

**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: All Saints

9.00 am Holy Eucharist: St Ann

9.00 am Holy Eucharist: Christ Church

10.30 am Holy Eucharist: St Margaret :

10.30 am Holy Eucharist & Healing: St Nicholas

11.00 am Holy Eucharist: St James



Pentecost 25: 1 Samuel 1:4-20; Song of Hannah; Hebrews 10:11-14, 19-25; Mark 13:1-11

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.

Pentecost 24 All Saints November 7 2021

Sentence

Let us all rejoice in the Lord and keep a festival in honour of all the saints. Let us join with the angels in joyful praise to the Son of God.

Collect

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Thought for the Week:

By faith and righteousness, we belong to the Lord, and as such a great feast has been laid out for our entry into our heavenly home. The Creator King will come and welcome us into eternal joy and to meet with those who have gone before.

- Pray to be ready for the glorious greeting and welcome into the promised inheritance.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Australia, and all the other members of the National Council of Churches in Australia.

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Wisdom 3:1-9

A Reading from the Book of Wisdom

But the souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace.

For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt-offering he accepted them.

In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble.

They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them for ever.

Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

Hear the word of the Lord.

thanks be to God.



All Saints: Painting by Fra Angelico



Psalm 24

Response: *Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face.*

The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it, the world, and those who live in it; for he has founded it on the seas, and established it on the rivers. **R.**

Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord? And who shall stand in his holy place? Those who have clean hands and pure hearts, who do not lift up their souls to what is false, and do not swear deceitfully. **R.**

They will receive blessing from the Lord, and vindication from the God of their salvation. Such is the company of those who seek him, who seek the face of the God of Jacob. **R.**

Lift up your heads, O gates! and be lifted up, O ancient doors! that the King of glory may come in. Who is the King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle. **R.**

Lift up your heads, O gates! and be lifted up, O ancient doors! that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory? The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory. **R.**

Revelation 21:1-6a

A reading from the book of Revelation.

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them as their God; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away." And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end.

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

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come to me, all you that labour and are burdened,
and I will give you rest, says the Lord.

Alleluia!



John 11:32-44

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Mary arrived where Jesus was, and as soon as she saw him, she fell at his feet. "Lord," she said, "if you had been here, my brother would not have died!" Jesus saw her weeping, and he saw how the people with her were weeping also; his heart was touched, and he was deeply moved. "Where have you buried him?" he asked them. "Come and see, Lord," they answered. Jesus wept. "See how much he loved him!" the people said. But some of them said, "He gave sight to the blind man, didn't he? Could he not have kept Lazarus from dying?" Deeply moved once more, Jesus went to the tomb, which was a cave with a stone placed at the entrance. "Take the stone away!" Jesus ordered. Martha, the dead man's sister, answered, "There will be a bad smell, Lord. He has been buried four days!" Jesus said to her, "Didn't I tell you that you would see God's glory if you believed?" They took the stone away. Jesus looked up and said, "I thank you, Father, that you listen to me. I know that you always listen to me, but I say this for the sake of the people here, so that they will believe that you sent me." After he had said this, he called out in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" He came out, his hands and feet wrapped in grave cloths, and with a cloth around his face. "Untie him," Jesus told them, "and let him go."

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: **Gold Coin donation for Schools Ministry; SCC 25th anniversary**

Monday: Another day to be with the Lord

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10.00 am Scripture Study S. Margaret

11.15 pm Maggie Mates

Thursday: Another day to be with the Lord

Friday: Another day to be with the Lord

Saturday: Another day to be with the Lord

St Ann Jumble Sale

6.45 pm Saturday Night Out



Prayer of the week

Blessed Lord, you have caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them, that, by patience and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Church Chatter:

Christian Care and Support Centre— needs supplies for November 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 & Anglican Church of Kenya; and for Anglican Mothers' Union Australia and remember & reflect. We give thanks for the Word of Life School of Theology, Kianjai, Kenya. We pray for the Diocese of Brisbane, ABp Phillip Aspinall, Assistant Bps, clergy and people. We give thanks for the BCA SA /NT Regional Office staff John & Geetha Warner and Debbie Edwards. We pray for F/T Chaplains of the RAN.

We pray for our own Diocese, for Bishop Keith Dalby and his wife Alice and family. We pray for Pastoral District of the Lower Limestone Coast, Fr Lyndon Sulzberger and people. We give thanks for the Editor of The Murray Anglican, Mark Taylor, the committee and all contributors. We give thanks for the ministry of Pastoral Care worker, Wendy Lindsay, Yankalilla Area 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; Gabrielle; and *any others we wish to remember.*