St Margaret's Anglican Church Eltham

Pew Sheet 29 June 2025
Peter and Paul, Apostles & Martyrs

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 28th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 29th	8:00am & 10:00am	Peter and Paul, Apostles & Martyrs
Sun 29th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize service
Mon 30th	1:00pm	Monday Circle
Tue 1st	10.00am	Warden's meeting
Wed 2nd	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 2nd	1.00pm	Pastoral Care team meeting
Fri 4th	10.00am - 12.00pm	Safe Ministry Training Refresher
Sat 5th	8:00am 8:30am	Meditation Men's Breakfast
Sat 5th	1.00-3.00pm	Safe Ministry Training Refresher
Sun 6th	8:00am & 10:00am	Pentecost IV
Sun 6th	12.00pm	Pub lunch

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

Today we celebrate the two great missionaries of the apostolic period. In the Gospel reading we see Jesus telling Peter to follow him – and Peter quibbling over the role of the Beloved Disciple. In the Epistle reading we see Paul at the end of his ministry, confidently declaring that God will grant him the crown of righteousness. He says, 'The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom.'

- Lord, may I follow you willingly and freely, and may I have confidence in being numbered among those in your heavenly kingdom.
- Give thanks for work and witness of the Nippon Sei Ko Kai, The Anglican Church of Japan

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Worship 29 June—Peter and Paul, Apostles & Martyrs

Sentence

Peter says to Jesus, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.'
John 21.17

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, whose apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their deaths as in their lives: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and knit together in unity by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First Reading

Acts 12.1-11

Today's Psalm

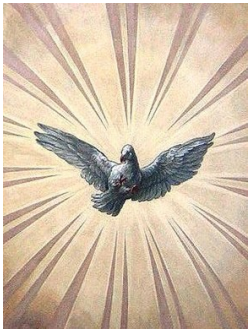
Psalms 34.1-10

Second Reading

2 Timothy 4.6-8, 17-18

Gospel

John 21.15-22



Today's Music

Welcome Hymn: Praise with joy the world's creator TiS 179 (8.00am)

Offertory: Come as you are—TiS 693

Communion Hymn: Eat this bread—TiS 714

Mission Hymn: There's a wideness in God's mercy—TiS 136

YouTube Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCU8zWevMdRsIRq70IA6MUlg/live

Prayer of the Week

O God,
who for our redemption
gave your only-begotten Son
to suffer death upon a cross,
and by his glorious resurrection
delivered us from the power of the enemy:
grant us so to die daily to sin
that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his resurrection;
through the same 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

Parish Office

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

Please note on Monday (30th June) Carolyn will be completing an online course and will not be available between 10am and 12pm. During these times the phone will not be answered, or emails responded to, but Carolyn will get back to you shortly thereafter.

NOTICES

What's Coming Up

Sun 6th	8:00am & 10:00am	Pentecost IV
Sun 6th	12.00pm	Pub lunch
Mon 7th	1:00pm 7:30pm	Monday Circle Faith Issues discussions
Tue 8th	4.00pm	Do Justice
Wed 9th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 9th	2:30pm	Book Club
Fri 11th	10.00am	Property Committee
Sat 12th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 13th	8:00am & 10:00am	Pentecost V
Sun 13th	4.30pm	Women of Spirit
Mon 14th	10.30am 1:00pm	Communications & Marketing Ctee Monday Circle
Tue 15th	10.30am 1.30pm	Spiritual Direction Memory Care Café
Wed 16th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 16th	1.30pm	Finance Committee
Sat 19th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 20th	8:00am &	Mary Magedalene

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

Memory Café dates

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

JULY **1, 15**

AUGUST **5, 19**

Hearing Loop

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

Taize Service

The next Taize monthly service will be on Sunday 29th June. A simple meal will be provided at 5:30pm followed by Taizé prayer at 6:30pm.

All welcome.

Messages/News on TV in foyer

You may have noticed the TV in our foyer which displays messages and news happening at St Margaret's. Thanks to Linda for putting this together.

If you have any news or functions that is needed to be advertised on the TV in the foyer of the Church, please email Linda Mackenzie (lindadawn50@gmail.com). You can send through the words, and a picture or two and Linda can arrange to get that setup.

Thankyou.

Winter initiative—Jumpers in June and July

Anglicare are running a 'Jumpers in June and July' collection. The greatest need for winter woollies is for 5- to 10-year-old children. You are invited to buy and donate a jumper for 'Jumpers in June and July'.

