



Pew Sheet 25th February 2024

Lent II

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 24th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 25th	8:00 & 10:00am	Lent II
Sun 25th	5:30pm	Taize meal
	6:30pm	Taize service
Mon 26th	1:00pm	Monday Circle
	7:30pm	Parish Council
Wed 28th	9:30am	Morning Prayer
	10:30am	Wednesday Service
Fri 1st March	10:00am — 12:00pm	The Kings Speech study group
Sat 2nd	8:00am	Meditation
	8:30am	Men's Breakfast
Sun 3rd	8:00 & 10:00am	Lent III
Sun 3rd	12:00pm	Pub lunch

Parish Office

The Parish office will be open next week Monday, Tuesday Thursday and Friday 10am to 2pm (closed Wednesday)

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

There is Abraham and Sarah in the retirement village when God totally disrupts their plans. It's never too late to act in faith. Abraham and Sarah are such extraordinary examples of faithfulness that St Paul refers to them in his letter to the Romans as a model of faith. When it comes to faith there is no retirement age.

- We pray for older people that their faith may be an inspiration to all.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Central Africa.



Hearing Loop

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

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Vicar: Revd. Yvette Daniel revdyvette@stmargaretseltham.org.au, Tel. 0439 035 741 (day off Thur)

WORSHIP 25TH FEBRUARY 2024— LENT II

SENTENCE

If you want to become a disciple of Jesus, deny yourself, take up your cross, and follow him. *Mark 8.34*

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of all times and places,
in Jesus Christ, who was lifted up on the cross,
you opened for us the path to eternal life:
grant that we,
being born again of water and the Spirit,
may joyfully serve you in newness of life
and faithfully walk in your holy ways;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Genesis 17.1-7, 15-16

SECOND READING

Romans 4. 13-25

TODAY'S PSALM

Psalm 22. 24-32

GOSPEL

Mark 8. 31-38

TODAY'S MUSIC

Welcome Hymn: At the Name of Jesus—TiS 231

Offertory: Make me a channel of your peace—TiS 607 (8.00am)

Communion: Kyrie Eleison—TiS 736 (unaccompanied)

Mission Hymn: Will you come and follow me—CH 533



Image : Charlie Mackesy

YouTube Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCU8zWevMdRsIRq70IA6MUIg/live>

Prayer of the Week



Lent II

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;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

" Sometimes your mind plays
tricks on you. It can tell you
you're no good, that it's all
hopeless. But remember this,
You are
loved,
and important, and you bring
to this world things no one
else can. So hold on "

Image : Charlie Mackesy

Parish Directory

We are currently updating the 2024 St Margaret's Directory to be distributed to Parishioners. Please contact the Parish office either by email parishoffice@stmargaretseltham.org.au with any changes that haven't been previously advised. Equally, if you are new to the Parish please complete a Welcome form available in the Church foyer, or speak to Revd. Yvette.

Please note that by including your details in the St Margaret's Directory you are giving your implied permission for people to have your contact details. As St Margaret's Church, we have no authority as to what individuals do with that information. Should you wish for your details to be removed from the Parish Directory please let either Revd Yvette or the Parish Office know by 28th February 2024.

Lent - Sign up sheet

There is a list in the foyer for you to indicate if you will be attending the Lenten study. This will help in deciding if we need more than one discussion group on the Friday mornings .

Thank you in advance, Revd Yvette

NOTICES

What's Coming Up

Mon 4th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues Discussion group
Tue 5th	1:30pm	Memory Care Café
Wed 6th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 6th	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team meeting
Fri 8th	10:00am— 12:00pm	The Kings Speech study group
Sat 9th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 10th	8:00 & 10:00am	Lent IV
Mon 11th		Labour Day (public holiday)
Wed 13th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Fri 15th	10:00am— 12:00pm	The Kings Speech study group
Sat 16th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 17th	8:00 & 10:00am	Lent V
Sun 17th	4.30— 6.00pm	FaithFull Women

FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION

All parishioners and friends are welcome to the next Faith Issues Discussion to be held in the church at 7.30pm Monday 4 March. Refreshments will follow, The discussion is titled ***Prayer Meditation Mindfulness and Sleep***. It will be led by Marcus Watson. Sounds intriguing. Everyone welcome.

