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## EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

3<sup>rd</sup> August 2025



*We welcome you to the  
Anglican Parish of Warrnambool.*

*We hope that in today's celebration of  
the Eucharist you will encounter  
something of God's love for you.*



*We acknowledge the Peek Whurrong  
People, of the Maar Nations, the First  
Nations people, the traditional  
custodians of the land on which we  
are gathered. We give our respect to  
the local Elders: past, present &  
emerging. We extend that respect to  
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander  
peoples here today.*



**Stretch Sunday – 10<sup>th</sup> August**

**Diocesan Anniversary Lunch**

**One Sunday Eucharist**

**10.30am**



As a part of our Diocesan Anniversary, every parish in our diocese has been invited to share a lunch on Stretch Sunday (10<sup>th</sup> August), followed by our lunch, which is meant to be the sort of meal eaten 150 years ago.



*Or similar words*

**Sentence:** O God, come to my assistance;  
O Lord, make haste to help me!  
You are my rescuer, my help;  
O Lord, do not delay.

**PRAYER OF PREPARATION**

**Priest:** As we gather this day, let us open ourselves to the God  
who invites us into this sacred time and space. ***Silence.***

Let us pray.

**Almighty God,  
to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name,  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Priest:** As we prepare to celebrate the mystery of God's love,  
revealed in Word and Sacrament,  
let us call to mind our sins seeking God's mercy. ***Silence.***

In the wilderness we find your grace;  
you love us with an everlasting love.

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

There is none but you to uphold our cause;  
our sin cries out and our guilt is great.

Christ, have mercy.

**Christ, have mercy.**

Heal us, O Lord, and we shall be healed;  
restore us and we shall know your joy.

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

**Priest:** Almighty God,  
who has promised forgiveness  
to all who turn to him in faith,  
pardon ✠ you,  
and set you free from all your sins,  
strengthen you in all goodness  
and keep you in eternal life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## THE GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest  
and peace to God's people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the World:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One;  
you alone are the Lord;  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of ☩ God the Father.      Amen.

or

*Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo!  
Gloria, gloria, alleluia, alleluia!*

*x 3*

1 Dm Gm C F 2 Dm Gm C F  
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ry to God, glo - ri - a, glo - ry to God, in - ex - cel - sis De - o! high - est!  
3 Dm Gm C F 4 Dm Gm C F  
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ry to God, glo - ri - a, glo - ry to God, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
al - le - lu - ia! al - le - lu - ia!

Music From Taize, Vol. 1 Collins, 1993

## THE COLLECT

**Priest:** Let us pray:

***Silence.***

**Priest:** Living God,  
whose Son Jesus fed the hungry  
with the bread of his life  
and the word of his kingdom:  
renew your people with your heavenly grace,  
and in all our weakness  
sustain us with your true and living bread.  
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

**First Reading:** A reading from the book of Ecclesiastes 1: 2, 2: 21 – 23.

Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity. Sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God**

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 89: Vs: 3 - 6, 12 - 14, 17.

**Response: In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

You turn men back into dust and say: 'Go back, sons of men.'

To your eyes a thousand years  
are like yesterday, come and gone,  
no more than a watch in the night.

**In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

You sweep men away like a dream,  
like grass which springs up in the morning.  
In the morning it springs up and flowers:  
by evening it withers and fades.

**In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

Make us know the shortness of our life  
that we may gain wisdom of heart.  
Lord, relent! Is your anger for ever?  
Show pity to your servants.

**In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

In the morning, fill us with your love;  
we shall exult and rejoice all our days.  
Let the favour of the Lord be upon us:  
give success to the work of our hands.

**In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

**Second Reading:** A reading from the letter of Paul to the Colossians 3: 1-5, 9-11.

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed, which is idolatry. Do not lie to one another; seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel Acclamations:** Halle, Halle. TIS 720.

