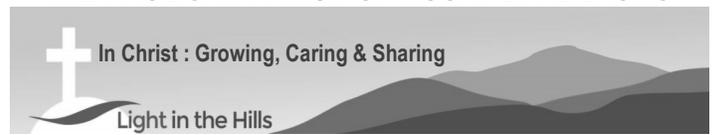


The Coming Week



Sun 5 Trinity 5	8am 9.30am 11.00am 5pm	BCP Holy Communion St Michael's followed by breakfast in the hall Holy Communion St Matthew's Holy Baptism St Michael's Healing service St Michael's
Tues 7	10.00am	No Marmaduke's (School Holidays)
Wed 8	10am 5pm	Holy Communion St Matthew's Prayer for the Hills (Please note we have moved to a different day) St Matthew's
Thurs 9	10 am	Bible Study at Brunch.
Sun 12 Trinity 6	8am 9.30am 11.00am	Holy Communion St Michael's Holy Communion & Sunday School St Matthew's Holy Communion St Michael's

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Trinity 5
July 5, 2015



Readings for	July 12 Trinity 6	page
1st Reading	2 Samuel 6.1-5, 12b-19	244
Psalm	24	244
2nd Reading	Ephesians 1:1-14	949
Gospel	Mark 6.14-29	817

<p>Pew Sheets Notices If you have any notices for the pew sheet please email them to Andrew's attention : Midday Thursday bandasmiths@gmail.com</p>	<p>Like to hear a missed sermon? Listen at home to past sermons on our website www.lightinthehills.org.au</p>
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OFFERINGS

You can give anonymously through our Bendigo Bank account, either in a branch or online **BSB 633 000 Acc No. 142 668 417 Acc Name Anglican Parish of Mt. Dandenong** For Reference, please include either **MAT** for St. Matthew's or **MIC** for St. Michael's.

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

Pastoral Visiting Team

is available to visit and provide care within the Parish. Please speak to one of the Pastoral Care Contact people listed under Church contacts.

Bible Study Groups

Wed 7.45pm Weekly Bible Study at The Vicarage
Ph. Andrew 9728 6353

Thursday 10am Bible Study at Brunch. All welcome.
Ph. Andrew 9728 6353

7.45 pm Younger Women every 2nd Thur .
Contact Marina on 0407 326 263

CONTACTS		
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	Glenys Taylor	97553594
Pastoral Care Contacts	Glenys Taylor	9755 3594
	Jean Speagle	9728 1337
	Valerie Barras	9728 2397
Sunday School	Yo Heading	9751 1639

Sentence: Of Jesus many said, "What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands!"
Mark 6.2

Prayer of the week: O Lord our God,
you are always more ready to bestow
your good gifts upon us than we are to seek them;
and more willing to give than we desire or deserve:
in our every need, grant us the first and best of your gifts,
the Spirit who makes us your children.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

	Readings for Today Please follow along in your Pew Bible.	page
1st Reading	2 Samuel 1.1-5, 9-10	240
Psalm	48	270
2nd Reading	2 Corinthians 12.2-10	943
Gospel	Mark 6.1-13	817

 *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*

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Dates for the Diary.

Healing Service

Sunday July 5 at 5pm at St Michael's Kalorama

Messy Church Sunday 26th July

3-5pm at St Michael's Kalorama

Messy Church planning meeting, 1pm Sunday 12th July over soup and a roll at the Vicarage. All welcome!

PARISH CAMP 21-23 AUGUST

We need to know if there's enough interest for a parish camp this year.

If you're interested, please email events@lightinthehills.org.au or talk to Katrina or Ian H. See our website for more information.



Where? Forest Edge CYC, Neerim East, a fully accessible all-ages camp.

How much? \$132 (ages 14+) \$99 (ages 9-13) \$66 (ages 3-8) Includes 2 nights' accommodation in bunk cabins and all meals. Reduced rates for day visitors, single-night stay. Family discounts may be available.

What do we do there? A mix of structured activity and free time.

The 80-acre camp includes a wide range of activities, from a meeting room with a wood fire, to a flying fox and river rafting. Whether you want serenity or adventure, you'll find it. We'll offer Alpha course components, interesting speakers, children's activities and a chance to spend time exploring faith and building connections with each other.

Who does the cooking? Not us! No washing up. It's fully catered. Special requirements and allergies are catered for, with advance notice.

THE LATEST EDITION OF TMA IS OUT NOW!

This issue includes:

- A report on Bishop Genevieve Blackwell's commissioning as an assistant bishop in the Diocese of Melbourne.
- Coverage of the recent special Melbourne synod which voted to form a company to make the church's governance more transparent and encourage justice for future victims of sexual abuse by giving them an entity from which to seek recompense; and voted to further the work being done towards making the diocese more mission-shaped;



COMING SOON.

The Alpha Course.

Alpha is a course for all those who would like to explore or renew their understanding of the Christian faith. If you would like to take part or to be a part of the planning team please speak to Andrew for more details.

Thank you to all those who have expressed interest so far. With just a few more takers we should be able reach kick off soon!

New Rosters

Please note that July - September Rosters are now available.

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Where did this man get such wisdom and mighty deeds? Is he not the carpenter's son?



What's a Messiah got to do? I mean really? Hot on the heels of healing Jairus's daughter and the woman with the hemorrhage, Jesus has now returned to his hometown. But whereas he was amazed by the great faith of the woman who was healed by touching his robe, here he finds himself astonished at the lack of faith he finds in his own village. Rather than put their trust in him the people of Nazareth choose to take offence. "Who does he think he is? Isn't this the carpenter's son?" If only they had known what they were missing out on.

As Jesus sends the 12 out on mission, he does so with the first hand knowledge that their ministry will not always be well received. For those with open hearts and hearts ready to receive, blessing would abound. But for those who were offended by the offer of God's love, their lack of faith would bear testimony against them.

To think about..... What, if anything, is there that stops you from seeing who Jesus really is? What helps you take a fresh look? Who or where has God called you to share the Good News? How's it going? Don't forget the advice Jesus gave in our gospel lesson last week. "Do not fear, only believe!"

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 the people of Greece as their country faces difficult times

- Pray for all refugees and asylum seekers.
- Pray for Christians suffering persecution for their faith.
- Pray for the peace of Jerusalem.

Local: Pray for a safe and happy break for the staff and students of our local schools.

- Pray for all those who provide care for the elderly and infirm members of our community.
- Pray for families in our community who are facing difficult times.

Parish Pray that God would bless Medina and Nathan Hopkins as they are baptised at St Michael's this morning

- Pray for all those suffering from sickness, sorrow or any other need including; Lilly, Laura, Alan, Wendy, Jill, Meg, John, & Phil.
- Pray for our bible study and fellowship groups.
- Give thanks for the life of Brenda Dimeck (Muriel Alexander's sister)

Birthdays: Freda Birch 8/7, Rod Mellis 9/7, Cherie Baines 10/7

Anniversaries: