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WORSHIP SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S, 10TH SEPTEMBER 2023 FIFTHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 8:00AM EUCHARIST; 10:30AM CHORAL EUCHARIST

Greetings and welcome in Jesus name to the parish church of St. Paul's Geelong. We are absolutely delighted that you could join us for worship today.

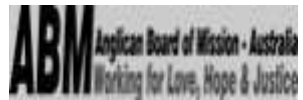
As we gather under God's sovereignty we acknowledge the Wadawurrung people of the Kulin nations, the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we are gathered today.

We pay our respects to their Elders: past, present and emerging and to all First Nations people who worship with us today.

Ordinary Sunday 23 A [Pentecost 15]

– Sunday 10 September 2023

Exodus 12.1-14; Psalm 149; Romans 13.1-10; Matthew 18.10-20



It's very easy to get stuck doing the same kind of things over and over, and thereby get ourselves into a rut. Perhaps that is why the Psalmist says to us today: 'O praise the Lord, and sing to the Lord a new song'. Sometimes our religious life needs something new to allow it to develop and mature – we're called, after all, to have a child-like faith, not a childish one.

This week, try something new to spruce-up and re-energise your religious life, remembering always to praise our Redeemer, Jesus Christ.

- Lord, encourage me to somehow 'sing a new song' to you this week, lest my spiritual life become stale.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Kenya.

Text: Robert McLean

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Quote of the Day

"God loves each of us as if there were only one of us"

-Augustine

St. Paul's is fitted with a hearing aid loop. Tune in and stay connected!

FOOD FOR ALL HAMPER

Food collection—donations sought
cereal, Long life milk (full cream) and coffee.



Choral Evensong

(in solidarity with refugees)

5pm TODAY 10TH SEPTEMBER

St Paul's Anglican Church, LaTrobe Tce, Geelong

Sung by the Choir of St Paul's, Geelong

Directed by Dr. Terry Norman

Officiant: The Rev'd Canon Nigel Pope

All welcome to attend this traditional service of beautiful music and words followed by a time of fellowship with cheese and Wine.

Sunday September 17th will be the last Sunday Father Nigel will be taking services at St. Paul's Geelong. To mark this occasion we are planning a luncheon in the hall following the 10.30am service. Please bring along something delicious to share and mark this special occasion.

5pm SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 17 th

VOX ANGELICA GEELONG CHAMBER CHOIR

Directed by Tom Healey

St Paul's Anglican Church,

LaTrobe Terrace, Geelong

This concert is a repeat of the May 2023 concert for Geelong Gallery of music to accompany the stunning exhibition of the paintings of Australian artist, Clarice Beckett. Music includes Elogy for Clarice Beckett, written specially for Vox Angelica by Kym Dillon, and works by Calvin Bowman, Hanna Havrylets (Ukrainian composer), Eriks Esenvalds, Randall Thompson, Fanny Mendelssohn, Josef Rheinberger, CHH Parry, Melanie Bonis. The programme will sound exceptionally beautiful in the glorious acoustics of St Paul's.

\$25/\$20/Under 18 free. Card or cash at the door or www.trybooking.com/CGSDQ

Who's on next week - 17th September

EUCHARIST (8:00 am)

Sidesperson

Michael Parkinson

Eucharistic Assistant

Althea Abraham

Server

Tom Cockram

CHORAL EUCHARIST (10:30 am)

Morning Tea

George Charles, Peter West, Peter Finch

Welcomers

David Endean & Michele Eldridge

Sidespersons & Collection

Robert Nicholls & Lorraine Nicholls

Servers

Claire Pratt & Robert Pratt

Intercessions

Elizabeth Parkinson

Eucharistic Assistant

Claire Pratt

Appointment of Acting Vicar

The Wardens and Parish council are pleased to announce that The Rev. John Mathes has been appointed the Acting Vicar for St Paul's Geelong during the interregnum following Fr. Nigel's final service on September 17th. He will begin his ministry on September 18th and will be available 3 days per week. Please make yourself known to Fr John if you haven't done so already.

Music Notes

Both the **prelude and postlude** this morning are by the North German composer Dietrich Buxtehude. Born in what is now Denmark, Buxtehude spent most of his working life as organist at the Marienkirche in Lubeck. He was very famous as an organist and composer. Such was his fame that the young Bach walked the huge distance to Lubeck to hear Buxtehude play.

During communion you will hear the Pie Jesu (Blessed Lord Jesus, give us peace.) from Faure's Requiem. **The Requiem** is Faure's most popular and most commonly performed work, and justly so; it is a beautiful work. It is a pity that more of his works are not performed more often, as there are many other beautiful works

Terry Norman

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Monday - 11th August

^{AAR} *Mother Esther CHN, founder of the Community of the Holy Name (Melbourne) (d, 1931).*

Tuesday - 12th August

Morning Prayer (9.30am Vicarage).

Wednesday - 13th August

Cyprian of Carthage, bishop and martyr (d.258).

10.00 am - Eucharist (Lector: Leigh Bryen)

Colossians 3.1-11

Psalms 145.1-7

Luke 6.20-26

Choir Rehearsal (7:30 pm, Brockman room)

Friday – 15th August

AAR John Oliver Feetham, bishop and bush brother (d.1947).

