



St Paul's Anglican Church

*A caring community of Christ worshipping God,
engaging the community and building connections
between people of all ages and cultures.*

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18th October 2015

St Luke's Day



Prayer of the Day:

Almighty God, who inspired your servant Luke the physician to set forth in his gospel the love and healing power of your Son: graciously continue in your Church this love and power to heal, to the praise and glory of your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Hymns: 129, 585, 658, 717

Setting: Sewanee

Anthem: *The Banquet Awaits* by Patterson

Psalm: Ps 144.1-2, 8-11, 13-14

Postlude: *Marche Triomphale* Op.65 by Sigfrid Karg-Elert (1877 - 1933)

NOTICES OF THE DAY

Welcome to worship and to our St. Paul's faith community.
We welcome our locum preacher, Rev'd Derek Jones, and our locum organist,
Chris Riley.

Prayer Corner: "Great Spirit, we remember the land and its first people with respect and dignity. May we live in harmony with all those who share this sacred earth and be thankful. Amen"

We pray for the World:

Pray for peace and Understanding

We pray for the worldwide Church:

- Diocese of The Arctic
- Diocese of Armidale
- Anglican Media
- St Andrew's Brighton
- Mount Eliza
- St Thomas' Moonee Ponds
- St Paul's Cathedral
- St Jude's Carlton
- St Paul's Canterbury

We pray for those in need:

- David Chambers
- Joan Harrington-Johnson
- Hayley Dickson
- Helen's family – Anne and lens Shaw
- Bob Thompson
- Helen
- Margaret Clausen
- Annabel
- Miles Green
- Ken & Anne
- Rowen Lithchfield
- Iris Mather
- Carolyn
- Sue



We pray for ourselves & Community:

Ever-present God, take care of all who travel by land, water or air; surround them with your loving care; protect them from every danger; and bring them safely back home. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

A Parish Prayer for St Paul's:

Renew in us, O God, the zeal of your love. Let our parish come alive with the power of your Spirit. Where we have failed, forgive us. Where we have persevered, encourage us. When we are in doubt, direct us. Help us to see new opportunities for witness and service. For the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Pray for our young people studying for VCE exams: Genevieve, Bec and Hamish

Pray for our Synod Reps: Kajal Wagner and Jeremy Bishop.

Keep in your prayers:

We pray for Andrew, Ros and Susanne as they continue the interview process for our new Director of Music.

Love is in the Air:



A wedding on Sunday 1st November!
Please keep in your prayers -

♥ Lek Koswig and Kevin Crinks

Notice Gluten free wafers are available upon request.

PARISH EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

This Sunday	18th October: 18th October: Saint Luke's Day
8.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist, with locum preacher, Rev'd Derek Jones, followed by morning tea in the Parish Centre
Monday 19th	SUSANNE ON LEAVE <i>Henry Martyn, missionary and Bible translator in India and Persia (d.1812)</i>
3.30-9.00pm	Ceberano Martial Arts, Hall
Tuesday 20th	
8.30-9.00am	Ecumenical Morning Prayer
10.30am-12.00	Women's Group, Parish Centre
4.00-5.00pm	Ballet, Hall
7.00-9.00pm	MSG, Men's Group, Parish Centre - Upper Room
7.00-10.00pm	Caritas, Parish Centre
Wednesday 21st	
10.00am	Eucharist followed by morning tea
4.30-6.30pm	Ballet, Hall
5.00-5.30pm	Meditation, Parish Centre
7.00-9.00pm	Tae Kwon Do, Hall
Thursday 22nd	SUSANNE RETURNS FROM LEAVE
9.00am-12.30pm	Gillian in office
3.30-9.30pm	Ceberano Martial Arts, Hall
7.30-9.30pm	Choir practice
Friday 23rd	<i>James of Jerusalem, brother of our Lord, martyr (d.c.62)</i>
8.30-10.30am	Kinder Dance, Parish Centre
9.30-11.00am	Tiny Tutus, Hall
9.00am-12.30pm	Gillian in office
5.00-9.00pm	National Youth Choir, Church Hall & Parish Centre
Saturday 24th	<i>United Nations, inaugurated 1945</i>
9.00-10.30am	Karate, Hall
11.00am-7.30pm	Ballet
Next Sunday	25th October: Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost
8.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist, followed by morning tea in the Parish Centre. Baptism of Paige Barnes

Upcoming Events for October: 27th Kinder Committee Meeting

Upcoming Events for November:

1 st	All Saints Day & Lek and Kevin's Wedding	10 th	Visit to Coombe, the Dame Nellie Melba Estate
3 rd	Melbourne Cup Day	15 th	Wedding of Chung Hui & Julie He
8 th	Guest Preacher is David Spitteler Dandenong Asylum Seeker Resource Centre Australian Youth Choir and Dance Fundraising Concert for the Dandenong Asylum Seeker Resource Centre	22 nd	The Reign of Christ & AGM 9am
		29 th	The beginning of ADVENT

READINGS

Jeremiah 8.22-9.3

Is there no balm in Gilead? Is there no physician there? Why then has the health of my poor people not been restored? O that my head were a spring of water, and my eyes a fountain of tears, so that I might weep day and night for the slain of my poor people! O that I had in the desert a traveller's lodging-place, that I might leave my people and go away from them! For they are all adulterers, a band of traitors. They bend their tongues like bows; they have grown strong in the land for falsehood, and not for truth; for they proceed from evil to evil, and they do not know me, says the Lord.

