St Margaret's Anglican Church Eltham

Pew Sheet 22 September 2024
Generosity Sunday

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 21st	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 22nd	8:00 & 10:00am	Generosity Sunday (Commitment Sunday)
Mon 23rd	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Parish Council meeting (zoom)
Wed 25th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Sat 28th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 29th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XIX
Sun 29th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize Meal Taize service

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

What are you afraid to ask God for? As Jesus explained to the disciples He already knows about your worries, be accepting of this, just as children are.

In our prayer we reflect on the woman from Proverbs who has strength and dignity on her clothing, opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue.

Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Myanmar.

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Hearing Loop

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

Address: 79-81 Pitt Street Eltham Vic 3095
Email: parishoffice@stmargaretseltham.org.au, Tel: 9439 9238
Vicar: Revd. Yvette Daniel revdyvette@stmargaretseltham.org.au, Tel. 0439 035 741 (day off Thur)

Worship 22 September - Generosity Sunday

Prayer of the Day

God of grace, ever creating and restoring,
you breathe life into all things and embrace us with everlasting love;
help us to grow in awe and wonder to embody the spirit of gratitude
and to dream generous dreams; that, in gathering what we have,
we may graciously offer ourselves to accomplish what you will,
in Jesus Christ our Lord
Amen

First Reading

Psalm 136. 1-9, 23-26

Second Reading

2 Corinthians 9. 6-15

Gospel

Matthew 6. 19-33

Today's Music

Welcome Hymn: Let all creation dance—TiS 187 (8.00am)

Offertory: Yesu, Yesu, fill us with your love—TiS 640

Communion Hymn: Holy, holy, holy—TiS 723

Mission Hymn: Brother, sister let me serve you—TiS 650

YouTube Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service

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

Prayer of the Week

Loving Father,
whose Son Jesus Christ has taught us
that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters
we do also for him:
give us the will to be the servant of others as he was the servant of all,
who gave up his life and died for us,
and yet lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Generosity (Commitment) Sunday Service

22nd September 8am and 10am service.

Generosity Wednesday service 25th September 10.30am

"Our faith starts with the most generous gift of all – God's gift to us of life itself and new life and new hope in Jesus Christ. What we call 'generosity' is just our response to these great gifts….. Just like in the parable of the sower, where the seed that falls on good soil grows a crop a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown, we see that every generous act grows further generosity."

The Right Reverend Stephen Cottrell, Archbishop of York

Dear Church.

This week each one of us will be able to reflect on and maybe even reevaluate how we give to our church of St Margarets monetarily but also our gifts, talents and expertise.

For we are not just planting seeds to reap the rewards in our time but, we are 'Kingdom planting' here on earth – sewing seeds that generations to come will reap in our church community and beyond.

Peace and all good, Revd. Yvette

NOTICES

What's Coming Up

Sun 29th	8:00 & 10:00am	Pentecost XIX
Sun 29th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize Meal Taize service
Mon 30th	1:00pm	Monday Circle
Tue 1st October	1:30pm	Memory Care Café
Wed 2nd	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 2nd	1:00pm	Pastoral Care Team meeting
Sat 5th	8:00am 8:30am	Meditation Men's Breakfast
Sun 6th	8:00am 10:00am	Said Service Pet Blessing Service
Sun 6th	12:00pm	Pub lunch
Mon 7th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues Discussion
Wed 9th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Sat 12th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 13th	8:00am & 10:00am	Pentecost XXI

Gardening

Conlan from Gunns Gardening has done a terrific job tidying up around the place. Dr Dave also spent a huge amount of time weeding, Thankyou.

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 Parish Annual Meeting (AM)

Sunday 3rd November 2024 at 11:30am

Updating of Electoral Roll: We are currently updating our Electoral Roll prior to the Annual Meeting. You are only able to vote at the Annual Meeting if you are on the Electoral Roll. If you are unsure if you are an electoral member or need to update details please contact the Parish Office (parishoffice@stmargaretseltham.org.au or phone 9439 9238, so that Carolyn can update the electoral roll.

There is an application form which needs to be signed, to be added to the electoral roll, copies available in the church foyer. Once completed please give to Rev Yvette or Carolyn in the office, no later than Sunday 13th October.

Annual Meeting Reports: Reports from committees and working groups, to be included in the annual report for the AM should be submitted to the parish office no later than Sunday 6th October.

Nominations for Vestry, Wardens, and Incumbency Committee are now invited and must be received by the Vicar by 2:00pm on Wednesday 23rd October. Forms available in the foyer.

ROSTER	22nd September Generosity Sunday 8:00am	22nd September 24 Generosity Sunday 10:00am	25 September Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Revd. Yvette Daniel	Revd. Yvette Daniel	Revd. Yvette Daniel
Preacher Gospel	Rev Yvette Daniel *Matthew 6.19-33*	Rev Yvette Daniel *Matthew 6.19-33*	Revd. Yvette Daniel *Luke 9. 1-6*
Sacristan Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Diana Warrell	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Geoff Sandy	N/A
Communion Assistants	Catherine Pearson	Angela Langan Anna Mott	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	Jo Norman	Kevin Gillett Diana Warrell	Margaret Charles
First Reading	Coralie Carew *Psalm 136. 1-9, 23-26*	David Tuke & Mitzi Tuke *Psalm 136. 1-9, 23-26*	Barbara Alexander *Proverbs 30. 5-9*
Second Reading	Barbara Speed *2 Corinthians 9. 6-15*	David Pryor *2 Corinthians 9. 6-15*	
Psalm			*Psalm 119.97 -104*
Intercessor	Barbara Speed	Robert Street	N/A
Morning Tea	Helen Coutts	Mitzi Tuke David Tuke	Jennifer Constantine
Banking	Kevin Gillett		
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	Alan Coutts	Rob Mackenzie Liz Pryor	
Flowers	Liz Pryor		