Saturday – 16th August

Ninian of Galloway, bishop and missionary (d.c. 432).

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

11th Mon PSALM 28; 29
1 KINGS 7.51-8.21
ACTS 26.19-32

12th Tue PSALM 31
1 KINGS 8.22-36
ACTS 27.1-12

13th Wed PSALM 35.1-17
1 KINGS 8.37-53
ACTS 27.13-32

14th Thu PSALM 34
1 KINGS 8.54-66
ACTS 27.33-44

15th Fri PSALM 37.1-17
1 KINGS 9.1-14
ACTS 28.1-16

16th Sat PSALM 38
1 KINGS 9.15-28
ACTS 28.27-31

Based on: An Australian Lectionary 2023

17TH SEPTEMBER - THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:00am: *Althea Abraham*; 10:30am: *Jennifer Rau*

EXODOUS 14:19-31; PSALM 114; ROMANS 14.1-14; MATTHEW 18: 21-35

St Paul's Men's Group Meeting Lunch and a Movie

St Pauls Men's group are planning a Lunch followed by a movie for the 18th of September, the lunch will be at the Malaga restaurant 166 Moorabool Street, the movie will be screened at St Marys "Plaza Theatre" 150 Yarra Street Geelong. We plan to meet at the Malaga Restaurant at 12.00 noon on Monday the 18th of September, Lunch will be off the menu at Menu prices, after lunch we will walk over to St Marys theatre in Yarra Street, we have the theatre booked from 01.30pm onwards. The movie we will see is "Fargo" a crime drama, starring William Macey and John Carroll. Everyone is welcome to attend, come along bring your wife, bring your partner.

The cost for the movie is \$10.00 per person, the cost of the lunch is menu prices, paid direct to the restaurant. We will need to advise the restaurant of the number of people attending for lunch, if you are planning to attend this event, please confirm / book with Keith Hamill on 0419 200 638, by the COB on the 14th of September. Email: Keith.Hamill@outlook.com

National Police Remembrance Day Service at St. Paul's on Friday 29th September at 10:00 am

National Police Remembrance Day is a time for members of Victoria Police and the community to honour the dedicated men and women who have died serving their community.

Enrolment on Parish Electoral Roll

As we begin to prepare for our **Annual Meeting** scheduled for **Sunday 29th October** we request that those who are not and would like to be on the Electoral Roll to kindly take a form placed in the baptistery and return the filled in form to Fr. John Mathes by **Wednesday 20th**

Jam for Refugees

(10 hours of great concerts).

An advance notice is given for you to put in your diaries that the JAM for Refugees will be held on **Saturday 28th October 11.00 am to 9.00 pm** at St. Paul's Geelong.

FOR OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Sunday Between 11 and 17 September APBA pew edition p. 464 [24]

O God,
without you we are not able to please you:
mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit
may in all things direct and rule our hearts;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

The World

The Anglican Church of Kenya

Our Community

City of Greater Geelong: Staff, Officers, CEO
Hospitals & Medical facilities. Hospital Chaplains, esp. Sheridan Hannah (Barwon Health).

The wider church

Churches in Geelong:

Christ Church, St Paul's, All Saints, -- Anglican.

Wesley, Noble Street, St. David's, St Andrew's, -- UCA.

St Mary's Basilica. St John's Lutheran Church. Church of Christ. Aberdeen Street Baptist Church. The Salvation Army. Waterfront Christian Church. Geelong Vineyard Church.

Mission & Outreach:

National Home Mission Fund. (Outback Fund)
SPCKA. Bush Church Aid.

Parish Community

Parish Council. Welcomers. Sacristans.

In Need or Sickness:

Desiree Schaper, David Endean, Vanessa Eldridge, Janet Fischer, Rob Aramoana, Eric Wells, Mary Lewis, Barbara Cake, Mike Cake, Daniel Biskind, Marnie Laurie, Shirley Girvan, Jenny Pickering, Peter West, Novalie, David Heyes, Jennifer Rau, Leigh Bryen, Laura Pieterse, Graeme King, Keith Smith, Maureen Smith, Sheila Dawson, Linda King, David Galloway, Yvonne McDonald, Baby Nadia, Pam Stevenson, Ron Harrison.

Faithful Departed

11/09	Donald Thomas Cromer	1991
12/09	Ivy Endean	2009
13/09	Geoffrey Norman Reeve DFC [window]	1943
13/09	Alexander Duncan	1968
13/09	Jeremy David McNess	1993
15/09	Joseph Turnley	1997
15/09	Tom Henry King	2022



Rest eternal grant to them O Lord, **and may light perpetual shine upon them.**

The Wardens and Parish Councillors wish to advise that no photographs or video images of any person under the age of 18 years, taken at St. Paul's Church or at any St. Paul's Church function, is to be put onto any form of electronic media such as Facebook, Instagram or a website, without parental consent.

Tea is served in the Parish Hall following the 10.30am Eucharist. This is your Invitation to come across to the Hall and share fellowship with one another over a cup of tea or coffee.

