



One church. Anglican Parish of Mt. Dandenong

Two sites. St. Matthew's Olinda · St. Michael's Kalorama

All welcome. In Christ: Growing Caring Sharing

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April 15 2018 The 3rd Sunday of Easter



Sentence: Turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out, so that times of refreshing may come in from the presence of the Lord. Acts 3:19-20

Prayer of the day

Lord of life,
by submitting to death you conquered the grave;
by being lifted upon the cross, you draw all peoples to you;
by being raised from the dead,
you restore to humanity all that was lost through sin:
be with us in your risen power,
that in word and deed we may proclaim
the marvellous mystery of death and resurrection.
For all praise is yours, now and throughout eternity. **Amen.**

Readings for Today

Please follow along in your pew Bible

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1st Reading	Acts 3.12-20	887
Psalm	4	225
2nd Reading	1 John 2.15-17, 3.1-6	990
Gospel	Luke 24.36b-48	861

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*We extend a very warm welcome
to everyone attending our services today.
You are invited to remain after the 9.30 am and
11.00 am services to join with us for a cup of tea
or coffee in the Church Hall*



Dates for the Diary.

Alpha Course 2018

For those interested in learning more about their Christian Faith there is the possibility of joining of an Alpha Course on Monday evenings in St Matthews Hall. **Starts Monday April 16 at 7pm.**
Speak to Andrew if you would like to take part.



Tuesday 17th

12.30 pm. Friendship Lunch at Brunch RSVP to Carolyn on 9751 1436 by Mon. April 16th.

Parish Council 7.45pm at St Matthew's Olinda

Sunday APRIL 22



Donations of non perishable goods will be passed onto Anglicare and the Monbulk Care Network for distribution

Sunday APRIL 22

Encounter

Film; Billy Graham's last message The Cross
With prayer and praise 5pm @ St Michael's Hall



Wednesday 25th April

9am at Kalorama Peace Memorial.

Saturday April 28 Olinda Car Boot Sale

This is a good opportunity for us to sell some of the Bric a Brac and other goods that were donated for the Autumn fair.

Please let us know if you are available to help out.

Contact Hilary Mellis 9751 1886

Sunday April 29

Combined Service and Koinonia Lunch

As is our custom on the 5th Sunday we will be having a combined service at St Matthew's Olinda at 10:30 am.

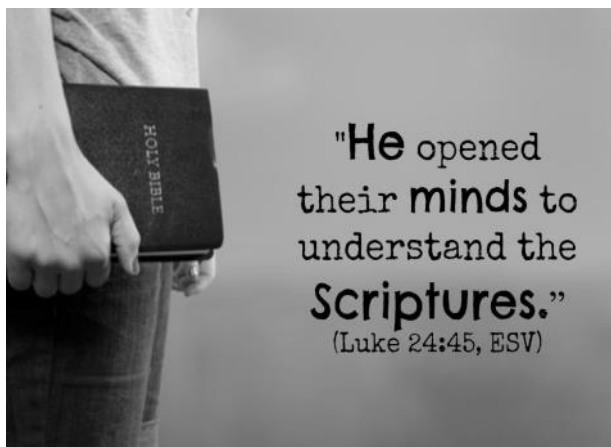
This will be the only service in the parish for the day

Sunday May 6 Chestnut Festival Kalorama Oval

Please let us know if you are available to help out.

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"Peace be with you!" Again and again this is Jesus' prayer for the disciples and by extension us as well. "I am with you always," he promises us at the end of Matthew's Gospel and Jesus never breaks his promises. Those early hours and days after the crucifixion must have been a time of immense worry and fear for the disciples. In their desolation you can't help wonder if in fact some of them even felt that Jesus must have abandoned them. His answer is to come to them in their fearfulness and give them his peace, the peace that passes all understanding. We too can be overcome by fear whenever life shaking events come our way. But Jesus has put his Holy Spirit in our hearts to help us on our journey and to help us know his peace even if we don't know what we should pray. Paul urges us, that at times like this, we should turn to God, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord.. "Peace be with you," says the Lord. In the words of the collect for this morning, may each of us have such awareness of his presence with us that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life, and serve him continually in righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Till next time.....*Andrew.*

INTERCESSION

Prayer for healing is offered after each Sunday morning service.

