and vindication from the God of their salvation.

Psalm 24.4, 5

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Eternal God,
neither death nor life can separate us from your love:
grant that we may serve you faithfully here on earth,
and in heaven rejoice with all your saints
who ceaselessly proclaim your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Revelation 7.9-17

TODAY'S PSALM

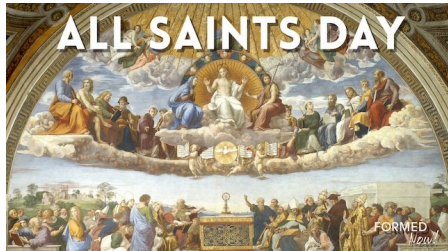
Psalm 34.1-10, 34.22

SECOND READING

1 John 3.1-3

GOSPEL

Matthew 5.1-12



TODAY'S MUSIC

Introit: For all the saints—TiS 455 (8.00am)

Act of Remembrance Hymn: Nothing can Trouble TiS 739

Offering: Nothing is lost on the breath of God

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

Mission Hymn: Shout for joy the Lord has let us feast—TiS 545

YouTube Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service

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

NOTICES

What's Coming Up

Sun 12th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XXIV
Sun 12th	9:30am	Linda's Farewell
Sun 12th	11:30am	Singing practice
Mon 13th	1:00pm	Monday Circle
Wed 15th	9:00am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Thur 16th	9:00am	Thursday discussion group (online)
Thur 16th	7:30pm	Service of Institution—Rev Yvette Daniel
Sat 18th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 19th	10:00am	St Margaret's Day service (combined service)
Sun 19th	11:00am	Annual Meeting
Sun 19th	12:30pm	St Margaret's Day lunch
Sun 19th	4:30— 6:00pm	FaithFull Women
Mon 20th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues Discussions
Tue 21st	1:30pm— 3pm	Memory Care Cafe
Wed 22nd	9:00am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Sat 25th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 26th	8:00 & 10:00am	Christ the King
Sun 26th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize service

Prayer of the Week



God our Father,
whose will it is to bring all things
to order and unity in our Lord Jesus Christ:
may all the peoples of the world,
now divided and torn apart by sin,
be brought together under his sovereign rule of love:
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION

All parishioners and friends are invited to the next Faith Issues Discussion on Monday 6 November in the church at 7.30pm.

We welcome a visitor Alison, who is Valerie and Michael Tucker's daughter. Alison is a Nurse Practitioner at the Maroondah Hospital. She spent a month recently in the war zone that is Ukraine. She was with the Samaritan Purse a Christian organisation. It has an office in Sydney and operates throughout America. Alison will tell us of her work in Ukraine and something of the situation as she found it. Something not to be missed.

Please make every effort to attend as it is a rare opportunity to hear of this wonderful work in a conflict area

As usual refreshments will follow the presentation/ discussion.

A contribution is most welcome.

Transport can be arranged.

Geoff Sandy MOB: 0434422768

Singing Practice

There will be singing practice at 11.30am (following the 10.00am service) for the next 2 Sundays to practice for Rev Yvette's Service of Institution on 16th November. Dates for the practices are

- Sunday 5th November, 11.30am
- Sunday 12th November, 11.30am

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

PASSCODE: 676564

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

Parish Matters—November edition

Please forward your submissions or stories to include in the Parish Matters to Sally Petty by Monday 6th November 2023.

Memory Care Café Dates

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



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NOVEMBER (21st only)

closed 7th due to Melbourne Cup holiday)

DECEMBER (5 & 19)

Pub lunch

Everyone is welcome to join our Pub lunch at 12.00pm this Sunday 5th November.

Please order meals, drinks, dessert and coffees at the bar.

Sincere thanks

Jennifer

ROSTER	5 November 2023 All Saints / All Souls 8:00am	5 November 2023 All Saints / All Souls 10:00am	8 November 2023 Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Linda Fiske	Linda Fiske	Linda Fiske
Preacher Gospel	Linda Fiske Matthew 5.1-12	Linda Fiske Matthew 5.1-12	Linda Fiske Luke 14.25-33
Sacristan Assistant	Barbara Speed	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Christine Winkett	Miti Tuke	N/A
Communion Assistants	John Winkett	Adrienne Watson Mabs Jones	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	Catherine Pearson	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	Jennifer Constantine
First Reading	John Winkett Revelation 7.9-17	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate Revelation 7.9-17	Michael Tucker Romans 13.8-10
Second Reading	Clive Noble 1 John 3.1-3	Geoff Sandy 1 John 3.1-3	N/A
Psalm	<i>Psalm 34.1-10, 22</i>	<i>Psalm 34.1-10, 22</i>	<i>Psalm 112.1-6</i>
Intercessor	Clive Noble	Liz Pryor	N/A
Morning Tea	TBA	Anna Mott	Jenny Disney
Banking	John Humann		
Zoom/Ppt Cameras		Rob Mackenzie Sandra Brown-Holt	
Flowers	Mandy Stevens		

