

**Pentecost**

**19 May 2024**



**Father,  
We ask you to send the Holy Spirit  
into our lives.  
Open our ears to hear what you are saying  
to us in the things that happen to us and  
in the people that we meet.  
Open our eyes to see the needs of the people  
around us.  
Open our hands to do our work well and  
to help when help is needed.  
Open our lips to tell others the good news  
about Jesus and bring comfort, happiness  
and laughter to other people.  
Open our minds to discover new truth  
about you and the world.  
Open our hearts to love you  
and all the people  
as you have loved us in Jesus. Amen.**

In our Parish all are welcome, all are accepted, all are valued and all are respected.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which we meet, the people of the Kulin nation, and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

This parish is committed to Child Safety and complies with Diocesan and State requirements. This is a shared responsibility of staff and parish. Please see the back of pew leaflet for contact details.

# **Monash Chorale, supported by the Monash Chorale Chamber Orchestra,**

will present

Dreamtime to Duruflé - A concert of Australian and French Music

Saturday May 25<sup>th</sup> 2024, 2:30 pm here at St Stephen's and St Mary's Mount Waverley

Featuring Duruflé's ethereal 'Requiem' (1961)

Australian premiere of a lost 'Sanctus' by Gounod

Recent works by Australian composers Deborah Cheetham and Eddie Perfect

Tickets available on the door or online at [monashchorale.org.au/dreamtime](http://monashchorale.org.au/dreamtime)

## **New Services**

We will be offering two new services in June, July and August.

*Faith Film and Food at Five* on 2nd and 4th Saturdays at 5pm which will include watching episodes of *The Chosen* and a shared 'potluck' dinner.

*Winter Warmers* on 1st and 3rd Sundays at 4.30pm which will be an all-age interactive service and include a communal meal of warm soup and bread.

Talk to Rev Cara or Rev Candice for more information.

## **Winter Woollies Collection**

The Social Justice Committee is running a collection of winter woollies for people in need during May.

Goods to be collected include:

- Blankets and sleeping bags
- Knitted goods including hats, scarves, gloves, mittens
- **Jumpers, jackets, coats, tracksuits (both men's and women's)**
- Woolen socks – we suggest Explorer socks.



Please place goods in the Narthex. Sunday May 26 LAST DAY for winter Woollies collection. Thanks.

# What's on this week ...

Sunday May 19, 2024

Pentecost

9.30 am Joint Service

11.30 am - 3.30 pm Cedar Church

Monday 20

4.00 - 8.45 pm Karen Margaret Dance

Tuesday 21

9.15 - 10.45 am Yoga (Old Church)

10.00 am Morning Prayer (zoom)

Wednesday 22

Thursday 23

10.00 am Eucharist

7.30 pm Choir

Friday 24

7.00 - 10.00 pm Monash Chorale (Church)

Saturday 25

8.00 - 9.30 am Yoga (Old Church)

12.00 - 5.00 pm Monash Chorale (Church, Old Church & Parish Centre)

Sunday 26

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

11.30 am - 3.30 pm Cedar Church

4.00 - 8.00 pm Tamil Family Service

Next Sunday May 26, 2024

Trinity

8.30 am Holy Communion

Server Joanne Burns

Welcomers Shanti Lieversz  
Darrell Lieversz

Reader John Foster

10.00 am Sung Eucharist

Lay Reader Jenny Bowers

Welcomers Nima Flora  
Glenda Biddle

Readers Rowena Ferguson  
Ron Ritchie

Intercessions Graeme Dellora

Chalice Assistants Sugan Blanchard  
Arunthy Blanchard

Morning Tea Judith Gibson  
David Sharrock

## **Next Sunday's Readings:**

Isaiah 6.1 - 8

Psalm 29

Romans 8.12 -17

John 3.1 -17

## ***The Wednesday Evening Meditation Group***

The Meditation group will meet on Zoom on the first and third Wednesday evenings of the month at 7.30pm. The next session will be on Wednesday June 5 followed by Wednesday June 19. Zoom links are emailed to members prior to the sessions. Enquiries can be directed to Michael Mosley.

## ***Parish Bank Account Details***

If you wish to give electronically to support the work of this parish account details follow:

Westpac BSB 033-038 Account no. 211 656

Account name: Parish of St Stephen & St Mary Mt Waverley General Account

**Thanks**

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## **Priest**

The Venerable Dianne Sharrock

(Day off - Monday)

## **Assistant Curate**

The Revd Cara Greenham Hancock

(Day off - Monday)

## **Assistant Curate**

The Revd Candice Mitrousis

(Sundays only)

## **Safe Ministry Compliance Officer**

Elaine Fasken

## **Child Safety Officer**

Rowena Ferguson

## **Music Director**

Brian Copple

## **Treasurer**

Helen Warren

## **Office Administrator**

Katherine Rushby

## **Churchwardens:**

Sugan Blanchard

Sally Hibbert

Sue Retschko

## **Parish Council:**

John Leaver, Fiona Sawyer, David Stanley,  
Helen Warren, Joan West

## **Pastoral Care Ministry:**

*Hospital Visiting:*

Clergy

*Funeral Ministry:*

The Vicar

## **Spiritual Directors:**

Val Dyke

**Prayer Chain contact** Margaret Syfret

**SERVICES: Sunday 8.30 & 10.00 am**

**Thursday 10.00 am**