Halle, halle, halle-lujah!  
Halle, halle, halle-lujah!  
Halle, halle, halle-lujah!  
Hallelujah, hallelujah!

**Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!**  
Happy the poor in spirit;  
the kingdom of heaven is theirs!  
**Alleluia,**

The Lord be with you  
**And also with you.**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Saint Luke 12: 13 – 21.

**Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, “Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.” But Jesus said to him, “Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?” And Jesus said to the crowd, “Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.” Then Jesus told them a parable: “The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, ‘What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?’ Then he said, ‘I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, “Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.”’ But God said to him, ‘You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’ So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**HOMILY**



## THE NICENE CREED

*1700<sup>th</sup> Anniversary – First Council of Nicaea (325)*

**Priest:** Let us stand and together affirm the faith of the Church:

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:  
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,  
and became truly human.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;**

**he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection ☩ of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

**Priest:** Let us pray for all people and for the Church throughout the world.

Lord, hear us, **or** Lord, in your mercy;  
**Lord, hear our prayer. Hear, our prayer.**

*Or as introduced by the person leading us in the prayers.*

**Priest:** Almighty God, you have promised to hear our prayers.  
**Grant that what we have asked in faith  
we may by your grace receive,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## THE GREETING OF PEACE

**Priest:** Please stand for the greeting of peace.

In the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body.  
Let us then pursue all that makes for peace  
and builds up our common life.

**Priest:** We are the body of Christ.  
**His Spirit is with us.**

**Priest:** The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
**And also with you.**

**Deacon/Priest:** Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

## THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

**Offertory Hymn:** Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour. TIS 520.

1. Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour,  
first-begotten from the dead,  
you alone our strong defender,  
lifting up your people's head:  
alleluia, alleluia,  
Jesus, true and living bread.
2. Here our humble homage pay we,  
here in loving reverence bow;  
here for faith's discernment pray we,  
lest we fail to know you now:  
alleluia, alleluia,  
you are here, we ask not how.
3. Though the lowliest form now veils you  
as of old in Bethlehem,  
here as there your angels hail you,  
branch and flower of Jesse's stem;  
alleluia, alleluia,  
we in worship join with them.
4. Paschal Lamb, your offering, finished  
once for all when you were slain,  
in its fullness undiminished  
shall for evermore remain,  
alleluia, alleluia,  
cleansing souls from every stain.
5. Great High Priest of our profession  
through the veil you entered in;  
by your mighty intercession  
grace and mercy you can win:  
alleluia, alleluia,  
only sacrifice for sin.



6. Life-imparting heavenly manna,  
stricken rock with streaming side,  
heaven and earth with loud hosanna  
worship you, the Lamb who died,  
alleluia, alleluia,  
ris'n, ascended, glorified!

*George Hugh Bourne 1840–1925*

### INVITATION TO PRAYER

**Priest:** *Pray, my friends, that our sacrifice  
may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.  
**May the Lord accept this sacrifice at your hands,  
for the praise and glory of his name,  
for our good and for the good of all his Church and world.***

### PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

**Priest:** Merciful Lord,  
make holy these gifts,  
and let our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving  
be pleasing to you.  
May our sharing in this sacrament enable us  
to grow in faith and hope.  
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

**Priest:** The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**  
It is indeed right, ...  
... for ever praising you and saying/singing:  
**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.**  
**Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*Please kneel or be seated.*

Holy and gracious God, ...  
... do this in remembrance of me.'

**Priest:** Let us proclaim the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died:  
Christ is risen:  
Christ will come again.**

Therefore, ...

