St Margaret's Anglican Church Eltham

Pew Sheet 5 & 12 July 2026
Pentecost VI & VII

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sat 4th	8:00am 8:30am	Meditation Men's Breakfast
Sun 5th	8:00 & 10.00am	Pentecost VI
Sun 5th	12:00pm	Pub lunch
Mon 6th	7:30pm	Faith Issues
Tue 7th	10:00am	Warden's meeting
Wed 8th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 8th	11:30am	Bible study
Wed 8th	2:30pm	Book Club
Thur 9th	10:00am	Property Committee
Sat 11th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 12th	8:00 & 10.00am	Pentecost VII
Sun 12th	4:30pm	Women of Spirit

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.

Prayer of the Week

O God,
you have prepared for those who love you
such good things as pass our understanding:
pour into our hearts such love toward you,
that, loving you above all things,
we may obtain your promises which exceed all that we can desire;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Mobile Phones during service

A gentle reminder to please remember to switch off mobile phones before services.
Thankyou.

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Worship 5 July—Pentecost VI

Sentence

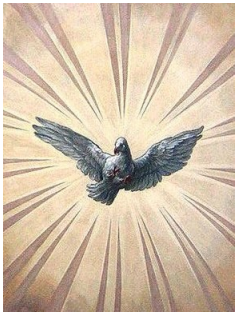
‘Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest,’ says the Lord. ‘Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart.’ *Matthew 11.28–29*

Prayer of the Day

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

First Reading

Genesis 24. 34-38, 24.42-49, 24.58-67



Today’s Psalm

Psalm 45.10-17

Second Reading

Romans 7. 14-25

Gospel

Matthew 11. 15-19, 11.25-30

Today’s Music

Welcome Hymn: O God of Love—TiS 614

Offertory: What a friend we have in Jesus—TiS 590

Communion Hymn: O how good is Christ the Lord—TiS 740

Mission Hymn: Give thanks with a grateful heart —TiS 717 (8.00am)

YouTube Link - Sunday 10:00 am Service
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCU8zWevMdRsIRq70IA6MUIg/live

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Genesis 24. 34-38, 42-49, 58-67

34 So he said, 'I am Abraham's servant.
35 The Lord has greatly blessed my master, and he has become wealthy; he has given him flocks and herds, silver and gold, male and female slaves, camels and donkeys.
36 And Sarah my master's wife bore a son to my master when she was old; and he has given him all that he has.
37 My master made me swear, saying, "You shall not take a wife for my son from the daughters of the Canaanites, in whose land I live;
38 but you shall go to my father's house, to my kindred, and get a wife for my son."
42 'I came today to the spring, and said, "O Lord , the God of my master Abraham, if now you will only make successful the way I am going!
43 I am standing here by the spring of water; let the young woman who comes out to draw, to whom I shall say, 'Please give me a little water from your jar to drink,'
44 and who will say to me, 'Drink, and I will draw for your camels also'—let her be the woman whom the Lord has appointed for my master's son."
45 'Before I had finished speaking in my heart, there was Rebekah coming out with her water-jar on her shoulder; and she went down to the spring, and drew. I said to her, "Please let me drink."
46 She quickly let down her jar from her shoulder, and said, "Drink, and I will also water your camels." So I drank, and she also watered the camels.
47 Then I asked her, "Whose daughter are you?" She said, "The daughter of Bethuel, Nahor's son, whom Milcah bore to him." So I put the ring on her nose, and the bracelets on her arms.
48 Then I bowed my head and worshipped the Lord , and blessed the Lord , the God of my master Abraham, who had led me by the right way to obtain the daughter of my master's kinsman for his son.
49 Now then, if you will deal loyally and truly with my master, tell me; and if not, tell me, so that I may turn either to the right hand or to the left.'
58 And they called Rebekah, and said to her, 'Will you go with this man?' She said, 'I will.'
59 So they sent away their sister Rebekah and her nurse along with Abraham's servant and his men.
60 And they blessed Rebekah and said to her,
'May you, our sister, become
thousands of myriads;
may your offspring gain possession
of the gates of their foes.'
61 Then Rebekah and her maids rose up, mounted the camels, and followed the man; thus the servant took Rebekah, and went his way.
62 Now Isaac had come from Beer-lahai-roi, and was settled in the Negeb.