New acrylic jumpers are needed, and a basket will be set up in the narthex labelled 'Jumpers for June and July' and Jenny Disney will facilitate the collection for distribution to the children.

Last week Jenny arranged collection of 15 jumpers, 12 pairs of socks and some lightly used clothing. This week Jenny has collected 10 jumpers.

Thanks so much for your help.

Blessings, Barbara Speed

FAITH ISSUES DISCUSSION

All parishioners and friends are invited to the next Faith Issues Discussion on Monday 7 July at 7.30pm in the warmed church. The discussant leader David Tuke will lead on the topic ***Democracy in the Church.*** A fascinating issue.

Refreshments will follow the discussion.

Geoff Sandy: MOB 0434422768

1700th Anniversary of the Council of Nicaea

Join All Saints Church East St Kilda in marking the 1700th anniversary of the First Council of Nicaea, a foundational moment in Christian history. Convened in 325 AD, the Council affirmed the divinity of Christ and gave us the Nicene Creed—words we still proclaim today.

Evensong will take place on Sunday 6 July.

Please speak with **Julia Urwin , David and Mitzi Tuke** – to find out more information and possible car sharing !

'When we say the creed, we never say it alone or solely for ourselves – we join our voices with the communion of faith across the world and stretching through time.'

Hall hire—tables and chairs

A friendly reminder that we ensure the hall space is cleared from tables and chairs – except the small table outside the kitchen - after our Sunday services or activities during the week. This helps our hall hirers who use our hall during the week to be able to come into a clear space.

Two tables remain setup in the alcove. Any extra tables or chairs can be returned to the store room, not stacked in front of the cupboards in the alcove.

Thank you

Mary

ROSTER	29 June2025 Peter and Paul, Apostles & Martyrs	29 June 2025 Peter and Paul Apostles & Martyrs 10:00am	2 July Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Rev Yvette Daniel	Rev Yvette Daniel	Rev Yvette Daniel
Preacher Gospel	Rev Yvette Daniel *John 21.15-22*	Rev Yvette Daniel *John 21.15-22*	Rev Yvette Daniel *Matthew 8.28-34*
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	Jennifer Constantine
First Reading	Dawn Greenfield *Acts 12.1-11*	Liz Pryor *Acts 12.1-11*	Michael Tucker *Genesis 21.5, 8-20*
Second Reading	Barbara Speed *2 Timothy 4.6-8, 17-18*	Rob Mackenzie *2 Timothy 4.6-8, 17-18*	
Psalm	*Psalm 34.1-10*	*Psalm 34.1-10*	*Psalm 34.1-10*
Intercessor	Sally Petty Set intercessions	Geoff Sandy Set intercessions	
Morning Tea	Coralie Carew	Veronica & Michael Dobson	Jennifer Constantine
Banking	Kevin Gillett		
Music	Helen Coutts	Amelia Trinh	
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	Mary Lynton-Moll	Rob Mackenzie Liz Pryor	
Flowers	Sandra Brown-Holt		

ROSTER	6 July2025 Pentecost IV 8:00am	6 July 2025 Pentecost IV 10:00am	9 July Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Rev Yvette Daniel	Rev Yvette Daniel	Rev Yvette Daniel
Preacher **Gospel**	Rev Yvette Daniel *Luke 10.1-12, 17-24*	Rev Yvette Daniel *Luke, 10.1-12, 17-24*	Rev Yvette Daniel *Matthew 10. 1-7*
Sacristan **Assistant**	Barbara Speed	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	N/A
Liturgical **Assistant**	Christine Winkett	Mitzi Tuke	N/A
Communion **Assistants**	Dave Greenfield	Adrienne Watson Mabs Jones	N/A
Greeters & **Sides People**	Catherine Pearson	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate	Jenny Disney
First **Reading**	John Winkett *2 Kings 5.1-14*	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate *2 Kings 5.1-14*	Barbara Alexander *Genesis 41.55-57, 42.6-24a*
Second **Reading**	Clive Noble *Galatians 6. 7-18*	David Tuke *Galatians 6. 7-18*	
Psalm	*Psalm 30*	*Psalm 30*	*Psalm 33.13-21*
Intercessor	Clive Noble	Liz Pryor	
Morning Tea	Coralie Carew	Mandy Stevens Jan Gack	Margaret Charles
Banking	Kevin Gillett		
Music	Helen Coutts	Jason Zeng	
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Flowers	Barbara Speed		

Making friends with the bible!

