



## Pew Sheet 4th February 2024 Epiphany V

### WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 3rd	8:00am	Meditation
Feb	8:30 am	Men's Breakfast
Sun 4th	8:00 & 10:00am	Epiphany V
Sun 4th	12:00pm	Pub Lunch
Mon 5th	12:00pm	Monday Circle
	7:30pm	Faith Issues
Tue 6th	1:30—3:00pm	Memory Care Café
Wed 7th	9:30am	Morning Prayer
	10:30am	Wednesday Service
	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team meeting
Sat 10th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 11th	8:00 & 10:00am	Last after Epiphany—Transfiguration
Sun 11th	11:30am	Choir practice

### 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.

### Prayer of the Week

#### Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

Father of all,  
who gave your only-begotten Son  
to take upon himself the form of a servant  
and to be obedient even to death on a cross:  
give us the same mind that was in Christ Jesus,  
that, sharing in his humility,  
we may come to be with him in his glory;  
where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
**Amen.**



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# WORSHIP 4TH FEBRUARY 2024—EPIPHANY V

## SENTENCE

Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles.

*Isaiah 40.31*

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Saving God,  
whose Son, Jesus Christ, healed the sick  
and brought them wholeness of body and mind:  
inspire us, his disciples,  
so that we may constantly proclaim his gospel  
by our words  
and by the dedication and integrity of our lives;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## FIRST READING

Isaiah 40. 21-31

## SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 9. 16-23

## TODAY'S PSALM

Psalm 147. 1-11

## GOSPEL

Mark 1. 29-39

## TODAY'S MUSIC

**Opening Hymn:** Sing Out, Earth and Skies—TiS 181

**Offertory:** Dear Father, Lord of humankind—TiS 598

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

**YouTube Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service**

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

## ABM PEW REFLECTIONS

### Healing Hands

Our hands can be used for many things, including healing and prayer. Dr Ben Carsons is a brilliant and renowned neurosurgeon with *Gifted Hands*, but without the love of his mother and her faith in him, his life would have been very different.

Without Jesus using his hands for healing and prayer, Simon's mother-in-law and those who are sick or possessed by demons would not have been healed of the things that afflicted them.

How can we use our hands to bring comfort and healing to others? How can we use our hands for prayer?

In the words from *Jesus' hands were kind hands* by Margaret Cropper, "Take my hands, Lord Jesus, let them work for you ... till my hands are kind hands, quick to work for you."

- Pray for all who use their hands to bring healing and wholeness to others or to pray for others.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Myanmar.

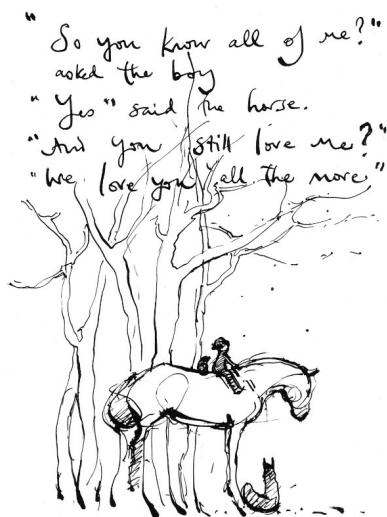


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### Parish Office

Carolyn has returned from leave and will be in the office next week Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 10am to 2pm (closed Wednesday).

A huge thankyou to Mary for going above and beyond over the Christmas and January period.

# NOTICES

## What's Coming Up

Mon 12th Feb	1:00pm	Monday Circle
Wed 14th Feb	Ash Wednesday	Services
Sat 17th	8:00am 2:00pm	Meditation The Kings Speech Lenten Film Night (ish)
Sun 18th	8:00 & 10:00am	Lent I
Sun 18th	4:30pm	FaithFull Women— Starting a Holy Pilgrimage
Mon 19th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues Discussion
Tue 20th	1:30pm	Memory Care Café
Wed 21st	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Fri 23rd	10:00am— 12:00pm	The Kings Speech study group
Sat 24th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 25th	8:00 & 10:00am	Lent II
Sun 25th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize service

### Monday Circle

Monday Circle will resume Monday 5th February. Look forward to seeing you all there. Barbara.

