



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

Sunday 12th August 2018
Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost



Welcome to all, especially, newcomers and visitors. Please introduce yourself to one of our welcomers, who will be able to offer you some help in feeling at home. Please join us for Morning Tea after the Eucharist. Our service starts on page 119 of A Prayer Book for Australia.

HYMNS: 501; 497; 535; 499

Sentence:

Be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us. *Ephesians 5.1-2*

THE COLLECT

Grant, O Lord, that we may see in you the fulfilment of all our need, and may turn from every false satisfaction to feed on the true and living bread that you have given us in Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

A reading from the first Book of Kings Chapter 19.4 – 8

⁴ But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die: 'It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors.' ⁵ Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, 'Get up and eat.' ⁶ He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank, and lay down again. ⁷ The angel of the Lord came a second time, touched him, and said, 'Get up and eat, otherwise the journey will be too much for you.' ⁸ He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food for forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Silence may follow each reading.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 34.1 – 8

Sung: I will bless the Lord

Said: I will bless the Lord; God's praise shall be ever on my lips.

¹ I will bless the Lord continually: his praise shall be always in my mouth.

² Let my soul boast of the Lord: the humble shall hear it and rejoice. ³ O praise the Lord with me: let us exalt his name together. ⁴ For I sought the Lord's help and he answered: and he freed me from all my fears... **R**

⁵ Look towards him and be bright with joy: your faces shall not be ashamed.

⁶ Here is a wretch who cried, and the Lord heard me: and saved me from all my troubles. ⁷ The angel of the Lord encamps round those who fear him: and delivers them in their need. ⁸ O taste and see that the Lord is good: happy are they that hide in him!
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Silence may follow each reading.

SECOND READING

A reading from Paul's letter to the Ephesians Chapter 4.25 – 5.2

4 ²⁵ So then, putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbours, for we are members of one another. ²⁶ Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, ²⁷ and do not make room for the devil. ²⁸ Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labour and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. ²⁹ Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. ³⁰ And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. ³¹ Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, ³² and be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you. **5** ¹ Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, ² and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Hear the word of the Lord,
Thanks be to God.

Silence may follow each reading.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia! **Alleluia!**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John chapter 6.35, 41 – 51

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

³⁵ Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.'⁴¹ Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, 'I am the bread that came down from heaven.'⁴² They were saying, 'Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"?''

⁴³ Jesus answered them, 'Do not complain among yourselves. ⁴⁴ No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. ⁴⁵ It is written in the prophets, "And they shall all be taught by God." Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. ⁴⁶ Not that

anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. ⁴⁷ Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. ⁴⁸ I am the bread of life. ⁴⁹ Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died.⁵⁰ This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. ⁵¹ I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.'

For the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Silence may follow each reading.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Let us pray:

Our Prayer responses are: Loving God, broken for us, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Most merciful and loving God, in you is steadfast love and hope; hear us when we pray for all people and for your church throughout the world:

We pray for all nations of the world, their leaders and people. We pray for Lombok, Indonesia; California, USA; Yemen; Syria; Zimbabwe; Palestine and Israel. In every age you have fed and sustained your people: hear today the cries of those who suffer starvation, oppression, imprisonment or war and teach us how to live together in harmony and peace. (pause) Loving God, broken for us, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for your holy, catholic church, its clergy and people. For Phillip our Archbishop and John our Bishop. You feed us with your body and blood and sustain us with your living word: meet us today in the breaking of the bread, make us one in the meal we share and send us out to feed your hungry people. (pause) Loving God, broken for us, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for all with whom we share our lives, for our families, our friends and the people of this community. You lived on earth in a human family and gathered around you a group of friends: be present in all our relationships, that we may live

together in love and sustain one another with kindness and care. (pause) Loving God, broken for us, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for all in need, for the friendless and the bereaved, the sick and dying, for those in anxiety and distress. You have pity on all who call on you and you offer wholeness and hope to your people: bring comfort and relief to all who suffer anguish, pain or grief, and those who care for them give tenderness and skill. We pray especially for: Karen Goodger, Belinda Shannon, Jenny Curry, Seth Gunter, Tom Scrivens, Joy Rowe, Fay Muddyman, Rob Muddyman, Elaine Haddock, Francis Piva, Sharron de Battista, Tania Morgan (Norman & Ann's daughter), Barry Watts, Fr John Young, Ray Daly, Chris Dumaresq, Marguerite Kisvardai, Jim Chatz, Val Watts and Lorna Emmett. Loving God, broken for us, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for all who have died in the faith, for your holy people of every age, for those from this parish who have gone to eternal life. The recently departed Dawn Nunn and those whose anniversary of death we remember this week: Barrie King, Florence Rae (12th); Rita Elson, Glen Flanagan, Ken Izod, Violet Smith, Norman Wilkie, Oattie Tuckett (13th); Edgar Letins, Matthew McInnes, Mabel Smith, Philip Mathiesen (14th); Ernest Ashton, Leslie Watts (15th); Frank Punch (16th); Nessie Zechovsky, Diana Mannin (17th); Maureen Tennant (18th). Rest eternal grant to them O Lord **and let light perpetual shine upon them.** (pause) Long ago you fed your chosen people in the wilderness and brought them safely to the Promised Land: feed us too with the bread of heaven and with all your saints, bring us home to the place you prepare for all who love you. (pause) Loving God, broken for us, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

In a time of silence let us pray for ourselves and those on our hearts and minds this day... (pause) Jesus, love of the world, in your 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.