We all have a different relationship with scripture and how we interact with it on a daily or weekly basis – dependent upon our spiritual practice.

However, some of us are a little reticent. Maybe we don't know where to start or how to start. Maybe we struggle with some of our holy books conflicting content.

Would you like to make friends with the bible and to be in relationship with the different books and the 'characters' that lay unhidden within its pages.

Would you welcome a deeper relationship with our Trinity and with each other here at St Margarets Church.

I think it's time sisters and brothers in Christ for us to have a bible ready/ study group dedicated to this Anglican spiritual practice. For now, I would like you to register your interest in being part of this group. Then we can decide the preferred day, time and the shape and purpose of the gatherings

Please write your name on the sheet in the foyer and I look forward to studying the bible with you.

Peace and all good

Revd. Yvette

What is prayer?

Christianity has been described as, "...a way of life and a way of prayer". This suggests that, rather than being an add-on, something to aspire to if one is a particularly holy person, prayer is at the heart of what it means to be a Christian, a disciple of Jesus.

Do you have a heart for prayer ...

Are you a prayer warrior ...

Would you like to be part of a prayer group who meet in person to pray for the life of our church and her mission-

The world and creation -

Those who are unwell-

If you heart is strangely warmed by this possibility, please put your name down on the prayer group sheet and I will be in touch in due course.

Peace and all good

Revd. Yvette

Safe Ministry Training Update

Thankyou to all those who have already signed up to complete either the Level 1 Refresher Training or the Induction Training. **Please remember to send through to Carolyn your certificate once completed so we can get that recorded.**

So far we have

Refresher course (2 hours only)

- Friday 4th July 10.00 to 12.00pm—18 signed up (7 spaces left)
- Saturday 5th July 1.00 to 3.00pm—10 signed up (15 spaces left)
- Online—27 people signed up (12 already completed and emailed certificate to Parish Office)
- Yet to signup—7

Induction course

- 8 people signed up

I recently completed the Refresher training online, and I am pleased to say it seems a lot more user friendly and straightforward than when we did it back in 2022. The Diocese seems to have taken on board feedback for it to be more relevant to parishes, and the examples used easier for us to relate to. Other feedback when completing online has been *'it was explained better than it was previously and they related the issues to real life scenarios which made it easier to understand'*

So I encourage you to get signed up and underway!

Carolyn Jung

Image : Charlie Mackesy

Safe Ministry Essentials Refresher (Level 1) Training

Level 1 Refresher training

This year we will be running a refresher course for all those who have completed level 1. There is a choice to complete the training either online or by attending a 2 hour session held at St Margaret's.

- **Friday 4th July – 10am to 12.00pm Kay Kilham from the Diocese run the course here at St Margarets (25 maximum)**
- **Saturday 5th July – 1pm to 3.00pm, Kay Kilham from the Diocese run the course here at St Margarets (25 maximum)**
- **Or complete online (Carolyn will email the details)**

There will be a sign up sheet in the foyer which includes everyone's name who has already completed level 1. All you need to do is find your name, and select which option you would like to complete the training. St Margaret's will be covering the cost of any training.

Level 1 – New to volunteering

Please note for any new Parishioners wanting to volunteer, or those who have not yet completed Level 1 training, you will need to complete the Level 1 induction course, rather than the refresher. This training can be completed online.

There will be a separate list in the foyer for 'Level 1 induction course'.

Level 2 – Safe Ministry with Children Refresher (M1 & M2)

For those who have previously completed Level 2 training (ministry with children—our Music committee), you will not need to complete the level 1 training. There is now a combined level 1 and 2 training, which can be completed online. Carolyn will email you with the details to complete.

Why is Safe Ministry Training important? - (from Diocese safe ministry toolbox) –

As a community walking in Jesus' footsteps, we follow this command, "Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, mind and strength; and love your neighbour as yourself." (Deut 6:5, Matt 22:37, Luke 10:27) God calls us to love and minister to vulnerable and marginalised people – these are people who need special care, protection and support.

The Anglican Church of Australia within the Diocese of Melbourne is committed to child safe practice. The safety and the wellbeing of children and vulnerable people are embedded in policies and practices which reflect a commitment to zero tolerance of abuse.

The reason the training is repeated every 3 years, is that there can be changes during that time which need to be passed on to relevant parishioners involved in rosters in the church community.

The training can be used to build an awareness in the parish community of keeping each other safe from harm, especially those members who are vulnerable due to ill health, family circumstances, socio-economic issues, and age.

Prepared by Carolyn Jung, Parish Office Manager

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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