



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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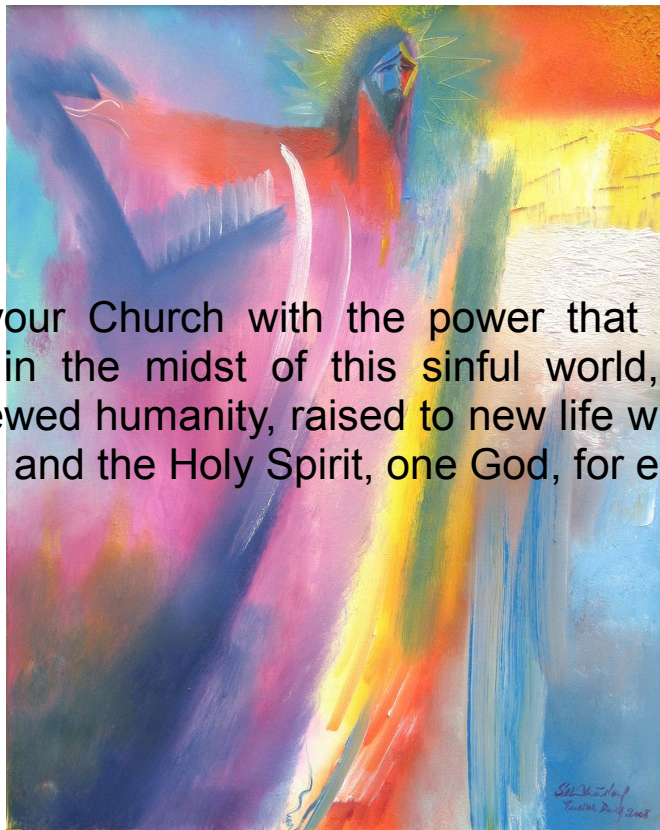
27th March 2016

Easter Day

Prayer of the Day:

God of glory, fill your Church with the power that flows from Christ's resurrection, that, in the midst of this sinful world, it may signal the beginning of a renewed humanity, raised to new life with Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.



Easter Vigil Service

Hymns: 548 360 653 391

Setting: St Paul's **Exultet:** Choir and Soloists

Psalm: 42 (Anglican chant - Wesley)

Anthem: *"This joyful Eastertide"* arr. Charles Wood

Postlude: Prelude from *'Te Deum'* by Marc-Antoine Charpentier

Easter 10am Service

Easter Introit by David Lempriere-Laughton

Hymns: 390 706 393 675

Setting: St Paul's

Psalm: 118

Anthem: *"Hallelujah"* chorus from 'Messiah' by Handel

Postlude: Trumpet Voluntary by Jeremiah Clarke

NOTICES OF THE DAY

Welcome to worship and to our St. Paul's faith community.

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:

- The Worldwide Anglican Communion
- Diocese of Canberra & Goulburn
- Korowa Anglican Girl's School
- St Tomas' Werribee
- St Paul's Cathedral
- Balliang and Myrniong in the Parish of Bacchus Marsh and Tamil congregation at St John's East Malvern
- St Paul's Canterbury

We pray for those in need:

- Joan Harrington-Johnson
- Hayley Dickson
- Helen's family – Anne and lens Shaw
- Bob Thompson
- Margaret Clausen
- Annabel
- Iris Mather
- Pat Watson
- Cecelia Irvine-So
- Gwen Towart
- Luke Vincitorio
- Trish Cain
- John Griffiths

We pray for:

- Leanne Reichmann as she prepares to be confirmed.



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.**

Parish Council Members for 2016:

Please keep our parish councillors in your prayers:

Ros White (warden), Andrew Flint (warden), Todd Reichmann (treasurer), Winifred Nahed, Rose O'Shea, Rosemary Miller Jeremy Bishop, Alex Murray, John DeAraugo and Mark Lamb.

We give thanks for the life of:

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| • David Chambers | 21 st March 2016 |
| • Alan J Peddlesden | 28 th March 1979 |
| • Helen (Nellie) Atkins | 28 th March 2011 |
| • Gertrude V Gaetjens | 29 th March 1975 |
| • Mervyn Irvine | 2 nd April 1993 |

Notice Gluten free wafers are available upon request.

PARISH EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

This Sunday	27th March: Easter Day
6.30am	Dawn Eucharist with lighting of the new fire: bringing the Light of Christ into the darkened church space Renewal of our baptismal vows
10.00am	Sung Eucharist followed by morning tea in the Parish Centre Easter egg hunt in the vicarage front garden after the service
Monday 28th	EASTER MONDAY; SUSANNE'S SABBATH
Tuesday 29th	
8.45-9.15am	Morning Ecumenical Prayer
Wednesday 30th	
10.00am	No Eucharist today
5.00-5.30pm	Meditation, Parish Centre
6.30-7.30pm	Yoga, Parish Centre
8.00-9.00pm	Yoga, Parish Centre
Thursday 31st	
9.00am-12.30pm	Gillian in office
12.00-5.30pm	Organ Practice, Church
7.00-8.00pm	Yoga, Parish Centre
Friday 1st	
9.00am-12.30pm	Gillian in office
Saturday 2nd	
2.00pm-	Baptism
Next Sunday	3rd April: Second Sunday of Easter
	Daylight Saving Ends
8.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist followed by morning tea in the Parish Centre

Upcoming Events for April:

5 th	Women's Group MSG
9 th	Youth Group
11 th	Term 2 begins
12 th	Parish Council
16 th	St Paul's Fair
19 th	Women's Group MSG Caritas
25 th	Anzac Day

READINGS

Acts 10.34-43

Then Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ - he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

1 Corinthians 15.19-26

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

John 20.1-18

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.' Then Peter

and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God." ' Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her..



