



Engage: Fellowship: Ecumenical: Community = E.F.E.C. Anglican Parish of Kilmore, Broadford, Pyalong and Tallarook

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost 3rd July 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: 134; 154; 658; 749

Sentence: The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; ask therefore the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. *Luke 10.2*

THE COLLECT

God of the covenant, in our baptism you called us to proclaim the coming of your kingdom: give us courage, as you gave it to the apostles, that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace in every circumstance of life; in the name of Jesus Christ our Redeemer, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

A reading from the Second book of Kings chapter 5.1 - 14

¹ Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram, was a great man and in high favour with his master, because by him the Lord had given victory to Aram. The man, though a mighty warrior, suffered from leprosy. ² Now the Arameans on one of their raids had taken a young girl captive from the land of Israel, and she served Naaman's wife. ³ She said to her mistress, 'If only my lord were with the prophet who is in Samaria! He would cure him of his leprosy.' 4 So Naaman went in and told his lord just what the girl from the land of Israel had said. ⁵ And the king of Aram said, 'Go then, and I will send along a letter to the king of Israel.' He went, taking with him ten talents of silver, six thousand shekels of gold, and ten sets of garments. ⁶ He brought the letter to the king of Israel, which read, 'When this letter reaches you, know that I have sent to you my servant Naaman, that you may cure him of his leprosy.' ⁷ When the king of Israel read the letter, he tore his clothes and said, 'Am I God, to give death or life, that this man sends word to me to cure a man of his leprosy? Just look and see how he is trying to pick a quarrel with me.' ⁸ But when Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his clothes, he sent a message to the king, 'Why have you torn your clothes? Let him come to me, that he may learn that there is a prophet in Israel.' 9 So Naaman came with his horses and chariots, and halted at the entrance of Elisha's house. ¹⁰ Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, 'Go, wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored and you shall be clean.' ¹¹ But Naaman became angry and went away, saying, 'I thought that for me he would surely come out, and stand and call on the name of the Lord his God, and would wave his hand over the spot, and cure the leprosy! ¹² Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? Could I not wash in them, and be clean?' He turned and went away in a rage. 13 But his servants approached and said to him, 'Father, if the prophet had commanded you to do something difficult, would you not have done it? How much more, when all he said to you was, "Wash, and be clean"?? ¹⁴ So he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 30 Sung/ Said Response: I will praise you, Lord.

¹ I will exalt you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up from the depths: and have not suffered my foes to triumph over me. ² O Lord my God, I cried to you: and you have made me whole. ³ You brought me back, O Lord, from the land of silence: you saved my life from among those that go down to the Pit. ⁴ Sing praises to the Lord, all you his faithful ones: and give thanks to his holy name. **I will praise you, Lord.**

⁵ For if in his anger is havoc, in his good favour is life: heaviness may endure for a night, but joy comes in the morning. ⁶ In my prosperity I said 'I shall never be moved: your goodness, O Lord, has set me on so firm a hill.' ⁷ Then you hid your face from me: and I was greatly dismayed. ⁸ I cried to you, O God: and made my petition humbly to my Lord. **I will praise you, Lord.**

⁹ 'What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the Pit: can the dust give you thanks, or declare your faithfulness? ¹⁰ 'Hear, O Lord, and be merciful: O Lord, be my helper.' ¹¹ You have turned my lamentation into dancing: you have put off my sackcloth and girded me with joy, ¹² That my heart may sing your praise and never be silent: O Lord my God, I will give you thanks for ever. **I will praise you, Lord.**

Silence may follow each reading.

SECOND READING

A reading from Paul's letter to the Galatians Chapter 6.7 - 18

⁷ Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. ⁸ If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. ⁹ So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. ¹⁰ So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith. ¹¹ See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! ¹² It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised—only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. ¹³ Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. ¹⁴ May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. ¹⁵ For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything! ¹⁶ As for those who will follow this rule—peace be upon them, and

mercy, and upon the Israel of God. ¹⁷ From now on, let no one make trouble for me; for I carry the marks of Jesus branded on my body. ¹⁸ May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brothers and sisters. Amen.

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

Silence may follow each reading.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia, Alleluia!

May the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, and the fullness of his message live within you. Alleluia! Alleluia!

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke Chapter 10.1 - 12, 17 - 24

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

¹ After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go.² He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. ³ Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. ⁴ Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. 5 Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" 6 And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. 7 Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. 8 Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; 9 cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." 10 But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, ¹¹ "Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near." ¹² I tell you, on that day it will be more tolerable for Sodom than for that town. ¹⁷ The seventy returned with joy, saying, 'Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!' 18 He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. ¹⁹ See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. ²⁰ Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.' 21 At that same hour Jesus rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and said, 'I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. ²² All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows who the Son is except the Father, or who the Father is except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.' ²³ Then turning to the disciples, Jesus said to them privately, 'Blessed are the eyes that see what you see! ²⁴ For I tell you that many prophets and kings

desired to see what you see, but did not see it, and to hear what you hear, but did not hear it.'

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.

Loving God, you send us to proclaim your reign of love and peace: give us courage to answer your call.