Celebrant [Let us pray] **Page 125**

It is the custom of our church to invite all baptised communicant members of other Christian traditions to share the bread and wine of the Lord's Supper with us. Non-Communicants are invited to come and receive a blessing.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monthly "BBQ": Today: Will be in aid of the Bishop's Winter Appeal and will be held at Caroline's house (20 Chrystobel Way). All parishioners are warmly invited to come and enjoy hot soup for a gold coin (or folded note) donation. Money raised will be given to the Winter Appeal. Soups will be gratefully accepted for the lunch and any left-overs will be frozen and given to those in need. If you are unable to attend the lunch but still wish to donate soup, please contact Caroline Burge.

Next Parish Council Meeting - 7.30pm Wednesday 15th August 2018, Broadford

Trading Table: If you have any excess produce or preserves you wish to donate, please bring them along and put on the table at the back of the church. All donations will be gratefully received and will be sold with money raised going towards Missions.

Parish Directory: We will be updating our Parish Directory in the coming weeks. If there are any changes of your address, phone or email address please write on the board at the back of the church. Please add if you are missing from the current edition and wish to be included in the 2018 directory. Fr André needs your names to pray for all our families on a daily basis. Thank you.

Transport for Madiba the Musical: For those who have put their name down for tickets for Madiba the Musical on October 10th, we can drop you door to door (or at least from the church to the theatre and back again) for the bargain price of \$25 per head. This is reliant on a full 'bus'. Money not needed immediately, but please let Caroline know asap so this can be booked.

Emergency Relief: For next week PLEASE donate Tinned, fresh or frozen mixed vegetables for our families to make casseroles for the cold winter days.

Direct Debit /EFT Offerings - Account details: BENDIGO BANK - Account Name 'Anglican Parish of Kilmore'; BSB 633-000; Account Number 158946921. Parishioners using direct debit or electronic funds transfer please use these bank details when making offerings.

PARISH DIARY [Regular Meetings and Events]

2nd Sun of the month: Parish BBQ - 12.30pm.

2nd Wed of the month: Quiet Morning – 11.00am – 12.00 noon

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

3rd Wed of the month: Parish Council Meeting, 7.30 pm.

Wednesdays 10 am: Knitting Group at Christ Church.

2nd and 4th Saturday 02.00pm: Singing Group meets at Christ Church.

PARISH LIFE THIS WEEK

Thursday 16th August 10.00am – Eucharist at St Matthew, Broadford
 11.30am – Eucharist at Caladenia RACF
 04.00pm – Eucharist at Dianella RACF

Friday 17th August 10.30am – Eucharist at Blue Cross RACF
 10.00am – 4.00pm Op Shop Church House

Saturday 18th August 10.00am – 12.00pm Op Shop Church House

Next Sunday 19th August 2018: 13 th Sunday after Pentecost 1 Kings 2.10 – 12; 3.3 – 14; Ps 111; Ephesians 5.11 – 21 ; John 6.51 - 58		
Christ Church, Kilmore	09.00am	Sung Eucharist
St Matthew's, Broadford	11.00am	Morning Prayer
St Stephen, Tallarook	11.00am	Eucharist

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Daily Scripture Readings

	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer
Monday	Ps 101; 102.1 – 11	Ps 102.12 – 28
13 th August	Hosea 12.2 – 14	Lamentations 4.1 – 11
	Acts 15.36 – 16.10	Romans 9.1 – 13
Tuesday	Ps 108; 109.20 – 30	Ps 119.105 – 128
14 th August	Hosea 13.1 – 14	Lamentations 4.12 – 22
	Acts 16.11 – 24	Romans 9.14 – 24
Wednesday	Ps 104.1 – 25	Ps 104.26 – 37
15 th August	Hosea 14	Lamentations 5

	Acts 16.25 – 40	Romans 9.25 – 10.4
Thursday	Ps 105.1 – 22	Ps 105.23 – 45
16 th August	2 Chronicles 26.1 – 15	Song of Songs 1
	Acts 17.1 – 14	Romans 10.5 – 13
Friday	Ps 106.1 – 24	Ps 106.25 – 50
17 th August	2 Chronicles 26.16 – 27.9	Song of Songs 2
	Acts 17.15 – 21	Romans 10.14 – 21
Saturday	Ps 107.1 – 22	Ps 107.23 – 43
18 th August	2 Chronicles 28.1 – 15	Song of Songs 3
	Acts 17.22 – 34	Romans 11.1 – 12

Parish Website for information: www.anglicankilmore.org.au

Parishioners and visitors are advised that photographs may be taken of activities in the Parish from time to time for use on Parish website, Facebook and for publication in the Advocate. If you do not wish to be included in a photo please stand clear of the group at the time. Photos are never taken without a warning.

Even in utter despair the Psalmist finds hope, telling us that with the Lord there is mercy, forgiveness, and ample redemption. May we realize this, knowing that we can start with a clean slate in God's eyes, if we would only put our trust in the divine mercy.

- Pray that you will be merciful whenever the opportunity arises this week.
Pray that others will forgive your offences this week.
- Pray for the Church of Pakistan, giving thanks for the work they do to further God's mission in the world.

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