## **FaithFull Women**

There is a very exciting year coming up for FaithFull Women.

The Program will be out shortly for all to see and pass on.

Please put the third Sunday of the month in your diaries from 4:30—6:30pm , in the church.

The first session will be Feb 18th and will be a gathering at the Yarning Circle followed by a Labyrinth walk led by Judy Scott & Mandy Stevens.

## **Home Communion**

### **Ministry request**

Do you have a pastoral heart?

Is holy communion at the core of your spirituality?

Have you ever been interested in administering home communion to our church community in their homes?

For some of you it may seem like a daunting ministry; but you will be alongside a small team who support each other.

I will offer training, and you will be able to shadow a member of the team until you feel confident enough to step out by yourself.

If you wish to find out more, please feel free to contact me.

With thanks

Revd Yvette

## **Pub lunch Sunday 4th February**

Everyone welcome to join at our Pub Lunch this Sunday 4th February, at 12:00 pm .

## **Choir Practice**

Just to let everyone know that there will be a choir practice on **Sunday 11th February at 11.30 am** . We will be no longer than half an hour .

I look forward to seeing you then.

With thanks ,

## **Anglicare**

Hello church family.

During the month of February – I would be grateful if we could prioritise donating the following to Anglicare-

### **Dried pasta and noodles and pasta sauce**

Jenny Disney had identified this is a current need. If goods are placed in the red collection bucket inside the church foyer – Jennifer will gladly take the food to them on a weekly basis.

Thank you all in advance.

Revd Yvette

## **Memory Care Café dates**

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

**FEBRUARY 6**

**FEBRUARY 20**



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Don't forget to be a friend on our Facebook page .

All our latest events are publicised there. Sharing these with your friends will make our church grow.

## **FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION**

All parishioners and friends are invited to the first Faith Issues Discussion for 2024. It is on Monday 5 February at 7.30pm in the church. Light refreshments follow. All are welcome. Transport can be arranged.

The discussion will be about ***David, King of Israel***. He is regarded as a prophet by the Orthodox, Catholic and Anglican communions. It will be led by Geoff Sandy. Notes with reflective questions, for the discussion, can be obtained by contacting

Geoff: MOB: 0434422768

## **Meeting Room in Hall area**

This meeting room is occasionally used for meetings but also used by hall hirers if they are celebrating a major event.

It is also likely we will need to use this meeting room for storage, while Dendy House is repaired. I

It would be very much appreciated if everything that is in there at the moment can be removed so we have as much available space as

## **Sacristans, LA, & Communion assistants**

Dear sacristans, liturgical assistants, and communion assistants!

Soon (February) I will be hosting some awareness raising sessions for your ministries so that we are aware of our own and each other's roles and responsibilities. It will include information for the 'chorography' and 'setting up' for the Wednesday 10.30am and both Sunday services.

There is some preparatory work I will need to complete first – so watch this space! as dates will be published in the pew sheets and mentioned in the notices.

In addition, if you sense that you can no longer commit to this ministry, I will be grateful if you let Harry Watson or myself know so that we can plan for 2024.

We would welcome new people too.

