St Margaret's Anglican Church Eltham

Pew Sheet 18th August 2024
Pentecost XIII

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sun 18th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XIII
Sun 18th	4:30pm	FaithFull Women
Mon 19th	1:00pm	Monday Circle
	7:30pm	Faith Issues
Tue 20th	10:30am	Spiritual Direction
	1:30pm	Memory Care Café
Wed 21st	9:30am	Morning Prayer
	10:30am	Wednesday Service
Sat 24th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 25th	8:00 & 10:00am	Vocations Sunday
Sun 25th	5:30pm	Taize meal
	6:30pm	Taize

Parish Office

The Parish office will be open next week Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 10am to 2pm.

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

Wisdom (and humility) cannot be earned or learned. To be deemed wise in God's eyes is the coming together of good choices in life – to live in the light of Christ, seeking always the understanding of God's will.

- Gracious God, may we give our love and life to you everyday, all our days.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Nippon Sei Ko Kai, the Anglican Church of Japan.

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Prayer of the Week

Almighty God,
you have given your only Son
to be for us both a sacrifice for sin
and also an example of godly life:
give us grace
that we may always thankfully receive
the benefits of his sacrifice,
and also daily endeavour to follow the
blessed steps of his most holy life;
through the same Jesus Christ our
Lord. **Amen.**

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Worship 18th August 2024— Pentecost XIII

Sentence

Jesus said, 'Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them.' *John 6.56*

Prayer of the Day

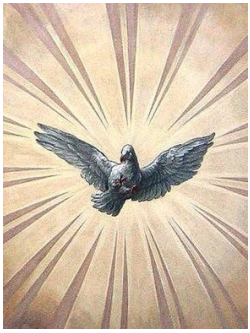
Everliving God,
your Son, Jesus Christ,
gave himself as living bread for the life of the world:
give us such a knowledge of his presence
that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life
to serve you continually;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in unity with the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

First Reading

1 Kings 2.10-12, 3.3-4

Today's Psalm

Psalm 111



Second Reading

Ephesians 5. 11-21

Gospel

John 6.51-58

Today's Music

Welcome Hymn: At the name of Jesus—TiS 231 (8.00am)

Offertory: The Servant King—TiS 256

Communion Hymn: Wait for the Lord—Taize 2

Mission Hymn: All creatures of our God and King—TiS 100

YouTube Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCU8zWevMdRsIRq70IA6MUlg/live

FaithFull Women

18 AUGUST, 2024. 4.30-6PM

Expressing the Holy: Art as Prayer

Have you ever experienced art as being in the moment, and prayer? Creativity through art or words can be explored and experienced as communing with the Divine. We will create some individual art prayers and group art prayer through a variety of media or writing. No experience required.

Led by: Judy Scott at St. Margaret's Church

FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION

All parishioners and friends are invited to **Faith Issues Discussion on Monday 19 August at 7.30pm** in the church.

Refreshments will follow. Do come.

Robert Street will lead a discussion on ***Lamentation*** especially the music.

We pray together regularly "for all sorts and conditions of men (and women), as the Book of Common Prayer puts it. We know all about these sorts and conditions, for we are among and like all those others. When we pray for them, we pray for ourselves……

The Psalms with few exceptions are not the voice of God addressing us. They are rather the voice of our own common humanity…..a voice that continues to have amazing authenticity and contemporaneity. It speaks about the way it really is, for the same issues and possibilities persist in those deeply human dimensions…..when we turn to the psalms, it means we enter into that voice of humanity and decide to take our stand with that voice….to express our solidarity in this anguished, joyous, human pilgrimage.. We add voice to the common elation, shared grief, and communal rage that besets us all.

