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Anglican Parish of Kilmore,
Broadford, Pyalong and Tallarook**

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

14th August 2022



*As we gather in prayer today, we acknowledge the Taungurung people who are the traditional custodians of this land. We pay respects to the past and present Elders of the Kulin nation and extend that respect to any Aboriginals present. Welcome to all, especially, to newcomers and visitors. **The service for Holy Eucharist starts on page 119 and that of Morning Prayer on page 19 of A Prayer Book for Australia.***

HYMNS: 675; 653; 690; 666

Sentence: ‘Is not my word like fire,’ says the Lord, ‘and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?’ *Jeremiah 23.29*

THE COLLECT

Ever-living God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking sin and all that hinders us, we may run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

A reading from the book of prophet Jeremiah chapter 23.23 – 29

²³ Am I a God nearby, says the Lord, and not a God far off? ²⁴ Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the Lord. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the Lord. ²⁵ I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, ‘I have dreamed, I have dreamed!’ ²⁶ How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back—those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? ²⁷ They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. ²⁸ Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the Lord. ²⁹ Is not my word like fire, says the Lord, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

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

Silence may follow each reading.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 82

Sung Response: Arise, O God, and judge the earth

¹ God has stood up in the council of heaven: in the midst of the gods he gives judgement. ² ‘How long will you judge unjustly: and favour the cause of the wicked?’ ³ ‘Judge for the poor and fatherless: vindicate the afflicted and oppressed. ⁴ ‘Rescue the poor and needy: and save them from the hands of the wicked. **Arise, O God, and judge the earth**

⁵ ‘They do not know, they do not understand, they walk about in darkness: all the foundations of the earth are shaken. ⁶ ‘Therefore I say, “Though you are gods: and all of you children of the Most High, ⁷ ““Nevertheless you shall die like a mortal: and fall like one of the princes.”’ ⁸ Arise, O God, and judge the earth: for you shall take all nations as your possession. **Arise, O God, and judge the earth**

Silence may follow each reading.

SECOND READING

A reading from letter to the Hebrews Chapter 11.29 – 12.2

²⁹ By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as if it were dry land, but when the Egyptians attempted to do so they were drowned.³⁰ By faith the walls of Jericho fell after they had been encircled for seven days. ³¹ By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had received the spies in peace. ³² And what more should I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets— ³³ who through faith conquered kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promises, shut the mouths of lions, ³⁴ quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. ³⁵ Women received their dead by resurrection. Others were tortured, refusing to accept release, in order to obtain a better resurrection. ³⁶ Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. ³⁷ They were stoned to death, they were sawn in two, they were killed by the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, persecuted, tormented— ³⁸ of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, and in caves and holes in the ground. ³⁹ Yet all these, though they were commended for their faith, did not receive what was promised, ⁴⁰ since God had provided something better so that they would not, without us, be made perfect. **12** ¹ Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, ² looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

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

Silence may follow each reading.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia! Alleluia! **Alleluia, Alleluia!**

My sheep listen to my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me.

Alleluia! **Alleluia!**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke Chapter 12.49 – 59

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

⁴⁹ ‘I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled!

⁵⁰ I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! ⁵¹ Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! ⁵² From now on, five in one household will be divided,

three against two and two against three; ⁵³ they will be divided: father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.’ ⁵⁴ He also said to the crowds, ‘When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, “It is going to rain”; and so it happens. ⁵⁵ And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, “There will be scorching heat”; and it happens. ⁵⁶ You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time? ⁵⁷ ‘And why do you not judge for yourselves what is right? ⁵⁸ Thus, when you go with your accuser before a magistrate, on the way make an effort to settle the case, or you may be dragged before the judge, and the judge hand you over to the officer, and the officer throw you in prison. ⁵⁹ I tell you, you will never get out until you have paid the very last penny.’

For the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**

Silence may follow each reading.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Let us pray for church and the world.

Faithful God, you hear our cries and answer when we call on you: give us faith to believe that with you all things are possible. You created a world of beauty and promise, but we have made places of ugliness and despair: hear our prayers for the preservation of the earth. We pray for careful stewardship of the resources of the earth, for reverence and respect for its wonder and diversity, that we may live in harmony with the created world. God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Faithful God, you have shown us ways of justice and righteousness, but we have chosen paths of violence and greed: hear our prayers for the nations of the world. Bring peace to your warring world, for the people of Ukraine, Russia, Syria, Palestine, Israel, Afghanistan, Yemen, Somalia, Sri Lanka and Myanmar that peace and justice may increase. We pray for an end to bloodshed and oppression, for an equitable sharing of the good gifts of the earth, that we may live together in peace and prosperity. God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Faithful God, you have offered us gifts of redemption and life, but we have clung to old ways of sin and death: hear our prayers for your church and its mission. We pray for Philip, our Archbishop and Clarence, our Bishop, all clergy and those minister in your church. We pray for unity of heart and purpose between Christians, for discernment and understanding of your word, that we may faithfully proclaim your gospel in the world. God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Faithful God, you rescue the weak and save those in distress, but we have abandoned the vulnerable and neglected those in need: hear our prayers for the people of this community. We pray for welcome for the stranger and acceptance for the outsider, for assistance for the hungry, the homeless and those without work, those who suffer addiction and abuse, that we may learn to love and care for each other. God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Faithful God, you are generous and loving to all your people, but we have been selfish and uncaring towards each other: hear our prayers for all who suffer. We pray especially for Elaine Haddock, Belinda Shannon, Jim Chatz, Barry Watts, Ray Daly, Val Watts, Gwen Bushell, Debbie Chilcott, Beryl Kirby, Tom Scrivens, Geoff Kirby, Fiona Mctier, Robert Whalley, Candice Pearce, Russel Taylor, Kate Jessup, David Valentine, Margaret Taylor, Jeanne Jones, Anna Wiecek, Laurie Taylor, Rebecca Wallis, Colin Jamieson, Alan Rose, Peg Raeburn, Bishop John Parkes, Sherine Copeland, Glenda McDonald and Vince Fazio ... [*parishioners are invited to add names of those they hold in prayer*]. We give thanks for where healing blessings have been received. We pray for encouragement for the despairing, consolation for the sorrowing, relief for those who are in pain and peace for those close to death, that they may know your comfort and your strength. God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Faithful God, you people rejected your love and turned from your ways, but you endured death on a cross to bring us to eternal life: we give you thanks for all who have died in the faith. Edgar Letins, Matthew McInnes, Mabel Smith, Philip Mathiesen, Beris Hannam (14th); Ernest Ashton, Leslie Watts (15th); Frank Punch (16th); Nessie Zechovsky, Diana Mannin (17th); Maureen Tennant (18th); Linda Dyer (20th). Rest eternal grant to them O Lord, **and let light perpetual shine upon them.** Teach us a faith that is strong and sure, that together with the saints, the martyrs and all the great cloud of witnesses, we may come into the joy of your eternal presence. (pause) God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