At St. Michael's come forward to the Communion rail
and at St. Matthew's come to the front pew.

You are welcome to seek prayer for yourself and others.

World: Pray for a peaceful resolution to the ongoing crisis in Syria

- Pray for the peace of Jerusalem.
- Pray for those trapped in the ongoing cycle of poverty in the third world.
- Pray for God's protection for Christians in places of danger.

Local: Pray for those affected by bush fires in Western Sydney

- Pray for the Commonwealth Games. .
- Pray for staff and students of our local schools
- Pray for those who are homeless and particularly as the weather turns cooler.

Parish: Pray for the Alpha Course commencing this week

- Pray for opportunities to share the Gospel with friends and loved ones.
- Pray for Bethany Vaughn working with CMS in Cambodia. In particular please pray for her as she continues with her language studies.
- Pray for the ministry of Scripture Union.
- Pray for the work of Anglicare
- Pray for all those suffering from sickness, sorrow or any other need including; Dorothy, Bruce, Bron Judy, Steve K, Anita, Jillian, Pat, Pam, David O, Henry D, Hanne, Sue, and baby Josiah.

Birthday's: 17/4 Laura Hartley, 18/4 Geoff Russell, 21/4 Queen Elizabeth II

Anniversaries: 17/4 Bob Charles, 19/4 Travis Greenwood, 20/4 Pauline Leggo

THIS WEEK @ LIGHT IN THE HILLS

April 15 Easter 3	8am 9.30am 11am	Holy Communion at St Michael's Holy Communion & Sunday school @ St Matthew's Holy Communion @ St Matthew's
Monday 16	10am 7pm 7.30pm	Art Group at St Michael's Hall Alpha Course begins @ St Matthew's Table Tennis at St Michael's Hall
Tuesday 17	10am 11am	Marmadukes Christian Prayer and Meditation ' St Michael's
Wednesday 18	10am 7.30pm	Holy Communion @ St Matthew's Bible Study @ the Gallery
Thursday 19	10am 7pm	Bible Study @ Brunch Ladies Bible Study
Sunday 22 Easter 4 Harvest Festival	8am 9.30am 11am 6pm	Holy Communion @ St Michael's Holy Communion @ St Matthew's Holy Communion @ St Michael's Film; Billy Graham's last message The Cross With prayer and praise @ St Michael's Hall

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Psalm	23	243
2nd Reading	1 John 3.16-24	990
Gospel	John 10.11-18	872

Pew Sheets Notices

If you have any notices for the pew sheet please email them to Andrew's attention by midday Thursday bandasmiths@gmail.com

OFFERINGS

One of the best ways of supporting the life and mission of our church is by setting up a direct debit with the Anglican Development Fund. ADF Planned Giving is the preferred method of giving directly, as it is completely anonymous. You can choose to give out of any bank account or credit card, and can give on a weekly, fortnightly or monthly basis. You also receive a book of tickets to put into the collection plate each week. Details of how to do this are available from the back of each church or you can contact the ADF direct.



Prayer Ministry

Prayer requests to: Wendy Berry or email:
mtdandyparishprayer@y7mail.com

If you would like to join our group of intercessors please email Wendy Berry and let her know you would like your name added to the list.

Bible Study Groups

- Wednesday** 7.30 - 9.30pm @ Five Ways Gallery Kalorama
Contact Ian or Heather Hartley for more details 9728 1541
- Thursday** 10am Bible Study at Brunch. All welcome.
Ph. Andrew 9728 6353
- Thursday** 7.- 9pm. Women's Bible Study every Thursday.
Contact Marina on 0407 326 263

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