Ps 144.1-2, 8-11, 13-14

Colin Mawby



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| 1 I will give you glory, O <u>God</u> my King,
I will bless your <u>name</u> for ever.
I will bless you day <u>after</u> day
and praise your <u>name</u> for ever. | 3 All your creatures shall thank <u>you</u> , O Lord,
and your friends shall <u>repeat</u> their blessing.
They shall speak of the glory <u>of</u> your reign
and declare your <u>might</u> , O God. |
| 2 The Lord is kind and full <u>of</u> compassion,
slow to anger, <u>abounding</u> in love.
How good is the <u>Lord</u> to all,
compassionate to <u>all</u> his creatures. | 4 The Lord is faithful in <u>all</u> his words
and loving in <u>all</u> his deeds.
The Lord supports <u>all</u> who fall
and raises all who <u>are</u> bowed down. |

2 Timothy 4.9-17a

Do your best to come to me soon, for Demas, in love with this present world, has deserted me and gone to Thessalonica; Crescens has gone to Galatia, Titus to Dalmatia. Only Luke is with me. Get Mark and bring him with you, for he is useful in my ministry. I have sent Tychicus to Ephesus. When you come, bring the cloak that I left with Carpus at Troas, also the books, and above all the parchments. Alexander the coppersmith did me great harm; the Lord will pay him back for his deeds. You also must beware of him, for he strongly opposed our message. At my first defence no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth.

Luke 10.1-9

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you."

AREA CHANGES FOR THE DIOCESE:

St Paul's Canterbury is now part of the Archdeaconry of Box Hill (previously Kew). Our 'region' as it was once called, is now Jumbunna Episcopate. Our Archdeacon is Ian Morrison, vicar of Holy Trinity, Surrey Hills. Our Bishop is Paul White. I continue as Area Dean of Waverley. Susanne.

Archbishop Philip writes:

"Each area will be called an Episcopate, the names are: Marimingatha Episcopate with the meaning of - divine, supreme being (Bishop Genieve); Jumbunna Episcopate with the meaning of - speaking out, proclamation (Bishop Paul); Oodthenong Episcopate with the meaning of - gathering (Bishop Philip). I have discussed their use with Aunty Di Kerr of the Wurundjeri people as they are in her ancestral Woi Wurrung language. She was happy to give her support for this initiative. All together the three words Marimingatha, Jumbunna and Oodthenong convey the meaning of our vision statement "Making the Word of God, fully known" from Colossians: 1.25.

Lek Koswig and Kevin Crinks are thrilled to announce their forthcoming wedding here at St Paul's on Sunday 1 November 2015 (All Saints' Day) at 3pm.

We would love our parish family to join us in a service of Holy Communion and Prayer, followed by a champagne afternoon tea in the hall.

RSVP 25 October 2015

M: 0413 182 201 / lek.koswig@gmail.com



Next Week's Readings:

Job 42.1-6, 10-17 Ps 34.1-8 Hebrews 7.21-28 Mark 10.46-52

NOTICES

JENIFER MCKENZIE:

Congratulations to Jenifer McKenzie who is the recipient of a Caroline Chisholm Award.

Jenifer was awarded the honour for her Outstanding Contributions and Voluntary Efforts over 12 years, when working with the 'Dream Stitches' Multicultural Sewing Program in Box Hill. Jenifer coordinates a happy group of volunteers who work with refugees from Africa, and asylum seekers from a variety of cultures. Well done Jenifer!

ST PAUL'S DIRECT DEBIT:

St Paul's Anglican Church Canterbury - **BSB 633 000 A/C 1191 99941**
Please note correct BSB.

AUSTRALIAN ANGLICAN CHURCH CALENDER:

Australian Anglican Church Calendar 2016 - Order forms available in the office.

OFFERTORY:

Offertory envelopes are now available in the Narthex.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

Powers of attorney have changed. More information in the narthex.

YOUTH GROUP:

Thanks to John, Birgit, Caroline and Narelle for helping with our October Youth Group. We had ten participants for a very messy and energetic evening last Saturday night. There was much laughter and noise, and I'm told it was 'great fun'. Our helpers worked hard to clean the mess, and the activity would not have been possible without them.