....in songs of never ending praise:

**Blessing and honour and glory and power  
are yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **HOLY COMMUNION**

#### ***The Lord's Prayer or Our Father***

**Priest:** Rejoicing in the presence of our risen Lord,  
we are confident to pray:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come.  
Thy will be done on earth,  
as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass  
against us.  
And lead us not into temptation:  
but deliver us from evil.**

***Our Loving God in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
And forgive us our sins,  
as we forgive those who sin  
against us.  
Save us from a time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.***

*Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil,  
graciously grant peace in our days, that,  
by the help of your mercy and love,  
we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress,  
as we await the blessed hope  
and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.*

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen.**

**Priest:** We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.  
We who are many are one body,  
**for we all share in the one bread.**

*May this mingling of the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
bring eternal life to all God's people.*

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us your peace.**

***We do not presume to come to your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.***

Behold the Lamb of God,  
Behold him who takes away the sins of the world.  
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,  
but only say the word, and I shall be healed.**

God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

### **Communion Anthem:**

**Communion Hymn:** Father, We Adore You. TIS 716.



1. Father, we adore you;  
lay our lives before you;  
how we love you.
2. Jesus, we adore you;  
lay our lives before you;  
how we love you.
3. Spirit, we adore you;  
lay our lives before you;  
how we love you.

Terrye Coelho 1952–

The Lord is my Light. TIS 747.

The Lord is my light, my light and salvation:  
in God I trust, in God I trust.  
The Lord is my light, my light and salvation:  
in God I trust, in God I trust.

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.  
Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

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### **Communion Voluntary:**

**Sentence:** *You have given us, O Lord,  
bread from heaven,  
endowed with all delights  
and sweetness in every taste.*

**Post Communion Antiphon:** Blessed and praised be Jesus Christ.

Blessed and praised be Jesus Christ  
in the most holy sacrament  
hosanna hosanna hosanna in excelsis x3

### **POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

**Priest:** Let us stand and pray. **Silence.**

**Priest:** God of our pilgrimage,  
you have willed that the gate of mercy  
should stand open for those who trust in you:  
look upon us with your favour,  
that we, who follow the path of your will,  
may never wander from the way of life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Notices:**

### **DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR 150TH ANNIVERSARY**

**Priest:** Let us stand and pray for the diocese as we celebrate our 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

**Creator God of love,  
All time and every place is your gift.**

**We thank you that you have blessed our Diocese for the last 150 years,  
even when we have failed in our high calling to herald your kingdom.**

**Your forgiveness,  
love and peace sustained generations of our forebears,  
and we rejoice that you still bless us and invite us to work with you to  
build justice, hope and love in Western Victoria.**

**Inspire us with a new vision and new energy as we face the future,  
and help us to trust and commit to the humble serving path of Jesus,  
guided by your Holy Spirit. Amen.**

### **THE BLESSING & DISMISSAL**

**Priest:** Let us stand and pray for God's blessing. **Silence.**

**Priest:** The glory of God the creator be yours,  
the glory of Christ the redeemer be yours,  
the glory of the Spirit, the Sanctifier be yours:

And the blessing of God almighty  
Father, Son, ✠ and Holy Spirit,  
be amongst you and remain with you,  
and all those whom you love and hold dear, now and always. **Amen.**

**Priest:** Go in the peace of Christ,  
glorifying the Lord by your life.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Recessional Hymn:** 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Hymn

1. In this, our anniversary,  
We praise God's glorious name  
For blessings to our Diocese  
Across this rich domain.  
Amidst the golden goodness of  
God's past and present care  
We look for future days to find  
God's full endowment there.
2. We stand with all First People who  
Have walked this land so well,  
Custodians of truths divine  
Through stories which they tell,  
And side by side with all who've come  
From other lands to be  
United with us in our quest  
To sing God's majesty.
3. For laity, whose faithfulness,  
Through hardship, toil and tears  
Has built foundations for our church  
Sure and sound throughout the years  
For bishops, priest and deacons who  
Have served, in all they do,  
The welfare of God's people here:  
The many and the few
4. We gaze into the future, yet  
The Future is unknown  
And still, we're sure of one thing: God  
Will lead us safely home.  
And so we pray for people, called  
as ministers of grace,  
Who'll lead our Diocese into  
Its future in this place.
5. So may we all be faithful in  
The challenge of these days:  
In prayer, in mission, as we meet  
To offer thanks and praise.  
Until we come at last to know  
The glory you have won –  
The everlasting perfect reign  
Of Jesus Christ, your Son.