ROSTER	29th September Pentecost XIX 8:00am	29th September 24 Pentecost XIX Sunday 10:00am	2 October Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Revd. Yvette Daniel	Revd. Yvette Daniel	Revd. Yvette Daniel
Preacher **Gospel**	Rev Yvette Daniel *Mark 9.38-50*	Rev Yvette Daniel *Mark 9.38-50*	Revd. Yvette Daniel *Luke 9.57-62*
Sacristan **Assistant**	Mary Lynton-Moll	Diana Warrell	N/A
Liturgical **Assistant**	Robert Brazenor	David Pryor	N/A
Communion **Assistants**	Kathleen Toal	Angela Langan Anna Mott	N/A
Greeters & **Sides People**	Sally Petty	Rob Mackenzie Roger Alcock	Jenny Disney
First **Reading**	David Greenfield *Esther 7.1-6,9-10,9.20-22*	Liz Pryor *Esther 7.1-6, 9-10; 9.20-22*	Barbara Alexander *Job 9.1-16*
Second **Reading**	Barbara Speed *James 5.12-20*	Rob Mackenzie *James 5.12-20*	
Psalm	*Psalm 124*	*Psalm 124*	*Psalm 88.8-15*
Intercessor	Sally Petty	Geoff Sandy	N/A
Morning Tea	Coralie Carew	Anna Mott	Margaret Charles
Banking	John Humann		
Zoom/Ppt **Cameras**	Mary Lynton-Moll	John Humann Liz Pryor	
Flowers	Jan Kerr		

Pet Blessing service

Sunday 6th October, 10am service

Hello everyone -our Pet blessing service is fast approaching.

This year you all will have a part to play!

Members of the Marketing and Communications team are in the process of developing a flyer which we would like you to post in the letter boxes of those for whom you know have Pets in your neighbourhoods – easy peasy right ?

It would be so lovely for folk to cross the threshold into our church for the first time.

Thank you in advance.

Revd. Yvette

We are our Lords' hands and feet

Dear church community.

A church members is needing accommodation.

She is a professional companion, carer and nanny. She is seeking a room in a home for 3 months, whilst she seeks something closer to town.

If you think you could help and wish to acquire more information, please contact the Parish office.

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You are invited to

A Pet Blessing Service

a thanksgiving celebration for our beloved pets, and for all they give us.

St. Margaret's Church
79-81 Pitt Street Eltham
Sunday October 6th at10am

Refreshments to follow a 40 minute service.
Please bring your pet, their beds, and favourite blanket so they are comfortable

ALL WELCOME

Memory Café dates

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

OCTOBER 1, 15
NOVEMBER 5 (Closed—Melbourne Cup Day)
NOVEMBER 19

FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION

All parishioners and friends are warmly invited to attend Faith Issues Discussion on Monday 7 October in a warmed church at 7.30pm. Refreshments will follow.

The topic is T***he Fruits of the Spirit (or Holy Spirit)***. They are Love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.

The discussion will be led by Geoff Sandy.

Grace and Peace

Edendale Farm

Edendale Farm is offering two sensory friendly farm visits in the school holidays, tailored to suit children with autism, or with sensory disability. The 45 minute activity costs $8 per person (no charge for parents or carers) and is suitable for all ages.

1. **Sensory Friendly Farm Tour**

When: Tuesday 24 September and Wednesday 2 October, 3:00pm - 4.00pm
Where: Edendale Farm, 30 Gastons Rd, Eltham 3095
Bookings essential: Sensory Friendly Farm Tour - Edendale Community Environment Farm

2. **Sensory Friendly Storytime and meet the animals**

When: Monday 21 October 2024, 11.00am - 12.00pm
Where: Edendale Farm, 30 Gastons Rd, Eltham 3095
Bookings essential: **Sensory Friendly Storytime and meet the animals**

Queries—Angela Clare—03 9433 3379 | 0438 277 428

2024 ANNUAL ARCHBISHOP'S DINNER

IN SUPPORT OF
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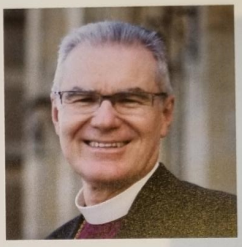
BUILDING OUR FUTURE APPEAL,
JOIN US FOR AUCTIONS, ENTERTAINMENT,
AND A THREE-COURSE DINNER WITH
ARCHBISHOP PHILIP AND HIS WIFE, JOY



WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2024

VENUE: Trinity College
100 Royal Parade, Parkville VIC 3052

TIME: **5.45 – 6.30pm** | Evensong
6.45 – 10.30pm | Dinner

DRESS: Lounge suit

RSVP: By Wednesday 6 November 2024

$110 per person
Scan the QR code or use the link to book dinner tickets, make a donation, place a silent auction bid or purchase raffle tickets – **trybooking.com/CTFEB**

ENQUIRIES: Briony O'Halloran
03 8341 0216 | events@trinity.unimelb.edu.au

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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

Mary Lynton-Moll

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