Next Week's Readings: Second Sunday of Easter

Acts 5.27-32 Psalm 118.14-29 Revelation 1.4-8 John 20.19-31

NOTICES

A MESSAGE FROM SUSANNE AND JONATHAN:

Thank you for your kind thoughts, lovely flowers and prayers. It is very much appreciated. To be a part of such a wonderful caring community such as ours, says something about what Jesus said about 'love one another as I have loved you.' The love we have for one another are tangible signs of our 'remaining' in Jesus' love.

Just to let you know the funeral is now on Wednesday at 11am (St Paul's Kyneton) not Thursday as I previously indicated.

Tom Lambert and Rowan Litchfield will both be going to the funeral and will have a couple of seats free if you would like to go with them. Contact them if this is helpful.

Take care and blessings on this wonderful Easter celebration when we say: 'Christ is Risen'... he has risen indeed..for all of us! Susanne and Jonathan

CITIOPERA BRINGS A GERMAN MASTERPIECE TO MELBOURNE:

Celebrating 100 years of Ariadne auf Naxos. In an event not to be missed, Richard Strauss' music comes alive in this witty and charming comedy of an "opera within an opera".

Saturday 02 April 2016 - 7.30 pm

Thursday 07 April 2016 - 7.30 pm

Sunday 10 April 2016 - 4pm

Hawthorn Arts Centre - 360 Burwood Rd, Hawthorn Vic 3122

Tickets: \$69 Adult /\$65 concession and \$55 students/children

Group bookings of 10 or more \$40 with promo code KOMPONIST

Free glass of sparkling wine or non alcoholic drink on arrival.

Premium dinner package available.

Bookings: www.hawthornartscentre.com.au or phone 03 9278 4770

Principal sponsor: Henkell Brothers Investment Managers

COMMUNION/FIRST COMMUNION/ ADMISSION TO THE ANGLICAN CHURCH:

Please let Susanne know regarding first communions, confirmation or admission to the Anglican church. Bishop Paul White will be with us on 17th April.

CONCERT AT ST PAUL'S CATHEDRAL:

A multi-cultural choir in a concert at St Paul's Cathedral on 30th April at 6:30pm. This concert is to raise money for Christian Blind Mission and will be with the Eltham Orchestra under the guidance of Mary Louise Wright. Our choir has been asked to participate.

ST PAUL'S DIRECT DEBIT:

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

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 FAIR – SATURDAY 16th APRIL 9.30am – 3.00pm

Please make a note of the date, take some brochures and invite your friends!
How can you help?

CHECK LIST for PARISHIONERS - Please contact Organisers with your plan of action.

Due Date	Activity	Stall/Activity	Organiser(s)
ASAP	Volunteer your time on stalls	Animal Farm Books Cakes & Preserves Devonshire Tea Raffle Tables (3) Plants Sausage Sizzle Silent Auction Children's Activities Lob-a-choc	Henrietta Barclay Alex Murray Jill Bales Loraine Permezel Bert Lillywhite Susan Hollingdale Laura Kaspen(Dean) Bert Lillywhite Winifred Nahed Kesta Fleming
20 March	Offer baked goods & preserves	Cakes & Preserves	Jill Bales /Rosemary Miller / Sue Taylor
	Advise if you have artworks to sell	Gallery Stall	June McKay (0421 057 478)
	Offer plants or potted seedlings	Plant Stall	Susan Hollingdale
	Donate items or \$\$ for Raffle &/or Silent Auction	Raffle & Silent Auction	Bert Lillywhite
	Give \$\$ or family chocolate blocks	Lob-a-Choc	Kesta Fleming
3 April & 10 April	Collect plates for baked goods		
3 April & 10 April	Bring books (storage in Parish Centre)	Books	Alex Murray (0448 447 702)
3 April	Collect raffle books to sell tickets		
3 April	Place posters in local shop windows & deliver leaflets in strategic locations		Bert Lillywhite/June McKay
10 April	Bring artworks to hang in Parish Centre		
15 April	Return sold raffle books and money		Bert Lillywhite
16 April	BRING YOUR FRIENDS & FAMILY TO THE FAIR		

The Planning Team - Jill Bales, Bert Lillywhite, Laura Kaspen, Alex Murray,
Bruce Brown & June McKay (Co-ordinator).

ST PAUL'S MINISTRY TEAMS:

This Week's Ministry Team:
27th March: Easter Day

6.30am

Sidespersons Liz Olie
Reader Alicenne Stevens
Intercessor Ros White
Liturgical Asst Steve Wong
Flowers Leigh Etheridge
& Val Sayers

Brass

10am

Sidespersons Ruth Hudnott &
Lois Latimer

Children's Talk
Sunday School

J2A

Reader Kesta Fleming
Intercessor Alistair Tweeddale
Welcomer ALL
Liturgical Asst June McKay
Server Tom Lambert
Refreshments Gail White &
Henrietta Barclay

Collection Counters

Malcolm White &
Kaye Rands

Next Week's Ministry Team:
3rd April: Second Sunday of Easter

8am

Sidespersons Cathy & Bob Hudson
Reader Trish Cain
Liturgical Asst Bert Lillywhite
Flowers Gillian Jensen
Brass Sue Taylor

10am

Sidespersons Gill & Tom Lambert

Children's Talk
Sunday School

J2A

Reader Kajal Wagner
Intercessor Gordon Low
Welcomer ALL
Liturgical Asst Andrew Ham
Server Alex Murray
Refreshments Rosie Low &
June McKay

Collection Counters

Kajal Wagner &
Iona Christianson

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