## Recessional Voluntary:



Resources used or adapted:  
*Together in Song, Common Worship, APBA, Roman Missal*



*We pray that you have experienced,  
in some small measure,  
something of God's love for you today.*

*If you are a visitor to the Parish or new to our region  
please make yourself known to us.*



### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK FROM MOTHERS UNION AUSTRALIA

#### **Mary Sumner**

'As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you'. *Isaiah 66:13*

Mary Sumner is rightly famous around the world for her great work in founding what has become 'Mothers Union'. She did this by gathering the mothers of her local community so that they could support one another. And she did it in a way in which people of all backgrounds met in the equality that the Lord decrees when he made us all in his image. She overcame her own shyness with God's help to become an effective speaker, and she was driven by the conviction that motherhood was one of the most important tasks given to humanity. We rightly thank God for her and seek to fulfil her vision in our own time.

#### **Question for thought:**

How do we honour and support motherhood?

Almighty God, we pray for our members in Juba, South Sudan. We thank you for the faithfulness of members in the midst of conflict amongst tribes. We thank you for the women who have encouraged and helped others to know you as well as equipping their sisters with life skills along with care and support. Lord of all, we pray for the Dioceses of Melbourne and North West Australia as they reach out with your love to their communities whether in a large city or small country towns. Bless them as they gather together to listen to your Word and pray. **Amen.**



## NOTICES



### **Sacrament Group - CHANGE OF DATE**

Our next meeting will be today **Sunday 3rd August** when we will be thinking about the Eucharist.

All are welcome to join us as we learn about the Eucharist.



### ***Mothers Union Meeting Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> August***

*12.30 pm BYO Lunch*

*1.30 pm Guest Speaker Dr Eric Fairbank  
Advanced Care Plan  
All welcome*



### **Diocesan Anniversary Lunch – Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August**

As a part of our Diocesan Anniversary, every parish in our diocese has been invited to share a lunch on Stretch Sunday (10<sup>th</sup> August).

On that day there will only be **one service at Christ Church, held at 10.30am**, followed by our lunch, which is meant to be the sort of meal eaten 150 years ago.

Please place your **name on the sheet** in the Hammond Fellowship Centre if you would like to attend. This will assist the catering team.

We need volunteers to help with the cooking.

Please talk with Val Saffin, if you can help.

See the proposed menu on Hammond Fellowship Notice Board.

Please advise us if you have any dietary requirements.

***An offering will be made towards our diocesan anniversary project – Newton Theological College PNG.***



# PARISH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

SUNDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Parish will be held on **Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August at 8.45am** in the Hammond Fellowship Centre.

Nomination forms for Parish Council and Wardens positions are available from the Parish Office.

Please send acceptances or apologies to the Parish Office.

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*Lord teach us to Pray*



The Ministry Development Committee has produced an introductory leaflet on prayer, called "Lord Teach Us How To Pray: A short guide to assist you as you learn to pray".

This document is editable so that parishes can provide their own contact details and is designed to be provided at the entrances to churches or at information tables at parish events. It could also be handed to those unable to attend church and will be followed by a larger booklet later in the year.

Lord Teach Us How To Pray is attached to this week's dNews email and can be downloaded from the Diocesan website.