Geoff Sandy

Memory Care Café dates

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

MARCH 5 & 19



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Taize Service

The next Taize monthly service will be on Sunday 25th February. A simple meal will be provided at 5:30pm followed by Taizé prayer at 6:30pm.

All welcome.



Preventing Violence against Women

The Anglican Diocese of Melbourne is running a Round Table discussion event on Faith Communities and Preventing Violence against Women. This will be held on March 8th, 10am to 1pm at St Michael's, North Carlton. All are invited to attend. Details are on the flyer attached.

There is a cost of \$20 to attend and the registration link is found on the flyer and here: <http://bit.ly/registerPVAW>

Nillumbik Climate Month

Nillumbik Climate Action Team is hosting "Nillumbik Climate Month" over the weekends 2 and 3 March and 16 and 17 March. Registrations are open for a compelling series of speakers on a range of climate and environment related topics from "Positive Everyday Climate-wise Choices" to "Healing Land and Sea". For the complete program and to register for whichever session or sessions interest you, go to: <https://www.trybooking.com/eventlist/nillumbikclimatemonth>

Lenten poem

This week during lent, I invite you to reflect on this beautiful poem by 16th century English poet George Herbert.

Go well this week.

Revd Yvette

Love George Herbert

LOVE bade me welcome; yet my soul drew back,
 Guilty of dust and sin.
But quick-eyed Love, observing me grow slack
 From my first entrance in,
Drew nearer to me, sweetly questioning
 If I lack'd anything.
'A guest,' I answer'd, 'worthy to be here:'
 Love said, 'You shall be he.'
'I, the unkind, ungrateful? Ah, my dear,
 I cannot look on Thee.'
Love took my hand and smiling did reply,
 'Who made the eyes but I?'
'Truth, Lord; but I have marr'd them: let my shame
 Go where it doth deserve.'
'And know you not,' says Love, 'Who bore the blame?'

The Melbourne Staff Band presents Symphonic Sounds 2024

The Melbourne Staff Band joins with the Royal Australian Navy Band Melbourne for a great afternoon of music.

Saturday 2nd March 2024 @ 4:00pm

The Salvation Army Waverley Temple

958 High Street Road

Glen Waverley

Tickets - Adults \$20, Children Under 16 \$5 - available online via <https://www.trybooking.com/COVMD>

The Kings Speech study group

Hello everyone. From the outset I wish to apologise for not being able to give you a choice of times and days of the week as hoped for. In the end I have had to take my lead from the hall availability.

24 of you have registered your interest which is amazing; but I am aware your attendance is dependent on the when.

The groups will meet on Fridays at 10am – midday.

Commencing on February 24th for 5 weeks.

- **Friday 23rd February**
 - **Friday 1st March**
 - **Friday 8th March**
 - **Friday 15th March**
 - **Friday 22nd March**

As pilgrims together, I look forward to journeying alongside you this lent. Peace be with you.

Revd Yvette

Piano

I'm looking for a new home for my parent's piano. Would the Church or one of your congregation be interested? We're giving for free but the receiver would need to cover moving costs. It's currently in Hawthorn. This is a lovely piece of furniture with the timber work in excellent condition. Please contact the Parish office for more details on 9439 9238.

Gillian Lazenby, Genius Wellbeing Yoga & Pilates

Anglicare

What a wonderful response to the plea to help Anglicare care for the sick and unemployed!

Over the last three weeks 27 jars of pasta sauces, 34 packets of pasta and 20 cans of vegetables and beans have been donated by people coming to church.

In addition two bags of new men's clothing, three large boxes of Lego and a large jigsaw puzzle have been added to the collection.