ROSTER	12 November 2023 Pentecost XXIV 8:00am	12 November 2023 Pentecost XXIV 10:00am	15 November 23 Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Linda Fiske	Linda Fiske	Linda Fiske
Preacher Gospel	Linda Fiske Matthew 25.1-13	Linda Fiske Matthew 25.1-13	Linda Fiske Luke 17.11-19
Sacristan Assistant	Coralie Carew	Mabs Jones	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Coralie Carew	Mitzi Tuke	N/A
Communion Assistants	Kathleen Toal	Sylvia Gilbert Sandra Brown-Holt	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	Mary Lynton-Moll	Roger Alcock Harry Watson	Jill Rogers
First Reading	Helen Coutts Joshua 24.1-3a, 14-25	Mitzi Tuke Joshua 24.1-3a, 14-25	TBA Wisdom 6.1-11
Second Reading	Mary Lynton-Moll 1 Thessalonians 4.9-18	Melissa Quintarelli 1 Thessalonians 4.9-18	N/A
Psalm	<i>Psalm 78.1-7</i>	<i>Psalm 78.1-7</i>	<i>Psalm 82</i>
Intercessor	Coralie Carew	Sandra Brown-Holt	N/A
Morning Tea	Mary Lynton-Moll	Linda Mackenzie	Jill Rogers
Banking	David Pryor		
Zoom/Ppt Cameras		Mandy Stevens Val Tucker	
Flowers	Angela Langan		

St Margaret's Parish Annual Meeting

Sunday 19th November 2023 at 11:00am following
combined service at 10:00am

Updating of Electoral Roll.

Electoral Roll: The updated Electoral Roll will be displayed for 14 days prior to the Annual meeting on 19th November.

Annual Meeting Reports: Annual meeting reports are currently being compiled by Carolyn in the Parish office to be distributed on Sunday 12 November.

Nominations for Vestry, Wardens, and Incumbency Committee are now invited and must be received by the Vicar by 2:00pm on Wednesday 8th November. Forms available in the foyer.

Baptism

Please pray for Caiden Flavelle-Smith. This child will be baptised on Saturday 4th November 2023.



Baptism

Please pray for Rory Bennett. This child will be baptised on Saturday 18th November 2023.



Mary L-M—Leave

Mary returns from leave on November 7th. During this time the hall and bookings will be looked after by Carolyn and Sally P.

Please send any enquiries to Carolyn who will process them in conjunction with Sally.

Barbara Speed has very kindly offered to look after the Prayer Chain—her details are on the back of the Pew Sheet.

Help with morning tea at 8 am would also be greatly appreciated.

Many thanks, Mary

Upcoming Dates for the Diary

1. **Sunday 12th November, 9.30am**

Rev Linda's Farewell (between 2 services) - Please contribute to thank you to Revd Linda, and join between services at 9.30am. Please give donations to a warden or put in envelope well marked.

2. **Thursday 16th November, 7.30pm—**

Welcome Revd. Yvette at her Service of Institution.

3. **Sunday 19th November, (nb. one service at 10.00am)**

St Margaret's Day starts at 10.00 Eucharist followed by **Annual Meeting** then **superb lunch**. Booking needed. \$20.00 per head for lunch. Guaranteed fun!

Please sign the sheet in the foyer letting us know you are coming. Envelopes there also for your \$20. If you pay by the Tap and Go, we need to know you have done so.

Box in the meeting room, labelled Vicar's Pantry for Yvette.

Thanks

Sally Petty.





**The Centre for Spirituality
of Care and Community**

WARMLY INVITES YOU TO

The 5th Roy Bradley Oration 2023

TO BE DELIVERED BY

Dr Anne Pattel-Gray



A Deep Sense of the Sacred

Australia's First Nations Spirituality and Connection to Country

Sunday 12th November 2023 2pm (AEDT) Online via Zoom

RSVP by 8 November 2023 to secretary@ccoc.org.au

A zoom link will be sent by Friday 14 October. This is a free event; donations are appreciated.

Professor Dr Anne Pattel-Gray will explore Australia's First Nations Spirituality, Culture and Ancestral Narratives of the Creator's actions and interaction with Aboriginal peoples by defining the Creator's relationship within our understanding and worldview. The responsibility and generosity of care to family, community and Country will also be explored.

Anne Pattel-Gray PHD DD, is Professor of Indigenous studies and Inaugural head of the School of Indigenous Studies at the University of Divinity and a member of the Uniting Church. She is an esteemed theologian, doctor of Philosophy, accomplished author, activist and advocate for the rights of Indigenous People.

Professor Pattel-Gray is a renowned Aboriginal leader nationally and internationally and a descendant of the Bidjara Karikari people of Queensland. She has held numerous leadership and consultancy roles in various organisations including the World Council of Churches, Gurukul Theological Seminary, Harvard University, and Otago University. Professor Pattel-Gray has achieved many firsts in her distinguished career.

In 1995, she was the first Aboriginal person to be awarded a PhD by the University of Sydney and the first Aboriginal person published by Oxford University Press in 1998 with *The Great White Flood: Racism in Australia*.

"What do you think brought
us so close together?"



"The storm" said the
horse

Image : Charlie Mackesy



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

Barbara Speed

bryanspd1@optusnet.com.au

or 0409 235 670

(Mary will be away until early November)