NOTICES

What's Coming Up

Sun 25th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XIV
Sun 25th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize
Mon 26th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Parish Council Meeting (zoom)
Wed 28th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Sat 31st	8:00am	Meditation
Sat 31st	9:00am	Working Bee
Sun 1st September	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XV
Sun 1st	12:00pm	Pub lunch
Mon 2nd	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues Discussion
Tue 3rd	1:30pm	Memory Care Café
Wed 4th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 4th	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team meeting
Sat 7th	8:00am 8:30am	Meditation Men's Breakfast
Sun 8th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XVI
Sun 8th	3:00pm	September Music Concert

Preventing Violence Against Women

Love does no harm.

No one should live in fear of violence

St Margarets Church is signed up to Preventing violence against women program(PVAW)

If you have any concerns related to any form of abuse or controlling behaviour exhibited towards yourself or , someone you know – in an emergency call **000**

24 hr information hotline 1800 Respect- **1800 737 732**

Orange door – our local family violence service – **1800 319 355**

You can also speak with Mandy Stevens who is our church family safety champion or Revd. Yvette Daniel

Remember – You are not alone

St Margaret's Anglican Church Eltham

SEPTEMBER MUSIC CONCERT

3PM SUNDAY 8TH 2024 79-81 PITT ST. ELTHAM

followed by refreshments

FEATURING:

OPEN DOOR SINGERS

ORGAN SOLO

PIANO SOLO & DUET

HARP SOLO

Funds raised will be used to support St.Margaret's Music Scholarship fund.

$20 per person. Children Free

To Book:

Use the QR Code (active12/7/24)

or follow the link

https://www.trybooking.com/CSPPB

Ph. 9439 9238. www.stmargaretseltham.org.au

ROSTER	18 August 2024 Pentecost XIII 8:00am	18 August 2024 Pentecost XIII 10:00am	21 August 2024 Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Revd. Robert Street	Revd. Robert Street	Revd. Yvette Daniel
Preacher **Gospel**	Revd. Robert Street *John 6.51-58*	Revd. Robert Street *John 6.51-58*	Revd. Yvette Daniel *Matthew 20. 1-16a*
Sacristan **Assistant**	Robert Brazenor	Jan Gack	N/A
Liturgical **Assistant**	Robert Brazenor	Geoff Sandy	N/A
Communion **Assistants**	Neil Andrewartha	Tony Michaelson Sylvia Gilbert	N/A
Greeters & **Sides People**	John Winkett	Roger Alcock	Jill Rogers
First **Reading**	David Greenfield *1 Kings 2.10-12; 3.3-14*	David Pryor *1 Kings 2.10-12; 3.3-14*	Lorna Howard *Ezekiel 34. 1-11*
Second **Reading**	Sally Warner *Ephesians 5. 11-21*	Sandra Brooks *Ephesians 5. 11-21*	
Psalm	*Psalm 111*	*Psalm 111*	*Psalm 23*
Intercessor	Felicity Wiltshire	Geoff Sandy	N/A
Morning Tea	Sally Warner	Anna Mott Sandra Brooks	Jill Rogers
Banking	Rob Mackenzie		
Zoom/Ppt **Cameras**	Felicity Wiltshire	Liz Pryor Mandy Stevens	
Flowers	Memorial Flowers		

ROSTER	25 August 2024 Vocations Sunday 8:00am	25 August 2024 Vocations Sunday 10:00am	28 August 2024 Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Revd. Yvette Daniel	Revd. Yvette Daniel	Revd. Yvette Daniel
Preacher Gospel	Rev Peter MacPherson *John 1. 35-42*	Rev Peter MacPherson *John 1. 35-42*	Revd. Yvette Daniel *Matthew 23.27-32*
Sacristan Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Jan Gack	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Adrienne Watson	N/A
Communion Assistants	Catherine Pearson	Angela Langan Anna Mott	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	Jo Norman	Kevin Gillett	Margaret Charles & Margaret Alexander
First Reading	Catherine Pearson *Ester 4. 12-16*	Harry Watson *Ester 4. 12-16*	Barbara Alexander *2 Thessalonians 3.1-18*
Second Reading	Barbara Speed *Acts 6. 2-6*	Roger Alcock *Acts 6. 2-6*	
Psalm	*Psalm 139. 1-12*	*Psalm 139. 1-12*	*Psalm 128*
Intercessor	Barbara Speed	Robert Street	N/A
Morning Tea	Helen Coutts	Mitzi Tuke David Tuke	Jennifer Constantine
Banking	Kevin Gillett		
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	Felicity Wiltshire	John Humann Rob Mackenzie	
Flowers	Memorial Flowers		