63 Isaac went out in the evening to walk in the field; and looking up, he saw camels coming.
64 And Rebekah looked up, and when she saw Isaac, she slipped quickly from the camel,
65 and said to the servant, 'Who is the man over there, walking in the field to meet us?' The servant said, 'It is my master.' So she took her veil and covered herself.
66 And the servant told Isaac all the things that he had done.
67 Then Isaac brought her into his mother Sarah's tent. He took Rebekah, and she became his wife; and he loved her. So Isaac was comforted after his mother's death.

Second Reading: Romans 7. 14-25

14 For we know that the law is spiritual; but I am of the flesh, sold into slavery under sin. 15 I do not understand my own actions. For I do not do what I want, but I do the very thing I hate. 16 Now if I do what I do not want, I agree that the law is good. 17 But in fact it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me. 18 For I know that nothing good dwells within me, that is, in my flesh. I can will what is right, but I cannot do it. 19 For I do not do the good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I do. 20 Now if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me. 21 So I find it to be a law that when I want to do what is good, evil lies close at hand. 22 For I delight in the law of God in my inmost self, 23 but I see in my members another law at war with the law of my mind, making me captive to the law of sin that dwells in my members. 24 Wretched man that I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death? 25 Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord!So then, with my mind I am a slave to the law of God, but with my flesh I am a slave to the law of sin. .

Gospel Reading: Matthew 10. 40-42

15 Let anyone with ears listen!
16 'But to what will I compare this generation? It is like children sitting in the market-places and calling to one another,
17 "We played the flute for you, and you did not dance;
we wailed, and you did not mourn."
18 For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, "He has a demon";
19 the Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, "Look, a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax-collectors and sinners!" Yet wisdom is vindicated by her deeds.'
25 At that time Jesus said, 'I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed

them to infants;
[26] yes, Father, for such was your gracious will.
[27] All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.
[28] 'Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest.
[29] Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.
[30] For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.'

Parish Office

Carolyn will be on annual leave next week Monday 6th July to Friday 10th July. There will be no pew sheet next week, and rosters have been included in this pew sheet up until 19th July. Emails will still be checked, and can be sent to

parishoffice@stmargaretseltham.org.au or contact Mary at

communications@stmargaretseltham.org.au Carolyn returns on Monday 13th July.

For any urgent enquiries please contact The Rev'ds Yvette or Andrew.

Diocesan Ministry Conference: 14 to 16 July

The Rev'ds Yvette and Andrew will be attending the Diocesan Ministry Conference held at St Paul's Cathedral from 14 to 16 July.

During this time, except for matters of the utmost emergency, they will be out of the parish and not able to attend to parish business.

Please hold all diocesan clergy attending the conference in your prayers during this time, that it may be a fruitful time of prayer and consideration with our new Archbishop.

NOTICES

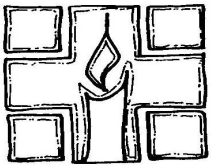
What's Coming Up

Sun 12th	8:00 & 10.00am	Pentecost VII
Sun 12th	4:30pm	Women of Spirit
Tue 14th	1:30pm 4:00pm	Memory Care Café Do Justice meeting
Wed 15th	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 15th	11:30am	Bible study
Wed 15th	1:30pm	Finance Committee
Sat 18th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 19th	8:00 & 10.00am	St Mary Magdalene
Sun 19th	11:30am	Christian Formation series
Mon 20th	10:30am 7:30pm	Marketing & Communications Faith Issues discussions
Tue 21st	10:30am	Spiritual Direction
Wed 22nd	9:30am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Wednesday Service
Wed 22nd	11:30am	Bible study
Sat 25th	8:00am	Meditation
Sun 26th	8:00 & 10.00am	Pentecost IX
Sun 26th	11:30am	Life Matters Series– Session 3
Sun 26th	5:30pm 6:30pm	Taize meal Taize service

Weekday Morning and Evening Prayer at St Margaret's

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Morning Prayer	8.30am	8.30am	9.30am	8.30am	-
Evening Prayer	5.00pm	5.00pm	5.00pm	5.00pm	-

Baptism



Please pray for Ayva Beel, and her family and godparents. Ayva will be baptised at St Margaret's on Saturday, 11 July 2026.

