THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST STEPHEN AND ST MARY

MOUNT WAVERLEY

WELCOME

Trinity

26 May 2024



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Where choked by hairy cactus-fingers Or sea-blue weeds like crakens curled, One sculptured scene of sacrifice Betrays the password of the world,

Carved as one awful threefold flower Triple and cloven and yet alone, The priest, the victim and the god Wear the same smiling face of stone.

by G. K. Chesterton

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.

Sunday for Christian Unity

Today we celebrate the 24th Christian Unity Ecumenical Sunday arranged by the Mount Waverley and Glen Waverley Inter Church Councils.

We warmly welcome:

- Max and Alex De Souza from Christ Our Holy Redeemer
- Trish and Bernard Smith from Holy Family Catholic Church
- Lesley and Eric Armstrong from Glen Waverley Uniting Church

Marg and Geoff Taylor are visiting Glen Waverley Uniting Church, Joanne Burns and Norma Schultz are going to Holy Family and Ruth and Doug Hastings are visiting Christ Our Holy Redeemer. Please join Val Dyke and Lyn Ryan in welcoming our visitors to our church.

Flowers

This Sunday's flowers have been donated in memory of Molly Daniel by her family.

Mothers Union Birthday Celebration

Monday 24 June at 1.30pm in the Parish Centre.

All welcome. For further details see the pew sheet lift out.

Joan West, President



Winter Warmers

Winter Warmers starts on Sunday 2nd June at 4.30pm and will be an all-age interactive service and include a communal meal of warm soup and bread. Talk to Rev Candice for more information.

National Reconciliation Week 2024, 27 May to 3 June "Now More Than Ever"

National Reconciliation Week is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures and achievements, and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia.

The Social Justice Group asks that you consider the theme "Now More Than Ever" as a reminder to all of us that no matter what, the work for justice and the rights of Aboriginal and Torres Strait islander people must continue. This work continues towards treaty making, truth telling, in understanding indigenous history, in education and in tackling racism.

NRW dates remain the same each year 27 May to 3 June. These dates commemorate the successful 1967 referendum and the High Court Mabo decision respectively. To learn more visit reconciliation.org.au

What's on this week ...

<u>Sunday</u> May 26, 2024

Trinity

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

Monday 27

1.30 pm MU (Parish Centre)

4.00 - 8.45 pm Karen Margaret Dance

Tuesday 28

9.00 am - 5.00 pm Living Well

10.00 am Morning Prayer (zoom)

Wednesday 29

9.00 am - 5.00 pm Living Well

Thursday 30

9.00 am - 5.00 pm Living Well

10.00 am Eucharist

7.30 pm Choir

Friday 31

Saturday 1

8.00 - 9.30 am Yoga (Old Church)

1.00 - 10.00 pm Private Party (Parish Centre)

Sunday 2

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

11.30 am - 3.30 pm Cedar Church

4.30 - 6.00 pm Winter Warmers (Parish Ctre)

Next Sunday June 2, 2024

Corpus Christi

8.30 am Holy Communion

<u>Server</u> Brett Gaffney

<u>Welcomers</u> Adam Thevapalan

Nirmala Thevapalan

Reader Joanne Burns

10.00 am Sung Eucharist

<u>Lay Reader</u> Sue Retschko

Welcomers David Stanley

Nima Flora

<u>Readers</u> Dennis Mills

Judith Gibson

<u>Intercessions</u> Val Dyke

<u>Chalice Assistants</u> Jenny Bowers

Glenda Biddle

Morning Tea Judy Duncan

David Duncan

Next Sunday's Readings:

Exodus 24.3 - 8

Psalm 116

1 Corinthians 10.14 - 21 Mark 14.12 -16, 22 - 26

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



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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:

Prayer Chain contact Margaret Syfret

SERVICES: Sunday 8.30 & 10.00 am Thursday 10.00 am