St Margaret's Anglican Church Eltham

Pew Sheet 11 May 2025
Easter IV

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 10th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 11th	8:00am & 10:00am	Easter IV
Sun 11th	4:30pm	Women of Spirit
Mon 12th	10:30am 1:00pm	Marketing & Communications Monday Circle
Tue 13th	4:00pm	Do Justice
Wed 14th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 14th	2:30pm	Book Club, Dendy House
Sat 17th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 18th	8:00am & 10:00am	Easter V

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

The religious authorities confront Jesus at the Temple, demanding that he tell them unequivocally whether or not he is the Messiah. Jesus doesn't play whatever game it is they want him to play and declares that he has clearly told them but they have not believed. The works that he has done have been in the Father's name but, despite that, they have not believed. They, he unequivocally tells them, are not of his flock.

- Lord, may I always remain one of your flock by following you wherever you lead me.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Melanesia.

ANGLICAN BOARD OF MISSION
Working for Love, Hope & Justice

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 11 May —Easter IV

Sentence

The Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes. *Revelation 7.17*

Prayer of the Day

Gracious God,
you sent Jesus, the good shepherd,
to gather us together:
may we not wander from his flock,
but follow wherever he leads us,
listening for his voice and staying near him,
until we are safely in your fold,
to live with you for ever;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First Reading

Acts 9.36-43

Today's Psalm

Psalm 23

Second Reading

Revelation 7.9-17

Gospel

John 10.22-30

Today's Music

Welcome Hymn: Gather us in—TiS 474

Offertory: How sweet the name of Jesus sounds—TiS 223 to tune TiS 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/UCU8zWevMdRsIRq70IA6MUlg/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.**

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 Francis Church , Newcastle upon Tyne comes to St Margarets , Eltham !!

Some of you may already know that Brian and Shiela Smith from my sending church will be joining us at our 10am service on Sunday – please give them a lovely St Margaret's welcome.

Every blessing

Yvette

NOTICES

What's Coming Up

Sun 18th	8:00am & 10:00am	Easter V
Mon 19th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues Discussions
Tue 20th	10:30am 1:30pm	Spiritual Direction Memory Care Café
Wed 21st	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Sat 24th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 25th	8:00am & 10:00am	Easter VI
Sun 25th	12:00pm	St Margaret's Excursion to the Gawa Trail
Sun 25th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize prayers
Mon 26th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Parish Council meeting
Wed 28th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Sat 31st	8:00am	Meditation
Sat 31st	1.30pm 2.00pm 3.00pm 3.30pm	Art viewing Expert panel Q&A Time to honour & support victims & survivors
Sun 1st June	8:00am & 10:00am	Easter VII / Sunday after Ascension
Sun 1st	12:00pm	Pub lunch

HOPE25

Hall Hire

For all hall hire enquiries please email
communications@stmargaretseltham.org.au
Or information can be found on the St Margaret's website.
www.stmargaretseltham.org.au

Parish Directory

Please keep your eye out for a slip of paper at Church which lists a change to our Parish Directory so that you can amend your copy at home. Thankyou.

An additional Finance Committee member needed could this be you??

To find out more please speak with Kathleen Toal

Memory Café dates

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

MAY **20**

JUNE **3, 17**

WOMEN OF SPIRIT **11th MAY, 4.30—6.00pm**

POETS AND POETRY

Poets and song writers use lyrics to voice the soul-truths of our human lives. Bring along a favourite piece of poetry to share. (Someone else can read it if you prefer).

Led by: Lyn Beattie

FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION

All parishioners and friends are welcome to Faith Issues Discussion on 19 May 2025 at 7.30pm in the church. The topic is ***The Orthodox*** and it will be led by myself.

The Orthodox is the second largest communion after the Roman Catholic Church. They have evolved in a different manner to western Christendom, to which we Anglicans belong. Despite this we share much in common with our Orthodox brothers and sisters. Come and learn more about how they express their faith, and in turn there is the possibility your faith will be enriched.

Refreshments as usual will follow the discussion.

Geoff Sandy

MOB: 0434422768

Diamond Creek Concert Series

Diamond Creek Concert Series presents Alexander Cui & Maria Wang.

Saturday May 17th @ 2.00pm

Diamond Creek Uniting Church, Wensley Street, Diamond Creek

Tickets $20/$15 (includes afternoon tea

Contact: gford@bigpond.net.au

Prayer at the time of choosing a Bishop

Eternal God, shepherd and guide,

in your mercy give your Church in this diocese a shepherd after your own heart

who will walk in your ways,

and in loving care watch over your people,

give us a leader of vision and a teacher of truth.

So may your Church be built up and your name glorified;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

As we prepare to elect a new Archbishop please continue to be praying for the Nomination Board in bringing names of candidates to the Electoral Synod.