<https://ballaratanglican.org.au/teachus2pray/>

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## Mary Sumner Day

Saturday August 9th is the Remembrance Day for our founder Mary Sumner. Perhaps MU members could ask their parish priest to remember her during intercessions. Perhaps by using her personal prayer:

All this day,  
O Lord, let me touch as many lives as possible for thee;  
and every life I touch,  
do thou by thy spirit quicken,  
whether through the word I speak,  
the prayer I breathe, or the life I live. **Amen.**



## **The Cinema**

I recently had the opportunity to go to the cinema to watch the adaptation of Niall Williams' award winning book 'Four Letters of Love'. The 'star studded' cast includes Pierce Brosnan, Helena Botham Carter and Gabriel Byrne. It is worth spending a few dollars to see the movie on the big screen. The movie draws you into the overall theme of the book/movie of the miraculous nature of love. The book and movie, "Four Letters of Love" by Niall Williams explores the themes of destiny and the magical power of love, focusing on two characters, Nicholas and Isabel, who are meant to be together. It follows their journey of life until they meet and yes fall in love. The scenery in the movie is sublime. It reminded me of the rugged coastline of parts of the Southwest, with wide beaches and rocky outcrops.

## **Diocesan Centre**

It was good to be in Ballarat earlier in the week and to find that I have been allocated an office in the Diocesan Centre. I was, with John's assistance, able to connect to the internet and open my diocesan emails. I will endeavour to respond to the 'back-log' of correspondence over the next few weeks.

The new configuration of the upstairs toilets in the Diocesan Centre are practically completed and are a welcome alteration.

## **Slavery**

This week, among the many Holy People that the lectionary encourages us to recall, we remembered William Wilberforce, Social Reformer, Olaudah Equiano and Thomas Clarkson Anti-Slavery Campaigners, 1833, 1797 and 1846. It is a timely reminder for us to continue to pray for those who are exploited and even 'enslaved' today around the world for sexual or economic reasons. The flight of many refugees from their country of origin can be traced to their desire to be free from some form of enslavement. Please pray for those people who are enslaved that they may be set free and that may know something of God's presence. Pray also for those who exploit others, that their hearts maybe transformed by an encounter with God, who longs for freedom and justice for all. For further information on 'Modern Slavery' you can access the Anti-Slavery Australia website.

## **Conclusion**

I hope you are looking forward to our Shared Diocesan Luncheon on the 10th August as we celebrate the 150th anniversary of the diocese.

I look forward to seeing some photos in dNews of your gatherings and celebrations.

*+ Scott*



Luke 12:13-21.



**Build up treasures before the sight of God.**

# For Our Prayers

## THE CHURCH

**Diocese:** Bishop Garry: Bishop of Ballarat. Bishop Scott: Assistant Bishop of Ballarat.  
Saint Paul's Bakery Hill, Fr Thomas Edayal.  
Diocesan Missionary Council: Alice Knight.

**Parish:** Mothers' Union. Anglicare Warrnambool: Staff and volunteers.

**Region:** Parish of Mortlake: Fr Hayden.  
Parish of Colac: Fr Jeremy Morgan, Deacon Claire Morgan.  
Parish of Port Fairy: Rev'd Netta Hill.  
Parish of Hamilton: Fr David Oulton, Deacon Annie Ryan.  
Parish of the Otways: Locum Ministry – Fr Russell Trickey.  
Parish of Glenelg Wannon & Kowree: Fr Wayne Corker.  
Parish of Portland: Rev'd Wendy Morecroft. Deacons Allan, Brian, Judy.  
Mission District St Francis: Fr Matthew Jones, Deacon Kaye Hanks.

**Link Diocese:** **Aipo Rongo & Dogura:** Aimone & Ainong.

**National:** Primate: Archbishop Geoffrey Smith.

**International:** The Anglican Church in the Philippines.

**Mission:** Ethiopia, Myanmar, ABM, Bush Church Aid Society.

**Religious:** St Marks Abbey Camperdown – Sr Raphael.  
Society of Precious Blood – UK. Community of the Holy Name.  
The Society of Saint Francis. St Mary's Abbey - West Malling.

## THE WORLD

**Australia:** Sam Mostyn – Governor General of Australia.

**United Nations:** Secretary General: António Guterres. Refugee Organisations.

**Countries:** Libya, Sudan, China, India, Mexico, Myanmar, Hong Kong, Iraq, Iran, Sri Lanka, Syria, Israel, Afghanistan, Palestine, West Papua, Ukraine.