In a time of silence let us pray for ourselves and those on our hearts and minds this day... (pause) God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

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.**

It is the custom of our church to invite all baptised communicant members of other Christian traditions to share in the Lord's Supper with us. If you do not wish to share in the Lord's Supper, you are welcome to receive a blessing. Parents of children should encourage them to fold their arms, if they do not want them to receive the sacrament.

Notices:

Monday 15th August 2022 OP Shop committee Meeting at Church-house at 12.30 pm.

Parish Council meeting Wednesday 17th August 2022 at 7.30pm at Kilmore.

Direct Debit /EFT Offerings – Account details: BENDIGO BANK – Account Name ‘Anglican Parish of Kilmore’; BSB 633-000; Account Number 158946921. Reference: Offertory

PARISH DIARY [Regular Meetings and Events]

3rd Tues of the month: St Matthew’s Friendship Group. Gavan Hall 1.30pm
contact Edie Simpson ph. 5784 1246 for details.

PARISH LIFE THIS WEEK

Monday 15th August 10.00am – 12.00pm Op shop: Trading, Drop off
12.30pm – Op Shop Committee Meeting

Wednesday 17th August 11.30am – Res Eucharist at Caladenia RACF
02.30pm – Res Eucharist at Dianella RACF

Thursday 18th August 10.00am – Holy Eucharist at St Matthew’s, Broadford
10.00am – 12.00 Op shop: Trading, Drop off, sorting

Friday 19th August 10.00am – 04.00pm Op shop: Trading
10.30am – Res Eucharist Blue Cross RACF

Saturday 20th August 10.00am – 12.00 noon Op Shop

Next Sunday 21st August: 11th Sunday after Pentecost: Jeremiah 1.4 – 10; Ps 71.1 – 6; Hebrews 12.18 – 29; Luke 13.10 – 17

Christ Church, Kilmore	09.00am	Morning Prayer
St Matthew’s, Broadford	09.00am	Holy Eucharist
St Stephen’s, Tallarook	11.00am	Morning Prayer
Transfiguration, Pyalong	11.00am	Holy Eucharist

Daily Readings	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer
Monday	Ps 104.1 – 25	Ps 104.26 – 37
15 th August	2 Chronicles 28.16-29.11	Songs 4
	Romans 11.13 – 24	Acts 18.1 – 17
Tuesday	Ps 105.1 – 22	Ps 105.23 – 45
16 th August	2 Chronicles 29.15 – 30	Songs 5
	Romans 11.25 – 36	Acts 18.18 – 28
Wednesday	Ps 106.1 – 24	Ps 106.25 – 50
17 th August	2 Chronicles 29.31-30.12	Songs 6
	Romans 12.1 – 8	Acts 19.1 – 20
Thursday	Ps 107.1 – 22	Ps 107.23 – 43
18 th August	2 Chronicles 30.13 – 27	Songs 7
	Romans 12.9 – 21	Acts 19.21 – 41
Friday	Ps 110; 111	Ps 112; 113
19 th August	2 Chronicles 31.1 – 12a	Songs 8
	Romans 13	Acts 20.1 – 16
Saturday	Ps 114; 115	Ps 116; 117
20 th August	2 Chronicles 31.17- 32.8	Tobit 1.1 – 20
	Romans 14.1 – 12	Acts 20.17 – 38

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**God Bless Ukraine
Guard her people
Guide her leaders
And give her peace
For Jesus Christ's sake.
Amen.**

A Prayer for our Anglican community

Lord God, whose word brings hope and whose power brings peace, we pray for the Anglican Church of Australia, all its bishops, clergy and people. We pray for unity amidst diversity and for the transformation of hearts and minds, so that we can reflect your image and glory in a broken world. We pray that you may heal our divisions and for peace at a time of conflict and misunderstanding. Help us to be the Body of Christ, disciples who will be true to your gospel of reconciliation, forgiveness and love and that we may seek to hold on to the things that unite us and accept one another in the things that divide us - for our unity is in you, our Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Please complete your compliance requirements in order to continue with your ministry and position you have on Parish Council. It will be required before and on the day of our Annual Parish Meeting in November 2022. If you need assistance, please contact Caroline Burge on her return in September. Please read the compliance requirements posted at the back of the church to see what you need to do. Every Blessing Andre.

Congratulations to Norman Rose on the publication of his book, *Life's Golden Thread*. Norman's book is now available in bookshops @ \$22.00. He is offering to make the book available at church for those who are interested @ \$22.00 and will donate \$4.00 of the purchase price to the Parish. Thank you, Norman, for your generous gesture.