



## Pew Sheet 21 April 2024 Easter IV

### WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 20th April	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 21st	8:00 & 10:00am	Easter IV
Sun 21st	4:30pm	FaithFull Women
Mon 22nd	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Parish Council
Wed 24th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Sat 27th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 28th	8:00 & 10:00am	Easter V
Sun 28th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize service

### Parish Office

The Parish office will be open next week Monday, Tuesday, and Friday 10am to 2pm (closed Wednesday and Thursday. Thursday is Anzac Day (public holiday).

### 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

As we follow Jesus, we go with him to the synagogue to hear his teaching as he reveals wisdom and authority. We see Jesus answer cries to be made whole as unclean spirits depart obeying the Holy One of God. We walk with Jesus and continue to grow in knowledge that we may speak the words of God.

- Lord, help us to move beyond words to actions. Amen.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Episcopal Church in South Sudan.



### Hearing Loop

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



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# WORSHIP 21ST APRIL 2024— EASTER IV

## SENTENCE

'I am the good shepherd,' says the Lord. 'I know my own and my own know me.' *John 10.14*

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Jesus, good shepherd of the sheep,  
by whom the lost are sought  
and guided into the fold:  
feed us and we shall be satisfied,  
heal us and we shall be whole,  
and lead us that we may be with you,  
where you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## FIRST READING

Acts 4. 5-12

## TODAY'S PSALM

*Psalm 23*



## SECOND READING

1 John 3. 16-24

## GOSPEL

John 10.11-18

## TODAY'S MUSIC

**Welcome Hymn:** Gather us in - TIS 474

**Offertory:** How sweet the name of Jesus sounds – TiS 223 (tune 485)

**Fraction Anthem:** The disciples knew the Lord Jesus

**Communion Hymn:** The Lord is Risen—Taize 40

**Mission Hymn:** O For A Thousand Tongues – TiS 210 (8.00am)

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

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

## Prayer of the Week



God of peace,  
who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus,  
the great shepherd of the sheep,  
through the blood of the everlasting covenant:  
make us perfect in every good work to do your will,  
and work in us that which is well-pleasing in your sight;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## Parish Directory

The Parish Directory has now been printed, and will be available in the Church Foyer at our Worship services on Wednesday and Sunday. Should you require a copy to be sent, please contact the Parish Office. We cannot email the directory for privacy reasons.

## Memory Care Café dates

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

**MAY** 7, 21

**JUNE** 4, 18

**JULY** 2, 16



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## FaithFull Women

**21 APRIL, 2024. 4.30-6PM**

## Knowing the Holy: Practicing the Presence of God



What does this mean for us? Does it mean remembering God, or what we name God, more in our lives? Or connecting more with God? We will reflect on this with music and poems.

**Led by: Christine Winkett at St. Margaret's Church**

# NOTICES

## What's Coming Up

Sun 28th April	8:00 & 10:00am	Easter V
Sun 28th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize service
Mon 29th	1:00pm	Monday Circle
Wed 1st May	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Sat 4th	8:00am 8:30am	Meditation Men's Breakfast
Sat 4th	12:45pm for 1:00pm	World Labyrinth Day walk
Sun 5th	8:00 & 10:00am	Easter VI
Sun 5th	12:00pm	Pub lunch
Mon 6th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues Discussions
Tue 7th	1:30pm	Memory Care Café
Wed 8th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 8th	1:00pm 2:00pm	Pastoral Care Team meeting (Vestry) Book Club
Sat 11th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 12th	8:00 & 10:00am	Easter VII / Sunday after Ascension

## Introducing the Home Communion Team

Home Communion (also known as Sick Communion) is part of a church community's regular pattern of pastoral care in which authorised or licensed lay or ordained ministers take communion to individuals in their homes or care facility.

When church members and other parishioners cannot attend a service in church through illness or other incapacity St Margaret's home communion team will take church to them!

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome two new members of the team; Sandra Brown-Holt and Barbara Speed whilst thanking Helen Robertson, Harry Watson, Chris Winkett and Adrienne Watson for their long standing ministry in this area.

We are now in the process of comprising a list of communicates. If you or your loved one would welcome home communion, I would be grateful if you could let the office know or myself by **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April please**. Communicates may either require this ministry short term or long term- but if it is not for yourself, please ask permission first.

**NB.** If you or someone you care for is unwell in hospital – I will gladly attend the hospital to offer prayer and anointing.