## COMMUNITY

**Local:** City of Warrnambool, Moyne Shire, Francis Foundation, South-West Health Care, Palliative Care Workers, St John of God, M Power, MacKillop Family Services, OzChild, Brophy, Emma House, NDIS recipients & workers, the elderly, students, teachers, chaplains, Service Clubs, emergency services, tourism & hospitality industry.

## THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR PRAYERS

Geoffrey, Rosalynd, Susan, Philip, Liz, Patricia, Allan, Bruce, Reginald, Michael, Nadamir, Valentina, Victoria, Judy, Annthea, Sally, Tamsin, Brianna, Catherine, Chris & Lynette, Vicki, Nicole, Elinor, Gwen, Sherril, Inez, Gwenda, Valda, Anna, Lyndoch, Mercy Place, Opal Nursing Home, Heatherlie & Christ Church Close, Themar Heights, Opal Gillin Park.

**FAITHFUL DEPARTED** Lynette Swan, Elizabeth Quinlan, David Smith, Benita Trotter, Inez Douglass.

**3<sup>rd</sup>** Adrienne Neave 2000, Lorraine Dark 2015, Robert "Bob" Shaw 2016  
David Tory 2019.

**4<sup>th</sup>** Grace "Gay" Dunnachie 2001, Aileen Hodson 2006, Bonnie Williamson 2011.

**5<sup>th</sup>** Gwen Cottier 1995.

**6<sup>th</sup>** Eunice Walter 2010.

**7<sup>th</sup>** Harry Kennedy 1986, Jane Chislett 2018, Alison Cobbett 2023.

**8<sup>th</sup>** Beryl Davies 1969, Marion Greaves 2003.

**9<sup>th</sup>** Mabel Ponting 2005, Valda Craig 2012, George Berry 2021.

## **THIS WEEK**

<u><b>Monday</b></u>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> August</b>	
<u><b>Tuesday</b></u>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> August</b>	
<b>5.00pm</b>	<b>EUCCHARIST</b>	
<u><b>Wednesday</b></u>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<i>The Transfiguration of our Lord</i>
<b>10.00am</b>	<b>EUCCHARIST</b>	
<u><b>Thursday</b></u>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> August</b>	
<b>10.00am</b>	<b>EUCCHARIST</b>	
<u><b>Friday</b></u>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<i>Mary of Mackillop of the Cross.</i>
<b>10.00am</b>	Funeral – Inez Douglass – Eastern Park	
<b>5.00pm</b>	<b>EUCCHARIST</b>	
<u><b>Saturday</b></u>	<b>9<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<i>Mary Sumner, Founder of Mothers' Union, 1921</i>

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## **SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY**

**NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – STRETCH SUNDAY**

**10<sup>th</sup> August 2025**

**Christ Church                      10.30am                      Sung Eucharist**

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### **Next Week's Theme & Readings**

<b>Theme:</b>	<b>Faithfulness to God's call.</b>
<b>First Reading</b>	Wisdom 18:6-9.
<b>Psalms:</b>	Psalms 32:1, 12, 18-20, 22.
<b>Second Reading:</b>	Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19.
<b>Passion Reading:</b>	Luke 12:32-48.

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## **BANKING DETAILS**

Banking details are below if you would like to make a direct deposit as part of your offertory to the Mission & Ministry of Christ Church.

<b>Bank:</b>	<b>Bendigo Bank.</b>		
<b>Account Name:</b>	<b>The Anglican Parish of Warrnambool</b>		
<b>BSB #:</b>	<b>633 000</b>	<b>Account #:</b>	<b>191644061</b>

<b>Bank:</b>	<b>Bendigo Bank.</b>		
<b>Account Name:</b>	<b>Anglicare Warrnambool</b>		
<b>BSB #:</b>	<b>633 000</b>	<b>Account #:</b>	<b>194392858</b>

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