WOMEN OF SPIRIT
SUNDAY 12TH JULY
4:30—6.00PM
HOLISTIC BODIES, HOLY LIVES

We shall explore how to maintain balance of the physical, mental, emotional and spiritual aspects of our lives and the importance of self -care and self-love.

Led by: Lyn Beattie

NAIDOC Week: Sunday 5 to Sunday 12 July

Falling in the first full week of July, this year NAIDOC (National Aboriginal and Islanders Day Observance Committee) week falls from Sunday 5 to Sunday 12 July.

During this time, we are encouraged to pray for our First Nations brothers and sisters, and how we as a whole society might honour the survival, resilience, and the ongoing achievements of First Nations Peoples. This year, Common Grace has published prayer resources, which might help to guide your reflections:

NAIDOC Week 2026 prayer - Common Grace.

ROSTER	5 July 2026 Pentecost VI 8:00am	5 July 2026 Pentecost VI 10:00am	8 July Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Rev'd Yvette Daniel	Rev'd Yvette Daniel	Rev'd Yvette Daniel
Preacher Gospel	Rev'd Andrew Murray *Matthew 11. 15-19, 25-30*	Rev'd Andrew Murray *Matthew 11.15-19, 25-30*	Rev'd Yvette Daniel *Matthew 10. 1-7*
Sacristan Assistant	Barbara Speed	Jan Gack	N/A
Liturgical Assistant	Rev'd Andrew Murray	Rev'd Andrew Murray	N/A
Communion Assistants	Dave Greenfield	Adrienne Watson TBC	N/A
Greeters & Sides People	Catherine Pearson	Roger Alcock Harry Watson	Jennifer Constantine
First Reading	Dawn Greenfield *Genesis 24.34-38 and 24.42-49, 58-67*	Geoff & Elizabeth Milgate *Genesis 24.34-38 and 24.42-49, 58-67*	Michael Tucker *Hosea 10. 1-12*
Second Reading	Clive Noble *Romans 7. 14-25*	Helen Robertson *Romans 7. 14-25*	
Psalm	*Psalm 45.10-17*	*Psalm 45.10-17*	*Psalm 105. 1-7*
Intercessor	Clive Noble	Sandra Brown-Holt	
Morning Tea	Mary Lynton-Moll	Linda & Rob Mackenzie	Jenny Disney
Banking	John Humann		
Music	Helen Coutts	Priscilla Lin	
Zoom/Ppt Cameras	Mary Lynton-Moll	Sandra Brown-Holt Val Tucker	
Flowers	Liz Pryor		

ROSTER	12th July 2026 Pentecost VII 8:00am	12th July 2026 Pentecost VII 10:00am	15th July Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Rev'd Yvette Daniel	Rev'd Yvette Daniel	Lay Led
Preacher **Gospel**	Rev'd Yvette Daniel *Matthew 13.1-9, 18-23*	Rev'd Yvette Daniel *Matthew 13. 1-9, 18-23*	Lay Led Matthew 11.25-27
Sacristan **Assistant**	Robert Brazenor	Jan Gack	N/A
Liturgical **Assistant**	Robert Brazenor	David Pryor	N/A
Communion **Assistants**	Kathleen Toal	Sylvia Gilbert Sandra Brown-Holt	N/A
Greeters & **Sides People**	Mary Lynton-Moll	Roger Alcock Harry Watson	Jill Rogers
First **Reading**	Sally Petty *Genesis 25.19-34*	Harry Watson *Genesis 25.19-34*	Lorna Howard *Isaiah 10.5-7, 13-16*
Second **Reading**	Mary Lynton-Moll *Romans 8. 1-11*	Liz Pryor *Romans 8. 1-11*	
Psalm	*Psalm 119. 105-112*	*Psalm 119. 105-112*	*Psalm 94. 8-15*
Intercessor	Catherine Pearson	Liz Pryor	
Morning Tea	Mary Lynton-Moll	Anna Mott Carol Northmore	Jill Rogers
Banking	David Pryor		
Music	Helen Coutts	Amelia Trinh	
Zoom/Ppt **Cameras**	Felicity Wiltshire	John Humann Val Tucker	
Flowers	Barbara Speed		