Details of our next get together will be published next week, and emailed to our Youth Group participants.



GUEST PREACHER: DAVID SPITTELER

On Sunday 8th November, our guest preacher is David Spitteler, Lay Pastoral Minister, Diplomas in Theology and Ministry from the Asylum Seeker Centre, Dandenong. The ASC is a voluntary interdenominational Christian response to meet the material needs of asylum seekers and refugees. The link to their website is www.asylumseekercentre.org

AUSTRALIAN YOUTH CHOIR AND DANCE FUNDRAISING CONCERT FOR REFUGEES:

Also on Sunday 8th November in the church, 3-5pm. The concert is to raise money to donate to the Asylum Seeker Centre Dandenong. Tickets are available through TryBooking - <http://www.trybooking.com/164063>.

Tickets will also be available at the door.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: Visit Coombe, the Dame Nellie Melba Estate

Date: Tuesday 10th November. Cost: Approximately \$45 per person

This includes tour of the garden, duration 60 minutes, Devonshire Tea and Coach.

Please contact either: Christine Ruggles-Brise, tel. 9898 9104 or Heather Rundle, tel. 9830 5441. If you get an answering machine, please leave your name and number and we will acknowledge your call.

Depart St Paul's at 12.45pm, arrive back at St Paul's about 5.00pm

LUNCH AT CAFÉ PLATIA:

It's on again! Keep Sunday 29th November at 12 o'clock marked in your diary! Watch this space for more details.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD:

Parishioners are invited to pack a shoebox with suitable gifts for an impoverished child. The box will then be delivered to a collection point in Mitcham. Boxes will be available for use shortly as well as a list of suitable gifts which could be included. As a joint initiative, the Kinder community are joining with us. For more information please speak to Winifred.

THE MINISTRY SUPPORT FUND:

A message from The Most Reverend Dr Philip Freier, Archbishop of Melbourne: The Ministry Support Fund has been established to assist the church in resourcing ministry positions in areas of missional or social need. The brochure in the narthex, describes the purpose and intent. You may be able to consider supporting the Ministry Support Fund. Donations to the Ministry Support Fund can be made in a number of ways:

- ◆ Via the website using the Westpac secure giving gateway, <http://www.melbourneanglican.org.au/mission/theologicaleducation/Pages/Support.aspx>
- ◆ By completing and returning the attached ADF form
- ◆ By contacting Theological Education at the Anglican Diocese of Melbourne, phone (03) 9653 4221; email dofte@melbourneanglican.org.au

VOLUNTEER ROLE REQUEST:

Kitchen Assistant for Morning/Afternoon Tea and Lunch, **servicing only**, at Elsie Salter House (day respite for Dementia clients) 10-2 Monday, Tuesday or Friday. If interested please contact Barbara Alderton on 98886398.

ASYLUM-SEEKER ACCOMMODATION SOUGHT:

St Dominic's parish **Welcoming the Stranger** group is seeking a unit or house to accommodate an asylum-seeker family. We need a dwelling at a low, or nominal, rent, in this general area. Availability initially for 6 months to 1 year, either now or sometime in the future, would be suitable. If you have, or know of, such a property, please contact: Paul Rankin op Parish priest, St Dominic's Catholic Church. Mobile: 039 912 870

PEW SHEET DEADLINE:

Please ensure your notices for the pew sheet are received in the office by 5pm on Wednesday. Thank you. Gillian.

ST PAUL'S MINISTRY TEAMS:

This week's Ministry Team:

18th October: Luke, Evangelist & Martyr

8am

Sidesperson Steven Wong
Reader Steven Wong
Liturgical Asst Bert Lillywhite
Flowers Gillian Jensen
Brass Sue Beamish

10am

Sidespersons Christine Ruggles-Brise & Margaret Capper

Children's Talk Kajal Wagner
Sunday School Anne Harding & Becky

J2A Winifred Naheed & Caroline Cox

Reader Alicenne Stevens

Intercessor Debbie Riley

Welcomer ALL

Liturgical Asst Tom Lambert

Server Gill Lambert

Refreshments June McKay & Beryl Byrne

Collection Counters

Kajal Wagner & Debbie Riley

Next Week's Ministry Team:

25th October: 22nd Sunday After Pentecost

8am

Sidesperson Di Gurney
Reader Debbie Riley
Liturgical Asst TBC
Flowers Anne Harding
Brass

10am

Sidespersons Margaret & David Irvine

Children's Talk Alistair Tweeddale
Sunday School Lee Rough & Charlie

J2A Winifred Naheed & Jo Capper

Reader Henrietta Barclay

Intercessor Gordon Low

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Collection Counters

Stuart Bales & Iona Christianson

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