



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

June 26 2016, 6th Sunday after Pentecost



Sentence: Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their lives for Jesus' sake will find it. Matthew 10:39

Prayer of the week: O God,
the light of minds that know you,
the life of souls that love you,
the strength of thoughts that seek you:
help us so to know you that we may truly love you,
and so to love you that we may fully serve you,
whose service is perfect freedom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

	Readings for Today Please follow along in your Pew Bible.	page
1st Reading	2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14	290
Psalm	77:1-2, 11-20	300
2nd Reading	Galatians 5:1, 13-25	948
Gospel	Luke 9:51-62	843



*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

Sunday 26th of June

Welcome to Catherine Turner who will be our guest speaker for this morning.

Catherine will be sharing with us about her missionary work in Myanmar with Pioneers

Tues. June 28th at 12.30pm

Friendship Lunch on at the Olinda Cafe in Olinda (due to the closure of Brunch that week). RSVP to Jean Speagle by Mon. June 27th on 9728 1337

Sunday the 17th of July



Fun worship for all ages
All Welcome

3-5pm at St Michael's Hall Kalorama

Saturday July 23rd – Men's Fellowship Breakfast

8.30am St Michael's Hall.

Cost: Gold coin donation to cover the cost of Breakfast.

RSVP to Andrew if you would like to be involved. 97286353

Saturday July 23rd - 5.30pm Church Family Film Night



"SOMETHING ABOUT A LION AND A WARDROBE"

Bring something to share for tea.

New Rosters are available this morning!

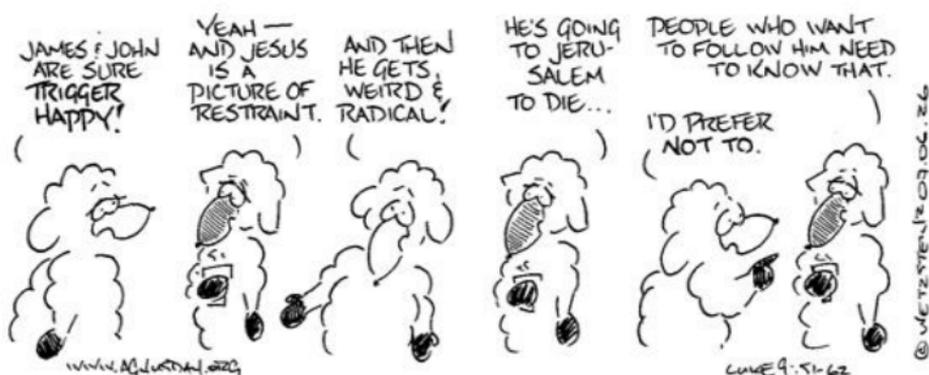
ICONOGRAPHY CLASSES - Techniques & Gilding

commencing in Term 3 on TUESDAY 19 JULY in FERNY CREEK.

Starting at 10.30am until around 2.30pm (but usually reasonably open-ended).

Contact Margaret Gibson for more information -

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VICAR'S DAY OFF

Please note that due to the ALPHA COURSE Andrew's day off has been changed from Monday to Friday.

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*“What the heart loves, the will chooses,
and the mind justifies.”*

Thomas Cranmer

On first reading, Jesus response to those who are challenged to follow him in our gospel reading this morning, seems a little harsh. But Jesus is unapologetic. It's no good putting off the decision to follow him until a rainy day. Jesus wants his followers to be willing to give their all to him. It's no good being half hearted about it, for Jesus it's all or nothing.

..In John 15:13 Jesus tells us that, “there is no greater love than to lay down ones life for a friend.” Jesus is on the way up to Jerusalem to do exactly that for all humanity and he wants us to be willing to love others in the same way.

Because Jesus knows us so well, he knows that left to ourselves there will always be one more excuse. Because he loves us and wants the best for us, he wants us to know the fullness of life and the blessing that can only come from accepting his love for us.

So the question remains, just how much do we love Jesus? Does he occupy first place on the throne of our heart or are their other things that we love more? Something to pray about I think.

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 all those who are refugees and all those fleeing conflict and war.

- Pray for the people of the United Kingdom as they come to terms with the outcome of the EU referendum.
- Pray an end to the continuing conflict in Syria and the Middle East.
- Pray for the peace of Jerusalem.

Local: Pray for our nation as we prepare for the election next weekend.

- Pray for all those taking part on the campaign trail and pray for discernment and guidance as people consider how they should vote .
- Pray for the homeless members of our community and the work of agencies such as Anglicare, Concern and the Salvation Army.
- Pray for the members of our local CFA branches and for a good and speedy resolution to the ongoing EBA crisis.

Parish: Pray for the work of CMS and the Bush Church Aid society.

- Pray for our link missionaries John and Jill Morshead as they come to the end of their time in Tanzania.
- Pray for all those suffering from sickness, sorrow or any other need including; Sabrina, Muriel, Dick, Carolyn, Pam, Steph, Colin, Frank, Mickey, Hilary and Penelope

Birthdays: 28/6 Sue Raisin, 30/6 Frank Raisin, 2/7 Alex Clark

Anniversaries: 28/6 Dorothy Morse, 29/6 Jim Hogan, 1/7 John Singleton, 2/7 Horace Donner

The Coming Week

Sun 26 Pentecost 6	8am 9.30am 11am	Holy Communion St Michael's. Holy Communion and Sunday school at St Matthew's Holy Communion St Michael's.
Monday 27		Alpha Course at the Vicarage (In recess for the school Holidays)
Tuesday 28	10am	No Marmaduke's this week
Wednesday 29	10am 5pm	Holy Communion, St Matthew's Prayer for the Hills. Unit 1, Rhodoglade Village, 1502 Mt
Thursday 30	10am	Bible Study at Brunch (Meeting at the vicarage this week only)
Sun 3 Pentecost 7	8am 9.30am 11am 5pm	BCP Holy Communion St Michael's followed by breakfast in the hall. Holy Communion and Sunday school at St Matthew's Holy Communion St Michael's Healing service at St Michael's

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Gospel	Luke 10:1-12, 17-24	844

Pew Sheets Notices

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

Like to hear a missed sermon?

Listen at home to past sermons on our website
www.lightinthehills.org.au

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

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

Thursday *Younger Women every 2nd Thurs.*
7.45 pm Contact Marina on 0407 326 263

There are also opportunities for new groups this year including; a group for training new group leaders, and a group for men.

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