ROSTER	19 July 2026 Mary Magdalene 8:00am	19 July 2026 Mary Magdalene 10:00am	22 July Wednesday 10:30am
Celebrant	Rev'd Yvette Daniel	Rev'd Yvette Daniel	Rev'd Yvette Daniel
Preacher **Gospel**	Geoff Sandy *John 20. 1-18*	Geoff Sandy *John 20. 1-18*	Rev'd Yvette Daniel *John 20. 1-18*
Sacristan **Assistant**	Robert Brazenor	Jan Gack	N/A
Liturgical **Assistant**	Robert Brazenor	Geoff Sandy	N/A
Communion **Assistants**	Neil Andrewartha	Tony Michaelson Rev'd Andrew Murray	N/A
Greeters & **Sides People**	Marg Duncan	Roger Alcock	TBC
First **Reading**	Robert Brazenor *Song of Songs 3. 1-4a*	Adrienne Watson *Song of Songs 3.1-4a*	Barbara Alexander *Song of Songs 3.1-4a*
Second **Reading**	MaryAnn Wilkie *2 Corinthians 5.14-21*	Geoff Sandy *2 Corinthians 5.14-21*	
Psalm	*Psalm 63*	*Psalm 63*	*Psalm 63*
Intercessor	Rev'd Andrew Murray	Linda Mackenzie	
Morning Tea	Neil Andrewartha	Jan Kerr John Humann	Jennifer Constantine
Banking	Rob Mackenzie		
Music	Helen Coutts	Rev'd Robert Street	
Zoom/Ppt **Cameras**	Sally Warner	Rob Mackenzie Liz Pryor	
Flowers	Pot plants		

Bible Study

The Gospel According to St Mark
11.30am, Wednesday

Date (Wednesday)	Chapters from the Gospel according to St Mark
8 July	1
15 July	2 and 3
22 July	4, 5 and 6
29 July	7 and 8
5 August	8, 9 and 10
12 August	11 and 12
19 August	13
26 August	14, 15 and 16 to end

Beginning on **Wednesday, 8 July at 11.30am**, every Wednesday after our 10.30am Eucharist we will be reading through the Gospel According to St Mark. This is an opportunity to share our thoughts or reflections, our questions or answers, and our moments of joy in reading the Scriptures together.

Please read through the chapters set for each week before each session. We encourage you to journal or note down any thoughts or questions that may arise during your reading.

Just bring yourself and a New Standard Revised Version (NRSV) of the Bible—we have plenty to share!

All Welcome!

Formation for Baptism and Confirmation

With several candidates now preparing for Baptism and Confirmation at Easter next year, from **11.30am on Sunday, 19 July** we will be running a monthly Christian formation series.

The eight sessions in the series will engage with topics including: human person, the Sacraments, Prayer, Holy Scripture, the Creeds, the Church, and living a life of faith.

If you know someone who is interested in being Baptised, Confirmed or Received into the Anglican Church, please let Rev'ds Yvette or Andrew know—we would be happy to accompany them on their journey.

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age. Matthew 28:19–20

Please hold these sessions and the candidates in your prayers over this period.

‘Life Matters’ Series

4 Presentation and Discussion Sessions During 2026

Session 3

Palliative Care and Dementia Care

You are invited to attend the above event on

Sunday 26 July 2026

Commencing at 11.30am – 1.00pm

St Margarets Church Hall

Speakers

Renee Yerondias, Banksia Palliative Care.

Renee is a Palliative Care Professional and will discuss the Palliative Family Centred Model of Care, including planning, decision making and goals of care. The benefits of Palliative care for people with serious life limiting illness and accessing Palliative care services.

Sheila Cheary, RN, Coordinating Volunteer of St Margaret’s Memory Care Café.

Sheila will mention different types of dementia, their common symptoms and meeting the needs of people living with dementia. She will also discuss how St Margaret’s Memory Café provides an enabling environment for carers and those they are caring for.

Light refreshments will be served and there will be time for questions

at the end of each presentation.

This session will provide valuable information

for those supporting a loved one through illness.

Abridged Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting
22 June 2026

1. Meeting opened with Prayer (Rev'd Yvette)
2. **Attendance:** Apologies Harry and Sally. Rev'd Andrew **minute taker.**
3. **Minutes of the previous meeting:** accepted
4. **Matters arising from the minutes:**
   a. Music planning — Update provided by the Vicar – no clear solution yet.
   b. Evacuation planning and practice: Done at 8 am and 10 am services.
   c. No response yet from the invitation to the Archbishop or Bishop – designate.
   d. Disability Action Plan: Will await the return of Harry.
5. **Mission Action Plan:** (Rev'd Yvette)
   a. Bible study — A study will be commenced (Mark's Gospel) on Wednesday 8 July after the 10:30 am service.
   b. It is planned to have another 24 hour day of prayer – date not yet set. Noted that the Archbishop has set aside the week starting 6 September for a week of 24 hours per day prayer.
   c. There has been a small growth in numbers attending the 8 am and 10am Sunday services.
   d. There are baptisms (adult and child) and confirmations planned for later in the year and next.
6. **Finance Committee:**
   a. The financial statements and report were accepted
   b. The following motion was proposed and accepted (needed following a request from Westpac Bank).
   "At its meeting on the 22nd June 2026, the Parish Council resolved to appoint Harry Charles Watson and David Henderson Greenfield as signatories to the Parish Westpac Eltham bank account BSB: 033091, a/c No. 870706."
7. **Compliance, Policies, and Procedures**
   Noted that the policies and procedures are due for review / renewal.
   Vicar will talk to Liz about access issues to the hall kitchen
8. **Safe ministry** Sandra and Kathleen to complete level 3 – in progress.
   Child safety: Standard 9 reviewed
9. **Correspondence**
   a. Letter of gratitude from Parish of Hume for donation. There was a discussion on the possibility of how to work together with them.
   b. It was noted that Bishop Genieve is to retire as of 1 September this year.
10. **Vicar and Assistant Curate's reports.** These were accepted with thanks for their work.
11. **General business:** Varies discussions were had. Will bring to the wider church at due course
12. **Subcommittee Reports**
    a. Property
       - The Parish Council agreed to the repairs to the roof leaks being done. The quotes for the work amount to $18,510.
       - More information is needed related to the replacement of a water heater for the kitchen. The Vicar requested a written proposal.
       - The Council requested that all work costing more than $5000 should in future have more than 1 quote. The amount above needs to be checked in relation to the increasing cost of this type of work.
    b. PVAW — The gospel choir concert has raised $3685, which will be used for the publication of the book by Kelly. It is possible that this may be subsidized to make up $4000 if needed.
    c. Reports received from: Pastoral Care Team, Marketing and Communication, Do Justice, Music Scholarship Committee and Taizé.
13. **Other Matters**
    a. Opening the church during the week The Vicar proposed that the church be open, for people who wish to come and pray, during the week, or some days of the week. This is to be discussed by the wardens and brought to the next Parish Council meeting.
    b. Music Scholarship concert. The music scholarship committee is busy planning for the annual concert on Sunday 13th September.
    There are discussion underway with regard to the potential of hiring a director of music.
    c. Eltham Festival — St Margaret's has been asked to have a stall at the festival – 14th September.
    d. First Aid Training There are sufficient numbers available for the training to take place. A Saturday will be the most suitable day. This will be finalized as soon as possible.
14. **Next meeting:** Monday 27th July at7.30pm Dendy House
15. The meeting closed at 9.40pm with prayer and the Grace.

Prayer Ministry Team

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." — Philippians 4:6

Why Prayer is Important?

Prayer is at the heart of our relationship with God. It is a gift through which we can bring our joys, concerns, hopes, and fears . Through prayer we find comfort, guidance, strength, and peace, knowing that our prayers are always heard .

Whether you are facing a challenge, celebrating a blessing, seeking guidance, or simply wishing to spend time in God's presence, prayer can help deepen our faith and draw us closer to each and to God.

Prayer Ministry After Services

Commencing Sunday 21st June I invite anyone who would like prayer to stay after our services.

Following our:

- **Sunday 8.00am Service**
- **Sunday 10.00am Service**
- **Wednesday 10.30am Service**

Where members of our prayer team will be available to pray with you:

- **David Greenfield**
- **Barbara Speed**
- **Rev'd Andrew**
- **Rev'd Yvette**

Please feel welcome to approach any of them after the service. All prayer requests will be treated with care, sensitivity, and confidentiality.