ROSTER	11 May 2025 Easter IV 8:00am	11 May 2025 Easter IV 10:00am	14 May Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Rev Yvette Daniel	Rev Yvette Daniel	Rev Yvette Daniel
Preacher **Gospel**	Rev Yvette Daniel *John 10.22-30*	Rev Yvette Daniel *John 10.22-30*	Rev Yvette Daniel *John 12.44-50*
Sacristan **Assistant**	Coralie Carew	Mabs Jones	N/A
Liturgical **Assistant**	Coralie Carew	Mitzi Tuke	N/A
Communion **Assistants**	Kathleen Toal	Sylvia Gilbert Sandra Brown-Holt	N/A
Greeters & **Sides People**	Mary Lynton-Moll	Roger Alcock Harry Watson	Jennifer Constantine
First **Reading**	Sally Petty *Acts 9.36-43*	Sandra Brooks *Acts 9.36-43*	Michael Tucker *Acts 12.24-13.5*
Second **Reading**	Mary Lynton-Moll *Revelation 7.9-17*	Adrienne Watson *Revelation 7.9-17*	
Psalm	*Psalm 23*	*Psalm 23*	*Psalm 67*
Intercessor	Catherine Pearson	Sandra Brown-Holt	
Morning Tea	Mary Lynton-Moll	Linda Mackenzie Jan Gack	Jenny Disney
Banking	Kevin Gillett		
Music	Helen Coutts	Amelia Trinh	
Zoom/Ppt **Cameras**	Felicity Wiltshire	Rob Mackenzie Val Tucker	
Flowers	Mandy Stevens		

ROSTER	18 May 2025 Easter V 8:00am	18 May 2025 Easter V 10:00am	21 May Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Rev Yvette Daniel	Rev Yvette Daniel	Rev Yvette Daniel
Preacher Gospel	Rev Yvette Daniel *John 13.31-35*	Rev Yvette Daniel *John 13.31-35*	Rev Yvette Daniel *John 15. 1-8*
Sacristan Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Jan Gack	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Robert Brazenor	Geoff Sandy	N/A
Communion Assistants	Neil Andrewartha	Tony Michaelson Anna Mott	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	John Winkett	Roger Alcock	Jill Rogers
First Reading	Robert Brazenor *Acts 11.1-18*	Adrienne Watson *Acts 11. 1-18*	Lorna Howard *Acts 15.1-6*
Second Reading	Coralie Carew *Revelation 21.1-6*	Geoff Sandy *Revelation 21.1-6*	
Psalm	*Psalm 148*	*Psalm 148*	*Psalm 122*
Intercessor	Felicity Wiltshire	Linda Mackenzie	
Morning Tea	Sally Warner	Anna Mott Sandra Brooks	Jill Rogers
Banking	Rob Mackenzie		
Music	Helen Coutts	Jason Zeng	
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	Sally Warner	Sandra Brown-Holt Mandy Stevens	
Flowers	Sally Petty		

HOPE25

The Anglican Church of Australia is inviting each parish church to develop and deliver on an initiative HOPE25 with the subject of **Hope** being at its core. In response to the request, we at St Margarets Church have chosen to focus on.

VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN
LET'S STOP IT

The event will comprise of an **art exhibition** of works carried out by survivors of domestic violence and abuse and coercive and controlling along with a panel of expert guests who have in depth knowledge on this matter.

Please come along

Saturday, May 31st, St Margarets Church, 79-81 Pitt Street Eltham.

Commencing at 2PM – doors open at 1.30pm where art can be viewed

Panel of experts – 2pm-3pm

Q&A 3pm -3.30pm

A time to honour and support victims and survivors 3.30-4pm

LIGHT REFERSHMENTS AND FURTHER OPPORTUNITY TO VIEW THE EXHIBITION WHICH CLOSES AT 5.30pm

For further information phone: 9439 9238

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St Margarets Excursion to the Gawa Trail, Sunday 25 May

Do Justice will host an excursion to the Gawa Trail on Sunday 25 May to honour First Nations Reconciliation Week, which takes place every year from 27 May to 3 June.

The excursion will be a spiritually enriching experience for our church community as we journey to strengthen understanding and connection to First Nations peoples, and will be led by Lyn Beattie and Mitzi Tuke. We invite you to join us.

What:	The excursion will include: Reflection and deep listening, walk on the Gawa Trail, shared lunch afterwards at the trail
When:	Sunday 25 May 12.00pm - leave St Margaret's by bus, 3.30pm - return to St Margarets
Where:	The Gawa Trail, 873 Eltham-Yarra Glen Road, Watsons Creek
RSVP:	Put your name on the list in church foyer for transport on the bus
Bring:	Umbrella, water, fold up chair, a contribution to shared lunch (food will also be provided) Please wear closed walking shoes

Mitzi

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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