



One church. Anglican Parish of Mt. Dandenong

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

All welcome. In Christ: Growing Caring Sharing

Shine

November 20, 2022, Christ the King



Sentence: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Lo your king comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt the foal of a donkey. Zechariah 9:9

Prayer of the week:

Stir up, we pray you, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people, that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Readings for Today

Please follow along in your pew Bible

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1st Reading	Jeremiah 23:1-6	
Psalm	Luke 1:68-79	
2nd Reading	Colossians 1:11-20	
Gospel	Luke 23:33-43	

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We extend a very warm welcome to everyone attending our services today. You are invited to remain after the 9.00 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.

Sunday 20th November

Holy Communion 9am at St Matthew's Olinda
Holy Communion 11am at St Michael's Kalorama

Tuesday 22nd November



Community Drop In at St Michael's Hall

1pm - 4pm Join us for a cuppa, a piece of cake friendship and a chat

Wednesday 23rd November

10am Holy Communion at St Matthew's Olinda

Sunday 27th November

Anglican Parish of Mount Dandenong Annual Parochial Church Council meeting

12noon at St Michael's following on from a Combined Service of Holy Communion at 10.30am

Nominations of candidates for the following offices are invited

Two churchwardens from the parish.

Four parish council members from the parish.

One member of the Incumbency Committee from the whole parish, and one from each worship centre.

Nomination forms are available this morning or by contacting Andrew. bandasmiths@gmail.com

All nominees must be registered on the parish electoral roll

Completed nomination forms must be received by Andrew 4pm Tuesday November 22nd.

Parish Electoral Roll Update

With this year's Annual Parish Congregational Meeting fast approaching now is the time for us to update the Electoral Roll. In order to vote at the meeting you need to be registered on the roll. For those not yet on the roll please contact Andrew for an application form.

Volunteers wanted.

At parish council it was agreed that we should try reopening St Michael's to the public on a selected couple of days each week. If you would be available to help with opening and closing please contact either Andrew or Peter Adams.

It would be also great to have some new volunteers who were willing to train to use the camera and increase the number of people available to assist with live streaming

Steps Christmas Appeal Sunday 4th December

Anne Mitchell from Steps will be joining us for our services on Sunday the 4th of December.

Zechariah's Song (The Benedictus)

Luke 1:68-79

68 "Blessed be the Lord God of Israel,
for he has looked favorably on his people and redeemed them.

69 He has raised up a mighty savior for us
in the house of his child David,

70 as he spoke through the mouth of his holy prophets from of old,
71 that we would be saved from our enemies and from the hand of
all who hate us.

72 Thus he has shown the mercy promised to our ancestors
and has remembered his holy covenant,

73 the oath that he swore to our ancestor Abraham, to grant us
that we, being rescued from the hands of our enemies,
might serve him without fear,

75 in holiness and righteousness
in his presence all our days.

76 And you, child, will be called the prophet of the Most High,
for you will go before the Lord to prepare his ways,

77 to give his people knowledge of salvation
by the forgiveness of their sins.

78 Because of the tender mercy of our God,
the dawn from on high will break[c] upon[d] us,

79 to shine upon those who sit in darkness and in the shadow of
death, to guide our feet into the way of peace."

INTERCESSION

Prayer for healing is available 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 those affected by heavy rain and flooding in the
Dominican Republic.

- Continue to pray for the people of Ukraine.
- Pray for the peace of Jerusalem.
- Pray that the cholera outbreak in Haiti would be quickly brought under control.

Local: Pray for those affected by the ongoing flood emergency across
Victoria, NSW and Tasmania

- Pray for safety for rescue workers and residents of communities in the path of the floods.
- Pray for students and schools as they approach the end of the academic year. Pray particularly those in flood affected areas.
- Pray for those struggling with the rising costs of food and fuel.
- Pray for the state election his coming Saturday
- Pray that the newest Covid wave would be easier to bring under control than previous waves.

Church: Give thanks for the opportunities we have to connect with people
through our community drop in at St Michael's.

- Pray for our Bishop Paul Barker and our Archbishop Phillip Freier.
- Pray for opportunities to share the Gospel with family and friends.
- Pray for the mission and outreach of Steps
- Pray for next Sunday's Annual meeting and for God's guidance for those being called to serve on parish council for the coming year.
- Pray for all those suffering from sickness, sorrow or any other need, including Ollie, Jeni, Pam, Rod, Steph, and Graeme

Birthday's: 24/11 Carolyn Clark

Anniversaries: 21/11 Kay Rundell, 22/11 Jack Rose, Frank Boulter,
26/11 Roma Mair

Steps Christmas Appeal

Donations of the following items appreciated:

- Boxes of Shortbread
- Chocolates
- After shave kits
- Perfume
- Candles
- Donations or vouchers would also be helpful.

Children's gifts need to be strong and safe.
Kits that need an adult to help them don't really work.

Donations to be collected from church on Sunday 4th Dec

Prayer Ministry

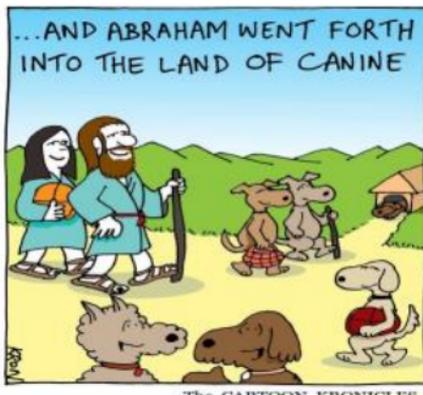
Prayer requests to: Wendy Berry or
mtdandyparishprayer@y7mail.com

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.

Readings for November 20 The first Sunday of Advent

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1st Reading	Isaiah 2:1-5	
Psalm	122	
2nd Reading	Romans 13:11-14	
Gospel	Matthew 24:36-44	



Pew Sheets Notices

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

You can give anonymously through our Bendigo Bank account, either in a branch or online

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Acc Name Anglican Parish of Mt. Dandenong

For Reference, please include either

MAT for St. Matthew's or **MIC** for St. Michael's.

CONTACT DETAILS

Please direct all Ministry enquiries and other questions to the Vicar .

(See front page for Contact info)

or to our Church Warden Mrs Glenys Taylor in the 2nd instance.

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