Peace and all good

Revd Yvette

<b>ROSTER</b>	<b>4 February 2024 Epiphany V 8:00am</b>	<b>4 February 2024 Epiphany V 10:00am</b>	<b>7 February 24 Wednesday 10:30am</b>
<b>Celebrant</b>	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel
<b>Preacher Gospel</b>	Rev. Yvette Daniel Mark 1.29-39	Rev. Yvette Daniel Mark 1.29-39	Rev. Yvette Daniel Mark 7.14-23
<b>Sacristan Assistant</b>	Barbara Speed	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	N/A
<b>Liturgical Assistant</b>	Christine Winkett	Mitzi Tuke	N/A
<b>Communion Assistants</b>	John Winkett	Adrienne Watson Mabs Jones	N/A
<b>Greeters &amp; Sides People</b>	Catherine Pearson	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	Jenny Disney
<b>First Reading</b>	John Winkett Isaiah 40.21-31	Mabs Jones Isaiah 40.21-31	Barbara Alexander 1 Kings 10.1-10
<b>Second Reading</b>	Clive Noble 1 Corinthians 9.16-23	David Tuke 1 Corinthians 9.16-23	
<b>Psalm</b>	<i>Psalm 147.1-11</i>	<i>Psalm 147.1-11</i>	<i>Psalm 37.35-40</i>
<b>Intercessor</b>	Clive Noble	Geoff Sandy	N/A
<b>Morning Tea</b>	Coralie Carew	Anna Mott	Margaret Charles & Margaret Alexander
<b>Banking</b>	John Humann		
<b>Zoom/Ppt Cameras</b>	Felicity Wiltshire	Sandra Brown-Holt John Humann	
<b>Flowers</b>	Liz Pryor		



<b>ROSTER</b>	<b>11 February 2024 Last Sunday after Epiphany Transfiguration 8:00am</b>	<b>11 February 2024 Last Sunday after Epiphany Transfiguration 10:00am</b>	<b>14 February 24 Ash Wednesday 10:30am</b>
<b>Celebrant</b>	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel
<b>Preacher Gospel</b>	Rev. Yvette Daniel Mark 9.2-9	Rev. Yvette Daniel Mark 9.2-9	Rev. Yvette Daniel Matthew 6.1-6, 16-21
<b>Sacristan Assistant</b>	Coralie Carew	Jan Gack	N/A
<b>Liturgical Assistant</b>	Coralie Carew	Julia Urwin	N/A
<b>Communion Assistants</b>	Kathleen Toal	Sylvia Gilbert Sandra Brown-Holt	N/A
<b>Greeters &amp; Sides People</b>	Mary Lynton-Moll	Roger Alcock Harry Watson	Jennifer Constantine
<b>First Reading</b>	Mary Lynton-Moll 2 Kings 2.1-12	Adrienne Watson 2 Kings 2.1-12	Michael Tucker Joel 2.1-2, 12-17
<b>Second Reading</b>	Barbara Speed 2 Corinthians 4.3-12	Jan Kerr 2 Corinthians 4.3-12	
<b>Psalm</b>	<i>Psalm 50. 1-6</i>	<i>Psalm 50. 1-6</i>	<i>Psalm 51.1-17</i>
<b>Intercessor</b>	Coralie Carew	Sandra Brown-Holt	N/A
<b>Morning Tea</b>	Mary Lynton-Moll	Linda Mackenzie	Jenny Disney
<b>Banking</b>	David Pryor		
<b>Zoom/Ppt Cameras</b>		Rob Mackenzie Mandy Stevens	
<b>Flowers</b>	Jan Kerr		

# **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 24<sup>th</sup> for 5 weeks.**

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March**

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March**

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March**

Nearer the time I will ask who can attend.

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

Peace be with you.

Revd Yvette

## LENTEN STUDY 2024

# The Kings Speech Lenten Film Night (.... ish)

What a fantastic response to the Lenten study this year- thank you!

On Saturday, **17<sup>th</sup> February at 2pm**, we will be showing the film in the church hall.

**Everyone** is invited whether you have registered your interest for the study group or not. Please feel free to bring family and friends along with you.

It would be a wonderful way for us to gather as a church family and share time outside of our Wednesday and Sunday services.

There will be teas and coffees provided – along with ice-cream and popcorn during the interval!

I am aware that some of you may intend to give up all sweet treats for lent (not just chocolate)– so feel free to abstain – no pressure.

Looking forward to seeing you there

Peace and all good

Revd Yvette



## 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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or 0412 512 416