

**Proclaiming Christ in word and action;
Growing in care, love and service**



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Next Wednesday: 9.00 am Holy Eucharist: St Margaret:

Next Saturday: 5.30 pm Holy Eucharist: St Stephen

Next Sunday:

9.00 am Holy Eucharist: St Ann

11 00 am Holy Eucharist & Healing : Christ Church

10.30 am PPP: St Margaret :

10.30 am Youth Service: St Nicholas

9.00 am: Holy Eucharist: St James

Pentecost 22: Job 42:1-6,10-17; Psalm 34:1-8; Hebrews 7:21-28; Mark 10:46-52



Acknowledgement of Country: We acknowledge the cultures of our First Nation Peoples & are thankful for the community we share together. We pay our respects to the Kaurna People.

Sentence

Pentecost 21 October 17 2021

. The Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many..

Mark 10:45

Collect

God of unchallengeable power, when the heaven and earth were made, the morning stars sang together and the host of heaven shouted for joy: open our eyes to the wonders of creation and teach us to use all things for good, to honour your glorious name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever .
Amen.

Thought for the Week:

The first two lines of the Servant Song (found in *Together in Song*) are "Brother, sister let me serve you, let me be as Christ to you". Serving through acts of kindness does not expect anything in return. The acts of kindness are done with humility – "...and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve..." (Mark 10:44-45). The Song also reminds us "that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too."

- Pray that we will respond to each other with compassion and kindness, reflecting the love of Jesus.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Korea, the *Daehan Seong Gong Hoe*.

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Job 38:1-7

A reading from the Book of Job

Then the Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind: "Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me. "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?"

*Hear the word of the Lord.
thanks be to God.*



Psalm 104:1-12

O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

1Bless the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God, you are very great. You are clothed with honour and majesty,

2wrapped in light as with a garment. You stretch out the heavens like a tent,

3you set the beams of your chambers on the waters, you make the clouds your chariot, you ride on the wings of the wind,

4you make the winds your messengers, fire and flame your ministers.

5You set the earth on its foundations, so that it shall never be shaken.

6You cover it with the deep as with a garment; the waters stood above the mountains.

7At your rebuke they flee; at the sound of your thunder they take to flight.

8They rose up to the mountains, ran down to the valleys to the place that you appointed for them.

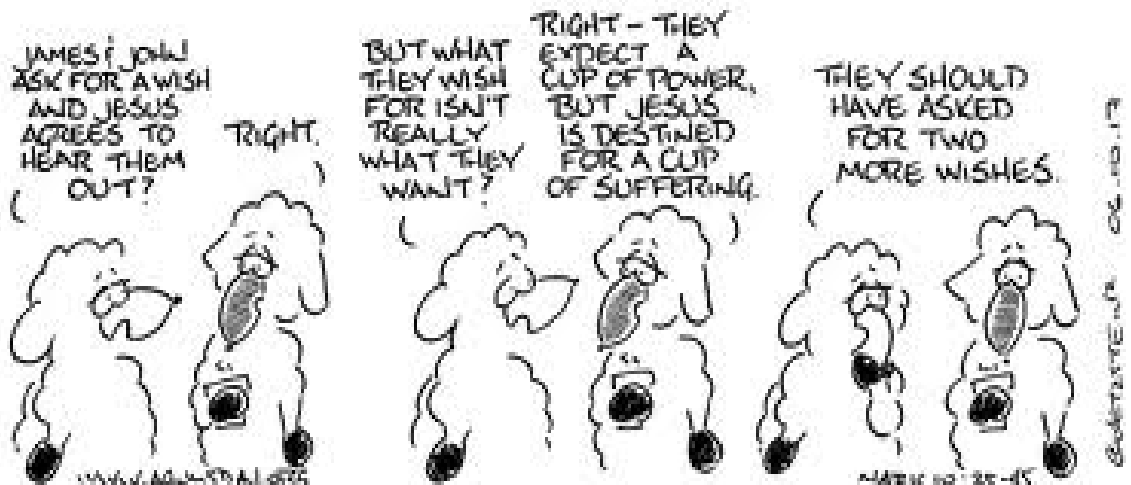
9You set a boundary that they may not pass, so that they might not again cover the earth.

10You make springs gush forth in the valleys; they flow between the hills,

11giving drink to every wild animal; the wild asses quench their thirst.

12By the streams the birds of the air have their habitation; they sing among the branches.

O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.



Hebrews 5:1-10

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, "You are my Son, today I have begotten you"; as he says also in another place, "You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek." In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

*This is the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God.*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Son of Man came to serve
and to give his life as a ransom for all
Alleluia!

Mark 10:35-45

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to Jesus and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptised with the baptism that I am baptised with?" They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptised, you will be baptised; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared." When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



In the Parish This Week

All items for Church Chatter should be either e-mailed (sanderwt@bigpond.com) or texted (0410 548 040) to the Editor by Wednesday evening. Thank you for your cooperation.

Today:

Monday: Another day to be with the Lord
11.00 am Combined MU. Information Centre

Tuesday: Another day to be with the Lord
6.50 for 7.00 pm Friends of S. Ann

Wednesday: Another day to be with the Lord
10.00 am Scripture Study S. Margaret

Thursday: Another day to be with the Lord
11.15 am Prayers for Peace, S. Ann

Friday: Another day to be with the Lord
6.30 pm Family Tea, S. Ann

Saturday: Another day to be with the Lord



Prayer of the week

Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Church Chatter:

Blue Knot Day: Thursday October 28th: *A Festival of Healing* accessible digitally.

Christian Care and Support Centre— needs supplies for October 2021. Place gifts (staple items preferred) in the outside basket or deliver to the Centre. Forget? Make a donation!

Those we pray for this week:

Pray for ABM and The Church of Pakistan; and for Anglican Mothers' Union Australia and a decline in poverty & hardship. We give thanks for Young Australian Christian writers. We pray for the Diocese of North Queensland, Bp Keith Joseph, clergy & people. We give thanks for the ministry of the BCA staff Julie & Andy Benton, Mallacoota, Victoria and Josh & Naomi Skeat, Deloraine, Tasmania. We pray for Army Reserve chaplains.

We pray for our own Diocese, for Bishop Keith Dalby and his wife Alice and family. We pray for the South Coast Pastoral District, Frs Chris Talbot and Paul Monash, and people. We give thanks for the ministry to the elderly; for those unable to attend church, the lonely; and for the house bound; for the church's ministry of visiting the aged and infirm in their homes. We give thanks for the ministry of Pastoral Care worker, Chris Oxenham, Old Noarlunga Primary School

Those we continue to pray for:

Izabelle; Peta; Mariette; Joanne; Peter G, Peter C; Samantha; Fiona; Brenton; Sue; Pat; Brendon; Bill; David H; Diane; Jean; Carolyn; Allison; Angela; Carol; Shirley; Lucy Ann; Margaret, Lyn; Irene; Linda; Tina; Wendy; Chris; Trevor; Liz; Tristan & Trish S; Carole and family; Peter, Eleni and Nicholas; Jac Bishop, Joanie; Andrew; Kerrie; David Jones; Claire; Jean; Dan Thomas; Trish; Claire; Fr Graham & Catherine; & Blair; Aileen; Ann; Tom & Nick; Stephen, Bill, Eileen Cook; Tessa; Yvonne Scrutton; Sylvia; Gabrielle, Brenda; Judith; Ted & Joyce and Miriam *and any others we wish to remember.*