Peace and all good, Rev'd Yvette

Winter Initiative:

Jumpers and Beanies in June and July.

Anglicare are running a ‘Jumpers and Beanies in June and July’ appeal. The greatest need is for 5- to 8-year-old children. You are invited to buy and donate a jumper or beanie. Clean ‘gently used’ jumpers and beanies are acceptable.

Please place jumpers and beanies in the labelled container in the church foyer and Jenny Disney will facilitate the collection for distribution to the children. Last year our appeal was hugely successful, and Anglicare expressed their gratitude for our generosity.

Let’s do it again and keep the kids warm!

Thanks so much for your generosity.
Blessings, Barbara Speed

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.

Please be mindful that the Parish Directory contains confidential information of Parishioner’s contact details.

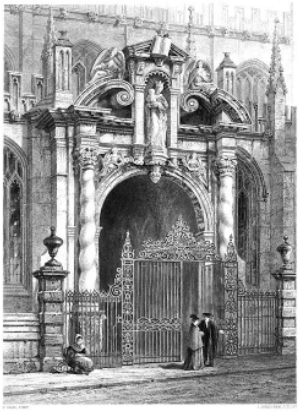
Thankyou.

Memory Café dates

2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month 1.30 to 3pm

JULY **14, 28**

AUGUST **11, 25**



The University Church of St Mary the Virgin, Oxford, where John Keble preached the Assize Sermon on July 14 1833, remembered as the beginning of the Oxford Movement.

12th July – Oxford Movement Sunday

Choral Evensong and Benediction 5pm

with guest preacher Fr Stuart Soley SMMS,
Vicar of St Mary's North Melbourne.

An invitation to celebrate our Anglican heritage!

You and your parish community are warmly invited to attend a celebratory service of Choral Evensong and Benediction at **St Peter's Eastern Hill** on Sunday 12 July at 5pm.

We will be commemorating the beginning of the Oxford Movement 193 years ago, giving thanks for the renewal of the Catholic heart of Anglicanism of which we are inheritors today.

Please do join us for this celebration, as we thank God for the rich tradition in which we stand, and pray that through our worship and witness we may share the gifts of the Oxford Movement with our Diocese and the wider Church.

Music for this event has been generously supported by
AUSTRALIAN CHURCH UNION – MELBOURNE BRANCH

ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL
Anglican Parish Church of the City since 1846
15 Gisborne Street Melbourne Victoria 3002 Australia

For more information: www.stpeters.org.au Email: office@stpeters.org.au Tel: 0401 826 325

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KEEP IN TOUCH

We send out this pewsheet weekly with updates on services, events, and our life together in our parish community.

To keep in touch with us, please complete this slip with your name and email address, tear off this page, and place it in the collection plate or hand to the clergy or greeter.

We look forward to seeing you again soon!

NAME:……

EMAIL:……

We will only use this information to add your email address to our parish mailing list. Please let us know at any time if you no longer to wish to receive parish emails.

FOYER SCREEN

If you, or any committee wish to publicise an event or news on our Foyer TV, please Contact Linda at lindadawn50@gmail.com

Pictures in PDF format please

Preventing Violence Against Women

Love does no harm.

No one should live in fear of violence

St Margaret's 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

Prayer Chain

For any prayer Requests

Mary Lynton-Moll

prayerchain@stmargaretseltham.org.au

or 0412 512 416

Mission Priorities for St Margarets Church

4 areas of focus for the next 5 years

- *To grow the Church Younger*
- *To be a spiritual place for the lost, seeking and found*
- *To live as disciples of Jesus Christ*
- *To take the Church outdoors and take the church to the People*

What we carry out will be shaped by the 5 marks of Mission

The Five Marks of Mission are an important statement on mission. They express the Anglican Communion's common commitment to, and understanding of, God's holistic and integral mission. The mission of the Church is the mission of Christ.

The Five Marks of Mission:
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1. To proclaim the Good News of the Kingdom
2. To teach, baptise and nurture new believers
3. To respond to human need by loving service
4. To transform unjust structures of society, to challenge violence of every kind and pursue peace and reconciliation
5. To strive to safeguard the integrity of creation, and sustain and renew the life of the earth