Peace and all good

Revd Yvette

## Morning Tea Roster

Thankyou to those who have volunteered to help with our Morning Tea rosters. There is room for a few more people on the rosters, so please consider if you are able to help out.

If you are interested, please speak with Coralie in the next few weeks so that a new rota can be drawn up for the month of May onwards.

Thankyou.

<b>ROSTER</b>	<b>21 April 2024 Easter IV 8:00am</b>	<b>21 April 2024 Easter IV 10:00am</b>	<b>24 April 24 Wednesday 10:30am</b>
<b>Celebrant</b>	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel
<b>Preacher Gospel</b>	Rev. Yvette Daniel John 10.11-18	Rev. Yvette Daniel John 10.11-18	Rev. Yvette Daniel John 12.44-50
<b>Sacristan Assistant</b>	Robert Brazenor	Jan Gack	N/A
<b>Liturgical Assistant</b>	Robert Brazenor	Geoff Sandy	N/A
<b>Communion Assistants</b>	Coralie Carew Neil Andrewartha	Tony Michaelson Jan Kerr	N/A
<b>Greeters &amp; Sides People</b>	John Winkett	Diana Warrell	Margaret Charles & Margaret Alexander
<b>First Reading</b>	David Greenfield Acts 4.5-12	David Pryor Acts 4.5-12	Barbara Alexander Acts 12.24-13.5
<b>Second Reading</b>	Sally Warner 1 John 3.16-24	Sandra Brooks 1 John 3.16-24	
<b>Psalm</b>	<i>Psalm 23</i>	<i>Psalm 23</i>	<i>Psalm 67</i>
<b>Intercessor</b>	Felicity Wiltshire	Linda Mackenzie	N/A
<b>Morning Tea</b>	Sally Warner	Anna Mott & Sandra Brooks	Jennifer Constantine
<b>Banking</b>	Rob Mackenzie		
<b>Zoom/Ppt</b>	Felicity Wiltshire	Mandy Stevens Val Tucker	
<b>Flowers</b>	Sandra Brown-Holt		

<b>ROSTER</b>	<b>28 April 2024 Easter V 8:00am</b>	<b>28 April 2024 Easter V 10:00am</b>	<b>1 May 24 Wednesday 10:30am</b>
<b>Celebrant</b>	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel	Rev. Yvette Daniel
<b>Preacher Gospel</b>	Rev. Yvette Daniel John 15.1-8	Rev. Yvette Daniel John 15.1-8	Rev. Yvette Daniel John 14.6-14
<b>Sacristan Assistant</b>	Sally Petty	Mabs Jones	N/A
<b>Liturgical Assistant</b>	Sally Petty	Mitzi Tuke	N/A
<b>Communion Assistants</b>	Catherine Pearson	Angela Langan David Pryor	N/A
<b>Greeters &amp; Sides People</b>	Jo Norman	Kevin Gillett Diana Warrell	Jenny Disney
<b>First Reading</b>	Catherine Pearson Acts 8.26-40	David / Mitzi Tuke Acts 8.26-40	Barbara Alexander Isaiah 30.18-21
<b>Second Reading</b>	Barbara Speed 1 John 4.7-21	David Pryor 1 John 4.7-21	
<b>Psalm</b>	<i>Psalm 22.26-32</i>	<i>Psalm 22.26-32</i>	<i>Psalm 19.1-6</i>
<b>Intercessor</b>	Barbara Speed	Robert Street	N/A
<b>Morning Tea</b>	Helen Coutts	Mitzi Tuke & David Tuke	Margaret Charles & Margaret Alexander
<b>Banking</b>	Kevin Gillett		
<b>Zoom/Ppt</b>	Felicity Wiltshire	Rob Mackenzie Sandra Brown-Holt	
<b>Flowers</b>	Liz Pryor		

## Living the resurrection life

Our Gospel reading on Sunday was Luke 24.36b-48

While they were talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, “Peace be with you.” They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, “Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.” And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, “Have you anything here to eat?” They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence. Then he said to them, “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.” Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, “Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. (NRSV)

My sermon focused on verse 45 “then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures” - where I encouraged you to ponder the following:

How do you feel about scripture the bible?

- Is it something that excites you.
- Does it fill you with dread.
- Does it inspire you.
- Do you find it hard to engage with the bible.
- Do you even read the bible.





## Living the resurrection life (cont..)

2 Timothy tells us that “all scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for reproof, for correcting and for training in righteousness”.