With one week now to go with this appeal the caring attitude of St Margaret's parishioners has really been shown.

Jenny Disney

ROSTER	25 February 2024 Lent II 8:00am	25 February 2024 Lent II 10:00am	28 February 24 Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel
Preacher Gospel	Rev. Yvette Daniel Mark 8.31-38	Rev. Yvette Daniel Mark 8.31-38	Rev. Yvette Daniel Matthew 20.17-28
Sacristan Assistant	Sally Petty	Diana Warrell	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Sally Petty	Adrienne Watson	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	Catherine Pearson Genesis 17.1-7, 15-16	Harry Watson Genesis 17.1-7, 15-16	Barbara Alexander Jeremiah 18.18-20
Second Reading	Barbara Speed Romans 4.13-25	Roger Alcock Romans 4.13-25	
Psalm	<i>Psalm 22.24-32</i>	<i>Psalm 22.24-32</i>	<i>Psalm 31.1-5</i>
Intercessor	Barbara Speed	Robert Street	N/A
Morning Tea	Helen Coutts	Mitzi Tuke	Jennifer Constantine
Banking	Kevin Gillett		
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	Felicity Wiltshire	Mandy Stevens Liz Pryor	
Flowers	Lent		

ROSTER	3 March 2024 Lent III 8:00am	3 March 2024 Lent III 10:00am	6 March 24 Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel
Preacher Gospel	Rev. Yvette Daniel John 2.13-22	Rev. Yvette Daniel John 2.13-22	Rev. Yvette Daniel Matthew 5.17-19
Sacristan Assistant	Barbara Speed	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Coralie Carew	Mitzi Tuke	N/A
Communion Assistants	Catherine Pearson	Adrienne Watson Mabs Jones	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	Catherine Pearson	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	Jenny Disney
First Reading	Clive Noble Exodus 20.1-17	Mabs Jones Exodus 20.1-17	Barbara Alexander Deuteronomy 4.1, 4-9
Second Reading	Clive Noble 1 Corinthians 1.18-25	David Tuke 1 Corinthians 1.18-25	
Psalm	<i>Psalm 19</i>	<i>Psalm 19</i>	<i>Psalm 147.12-20</i>
Intercessor	Clive Noble	Geoff Sandy	N/A
Morning Tea	Coralie Carew	Anna Mott	Margaret Charles & Margaret Alexander
Banking	John Humann		
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	Felicity Wiltshire	John Humann Rob Mackenzie	
Flowers	Lent		

FAITH COMMUNITIES AND PREVENTING VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

A Round Table



SPEAKER

DR. AYRA INDRIAS PATRAS

FORMAN CHRISTIAN COLLEGE, LAHORE



SPEAKER

PROF. CATHY VAUGHAN

UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE



SPEAKER

KERRY LEWIS & SARAH ARULIAH

PVAW TEAM (ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF MELBOURNE)



MARCH 8TH, 2024
10 AM - 1 PM

ST MICHAEL'S
NORTH CARLTON, VIC

Register Now!

\$20 per person

<http://bit.ly/registerPVAW>

SCAN TO REGISTER



EVENT IS FOLLOWED BY LUNCH & NETWORKING
INVITING ALL CHURCHES AND FAMILY VIOLENCE ORGANISATIONS

CONTACT DETAILS: [KLEWIS@MELBOURNEANGLICAN.ORG.AU](mailto:klewis@melbourneanglican.org.au)

preventing
violence
against
women
program

A MELBOURNE ANGLICAN INITIATIVE

COMMUNITY FOOD AID FESTIVAL

Sunday 25th February 2024

11am to 3pm

EDENDALE FARM

30 GASTONS RD

ELTHAM

*Visit the many community
groups who work in
Nillumbik and Banyule
to provide food support
for those who need it*

**FREE ENTRY. live music, kids activities,
food truck and more**

edendale@nillumbik.vic.gov.au



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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