You send St Francis to care for your creatures, to preach the gospel to the outcast and the poor; you call us, too, to be stewards of your creation, to bring your good news to all who are oppressed. We pray for the hungry and homeless, the victims of war, oppression or greed; for all who work for the resolution of conflict and for a more just society. We pray for the people of Ukraine, Russia, Syria, Palestine, Israel, Afghanistan, Yemen, Somalia, Sri Lanka and Myanmar. We give you thanks for all who preach your good news of peace and justice. Loving God, give us courage to answer your call. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

You sent Mary Magdalene to tell your good news; you call us, too, to be your apostles, to proclaim your good news in the world. We pray for those who have never heard your name or do not know your grace; for Philip, our Archbishop and Clarence, our Bishop, for your priests and ministers and those whose vocation the church denies. We give you thanks for all who preach your good news of forgiveness and redemption. Loving God, give us courage to answer your call. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

You sent the virgin Mary to bear your Son, you call us, too, to bring your love to a wounded world. We pray for families and friends and those with whom we work and learn; for service clubs, relief agencies and all who work to build true community. We give you thanks for all who preach your good news of love and reconciliation. Loving God, give us courage to answer your call. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

You sent St Luke to bring healing to the sick; you call us, too, to bring relief to the suffering and comfort to the sad. We pray for those who are in pain, sorrow, confusion or despair; for hospital chaplains and pastoral care workers, for doctors and nurses; for those who sit with the sick, and watch with the dying. We pray especially for Elaine Haddock, Belinda Shannon, Sharron de Battista, 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 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, for all who preach your good news of healing and consolation. Loving God, give us courage to answer your call. In your mercy, **hear our prayer**.

In every generation you have called saints and sinners and sent them out to proclaim your reign. We remember and give thanks for your faithful people of every age, for all who have responded to your voice, all whose lives have proclaimed your love. We remember John Williamson, Charles Hutchinson (3rd); Thomas Pearce, Jean Creusot, Theo Staring (4th); Sydney Bennett, Jack Dess, Ron Margeson, Claudine Tuttle, Norman Winnel, Jean Evens (5th); Sir Philip Strong, Roy Cam, Mary Dean (6th); Kerry-Lee Lozanovski, Lucy Carroll (7th); Royden Cooper, Mary Xuereb (8th); Edmund Randall (9th). Rest eternal grant to them O Lord, **and let light perpetual shine upon them.** May we, like them, find courage to answer your call, and in their company come to the joy of everlasting life. Loving God, 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) Loving God, 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.

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 18th July 2022 OP Shop committee Meeting at Church-house at 12.30 pm.

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

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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 4th July	10.00am – 12.00pm Op shop: Trading, Drop off
Wednesday 6th July	11.30am – Res Eucharist at Caladenia RACF 02.20pm – Res Eucharist at Dianella RACF
Thursday 7 th July Friday 8 th July	10.00am – 12.00 Op shop: Trading, Drop off, sorting 10.00am – 04.00pm Op shop: Trading 10.30am – Res Eucharist Blue Cross RACF

Saturday 9th July 10.00am – 12.00 noon Op Shop

Next Sunday 10th July: 5th Sunday after Pentecost: Amos 7.7 – 17; Ps 82; Colossians 1.1 – 14; Luke 10.25 – 37				
Christ Church, Kilmore	09.00am	Holy Eucharist		
St Matthew's, Broadford	09.00am	Morning Prayer		
St Stephen's, Tallarook	11.00am	Holy Eucharist		

Daily Readings	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer
Monday	Ps 11; 12	Ps 13; 14
4 th July	2 Chronicles 21	Ezekiel 12.21 – 13.16
	Galatians 2.11 – 21	John 3.1 – 21
Tuesday	Ps 15; 16	Ps 17.1 – 13, 15 – 16
5 th July	2 Chronicles 22	Ezekiel 14
	Galatians 3.1 – 14	John 3.22 – 36
Wednesday	Ps 18.1 – 31	Ps 18.32 – 38, 45 – 52
6 th July	2 Chronicles 23.1 – 17	Ezek. 15.1 – 16.15, 59-63
	Galatians 3.15 – 26	John 4.1 – 15
Thursday	Ps 19	Ps 119.1 – 16

7 th July	2 Chron. 23.18 – 24.14	Ezekiel 17
	Galatians 3.27 – 4.7	John 4.16 – 26
Friday	Ps 20; 21.1 – 7	Ps 24; 26
8 th July	2 Chronicles 24.15 – 25.4	Ezekiel 18.1 – 23, 30 - 32
	Galatians 4.8 – 20	John 4.27 – 42
Saturday	Ps 22.1 – 22	Ps 22.23 – 32; 23
9 th July	2 Chronicles 25.5 – 26.1	Ezekiel 19
	Galatians 4.21 – 31	John 4.43 – 54

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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.**

For the first time in three years, the **Diocese of Wangaratta and Anglicare Victoria will be holding the Winter Appeal.** This, of course, is due to dealing with the pandemic for the last two years. This year the Winter Appeal will take place on **Sunday 31st July**. Donations of cans or packets of soup will be collected by our parish in the weeks leading up to (and including) **Sunday July 31st, to enable us to take part in this wider appeal for the Diocese.** (If you prefer to give a donation, this can be made to the Diocesan Office). All donations will be gratefully received, and donations can be left at each of our church buildings.