This Eastertide I encourage you to read our **Holy Book**. Start small. Why not set yourself the goal of reading a Psalm a night or even one of the verses from the Book of Proverbs?

If you do not own a bible and wish to borrow one from church, there will be a few copies available for you to sign out and take home with you. They will be on the table in the church foyer along with the sign out sheet.

Enjoy!

Go well this Eastertide.

Revd Yvette



## Anzac Day

Dear Church.

As we all know Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April is Anzac Day.

From Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April – Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April at the back of church (underneath the *Eltham Honour roll*); there will be a small display with the opportunity to light a candle to mark this national day of remembrance for those who gave their all for all.

Revd Yvette



# WORLD LABYRINTH DAY MAY 4, 2024

WALK AS ONE AT 1PM  
FOR WORLD PEACE  
ALL WELCOME



WHERE: 79-81 PITT STREET ELTHAM (BEHIND ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH)  
MEET OUR FACILITATOR IN THE HALL BEFORE WE WALK (12.45PM)

FOR MORE INFORMATION: PHONE: 9439 9238  
WWW.STMARGARETSELTHAM.ORG.AU



## Edendale Farm Repair Café Survey

We are collecting community feedback around the feasibility of running a Repair Café at Edendale Farm. A Repair Cafe is a place where community volunteers help to repair items that community members bring in to repair. Repair Cafes are usually held monthly throughout the year. We want community members to get excited about it and to get on board to help create this community run initiative. Do you have 5-10min to share your feedback with us? If so please find a link to the survey here: [Edendale Farm Repair Cafe survey \(surveymonkey.com\)](https://www.surveymonkey.com)

If you have any questions feel free to ask.

Thanks and kind regards

**Karina King**

**Environmental Education Officer**

**Edendale Community Environment Farm**



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# MUSIC FOR A WARMING WORLD

Saturday 20 April 2024 at 7.30pm

Music for a Warming World is a unique eco-art fusion of music, visual imagery, science and culture performed by professional musicians that has inspired and delighted audiences around Australia.

It will make you laugh and perhaps even cry. It fosters understanding of climate change, promotes preparedness, and cultivates a sense of solidarity, strength and hope within our global community.

More information:  
[musicforawarmingworld.org](http://musicforawarmingworld.org)

To be held at Manningham Uniting Church & Community Centre, Wood Street, Templestowe.

**Tickets:**

\$20 adults, \$15 Concession, pre-booked students free. Refreshments included.

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## CHURCHES UNITE

MONDAY, 13 MAY - 7:30PM

DIAMOND VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH  
(309 DIAMOND CREEK RD, PLENTY)

"Where is God in all of this?" A combined churches event, bringing our griefs and hopes to a God who does not abandon us.



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me! 

This event will focus on women and children, in particular thinking and talking about **domestic violence** in Australia, **war in the Middle East**, and **human trafficking**.

These are confronting topics, but they will be handled with sensitivity.

Between each presentation there will be a liturgical prayer, and we will finish the evening with an action, a song, and the Lord's Prayer.

## Communication

Hello everyone.

Please don't forget to check out our website

<https://www.stmargaretseltham.org.au> and Facebook (Meta)page  
<https://www.facebook.com/stmargaretseltham/>

There is a lot more information on there than can be found in our weekly *pew sheet* and *Parish Matters* .

Information is updated on a regular basis by Mary and the team . If you would like something advertised on our Facebook page, please be in contact with Liz Pryor (Convenor of the Marketing & Communications Team ) or Mary Lynton -Moll ( Communications )

Revd. Yvette



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## FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION

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

Refreshments follow. Transport can be arranged.

The issue to be discussed is ***The Anglican Communion***. It will be led by myself. At Saint Margarets our faith is significantly impacted by The Anglican Communion. So we will discuss that aspect as well as What is it? When was it formed? Why was it formed? What are its distinctive characteristics? What does it do? Is it important to us? and much more

Please come. A special invitation to those who have never attended and those who have been a few times. Remember attendance at Faith Issues can be as frequent or infrequent as you like.

Each Discussion is stand-alone.

Grace and peace to all

**Geoff Sandy, Coordinator**

## Flowers in Memorial

Memorial Flowers this week (21st and 28th April)  
in loving memory of



- ◇ William Alfred Evans who died on 11<sup>th</sup> April 1995,  
father of Kathleen Toal; and
- ◇ Clifford Joseph Toal who died on 11<sup>th</sup> April 1999,  
father-in-law of Kathleen Toal.





## 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

Mary Lynton-Moll

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