Well done ……

As you will be aware, I set our church family a small challenge of reading the gospels in a month.

Well, one of you has done just that …Jennifer Willis! I know that a few more of you have decided to do this for yourself too …keep going everyone.

Peace and all good, Revd. Yvette

Lectionary 2025

Next year's Australian Lectionary will become available in September, and we will look to place an order in early September. Cost for the lectionary will be approx. $16.00 (payment can be made at time of delivery)

Please let Carolyn in the office know if you would like to purchase your own copy by the end of August.

Taize Service

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

All welcome.

Flowers in Memorial

Memorial Flowers this week in loving memory of Coralynne Joan Riley, mother of Coralie Carew.

If you didn't get a chance to try this in July, we encourage you to give it a go in August!

Read the Gospels in one month.

✓	Day	Passages to Read
	Day 1	Matthew 1-3
	Day 2	Matthew 4-6
	Day 3	Matthew 7-9
	Day 4	Matthew 10-12
	Day 5	Matthew 13-15
	Day 6	Matthew 16-18
	Day 7	Matthew 19-21
	Day 8	Matthew 22-24
	Day 9	Matthew 25-27
	Day 10	Matthew 28, Mark 1-2
	Day 11	Mark 3-5
	Day 12	Mark 6-8
	Day 13	Mark 9-11
	Day 14	Mark 12-14
	Day 15	Mark 15-16, Luke 1
	Day 16	Luke 2-4
	Day 17	Luke 5-7
	Day 18	Luke 8-10
	Day 19	Luke 11-13
	Day 20	Luke 14-16
	Day 21	Luke 17-19
	Day 22	Luke 20-22
	Day 23	Luke 23-24, John 1
	Day 24	John 2-4
	Day 25	John 5-7
	Day 26	John 8-10
	Day 27	John 11-13
	Day 28	John 14-16
	Day 29	John 17-19
	Day 30	John 20-21

Vocations Sunday 25th August

Recently, Bishop Kate invited all church leaders to consider inviting a curate**,** an ordination candidate, examining chaplain or other available clergy to preach in their parishes on Sunday 25th August, "Vocations Sunday".

Therefore, Revd. Peter MacPherson has been invited to preach alongside us here at St Margarets on Vocations Sunday – at the 8am and 10am; to which I am sure we all look forward to.

As we know all Christians are called to ministry. This might involve some form of ordained or licensed ministry in the church or responding to a wider vocation in a trade or profession. Whatever form it takes, the local Christian community should energise people's desire to use their gifts to serve God in the world. This means that all of us have a responsibility to encourage one another to be attentive to God's call and to affirm each other's gifts.

Bishop Kate wrote "Remember, at some stage in your journey, you heard God's voice calling you. I hope that Vocations Sunday will provide others with that same space and opportunity."

On Vocations Sunday – this is also an opportunity for all of us to give thanks for those ministries that God has given to us and to pray for those we are discerning for themselves and others.

"For each one of us, there is only one thing necessary: to fulfil our own destiny, according to God's will, to be what God wants us to be."

— Thomas Merton, No Man Is an Island

Peace and all good

Revd. Yvette

Working Bee

I know we still have a building site but there are jobs we can do. Anyone free to join me for a general clean up but specifically pruning the plants in the Memorial Garden?

Sat Aug 31 at 9.00.

See you then.
Sally.

Memory Café dates

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

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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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