

Walk in the way of Christ

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Anglican Parish of Kilmore, **Broadford, Pyalong and Tallarook** Last Sunday after Pentecost 20th November 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: 133; 256; 216; 145

Sentence: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Lo, your king comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. Zechariah 9.9

THE COLLECT

Eternal God, you exalted Jesus Christ to rule over all things, and have made us instruments of his kingdom: by your Spirit empower us to love the unloved, and to minister to all in need, then at the last bring us to your eternal realm where we may be welcomed into your everlasting joy and may worship and adore you for ever; through Jesus Christ our Lord, 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 Book of prophet Jeremiah Chapter 23.1 - 6

¹ Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord. ² Therefore, thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord. ³ Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. ⁴ I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. ⁵ The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. ⁶ In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The Lord is our righteousness.'

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

Silence may follow each reading.

Responsorial Psalm: The Song of Zechariah

Response: Blessed are you, Lord

Blessed are you, Lord, the God of Israel: you have come to your people and set them free. You have raised up for us a mighty Saviour: born of the house of your servant David. Through your holy prophets, you promised of old: to save us from our enemies, from the hands of all who hate us, To show mercy to our forebears: and to remember your holy covenant. This was the oath you swore to our father Abraham: to set us free from the hands of our enemies, **Blessed are you, Lord**

Free to worship you without fear: holy and righteous before you, all the days of our life. And you, child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High: for you will go before the Lord to prepare the way, To give God's people knowledge of salvation: by the forgiveness of their sins. In the tender compassion of our God: the dawn from on high shall break upon us, To shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death: and to guide our feet into the way of peace. **Blessed are you, Lord**

Silence may follow each reading.

SECOND READING

A reading from Paul's Letter to the Colossians Chapter 1.11 - 20

¹¹ May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully ¹² giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. ¹³ He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. ¹⁵ He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; ¹⁶ for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. ¹⁷ He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. ¹⁹ For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰ and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

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

Silence may follow each reading.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, Alleluia! Alleluia, Alleluia!

Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of our Father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Alleluia! **Alleluia!**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke Chapter 23.33 – 43

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. ³⁴ Then Jesus said, 'Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.' And they cast lots to divide his clothing. ³⁵ And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, 'He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!' ³⁶ The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, ³⁷ and saying, 'If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!' ³⁸ There was also an inscription over him, 'This is the King of the Jews.' ³⁹ One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, 'Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!' ⁴⁰ But the other rebuked him, saying, 'Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? ⁴¹ And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong.' ⁴² Then he said, 'Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.' ⁴³ He replied, 'Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.'

For the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ** *Silence may follow each reading.*

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Let us pray: Jesus, first-born of all creation, you are righteous and merciful and answer when we call on you: hear our prayers for the world and for the church.

We give thanks and praise that through you and for you, creation was made: we pray for the peoples of the world, for Ukraine, Russia, Syria, Palestine, Israel, Afghanistan, Yemen, Iran, Somalia, Sri Lanka and Myanmar. Remember, Jesus, those in position of responsibility in every land; those who suffer poverty, starvation and disease; those who endure torture, imprisonment or exile from their homes. Jesus, for the peace of the world, rule our hearts and wills; Jesus, come into your kingdom.

We give you thanks and praise that through you we are rescued from the power of sin: we pray for your worldwide church. Remember, Jesus, those who suffer persecution for their faith; for Philip our Archbishop, Clarence our bishop, those who worship and minister in this parish; those who are teachers, pastors and priests to your people. Jesus, salvation of the world, rule our hearts and wills; Jesus, come into your kingdom.

We give you thanks and praise that in you the love of God is seen to dwell: we pray for this community. Remember, Jesus, those on the fringes, the forgotten and the unwanted; those without work and those whose work is not valued; we pray for those suffering the devastation of the floods in Mitchell Shire and Victoria and in the rest of Australia; those whom we love, our families, our friends and ourselves. Jesus, for the reconciliation of your people, rule our hearts and wills; Jesus, come into your kingdom.

We give you thanks and praise that in you we see the compassionate heart of God: we pray for all who are in need. Remember, Jesus, those in loneliness, grief or despair; those in sickness or pain, and all who will die this day; those who bring comfort, hope and care to others. We pray especially for Elaine Haddock, Belinda Shannon, Jim Chatz, Barry Watts, Ray Daly, Val Watts, Gwen Bushell, Debbie Chilcott, Beryl Kirby, Geoff Kirby, Fiona Mctier, Robert Whalley, Candice Pearce, Russel Taylor, Kate Jessup, David Valentine, Margaret Taylor, Jeanne Jones, Rebecca Wallis, Colin Jamieson, Alan Rose, Peg Raeburn, Bishop John Parkes, Glenda McDonald, Peggy Boyd, Stan and Edie Simpson, Doreen Armstrong, Rae Sendall, Natalia Apaseray, Alison Mead 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. Jesus, for the healing of your people, rule our hearts and wills; Jesus, come into your kingdom.

We give you thanks and praise that for us you have broken the bonds of death. We remember all who have died in your love: those whose lives have been faithful and true; those who have not known or believed in you; those from this parish and all whom we have loved. Elsie Bardella (20th); Salvatore Xvereb (21st); Reg Walter, Frank Stevenson (22nd); Harriet Ashton (24th); Albert Newbold, Thelma Wajsburm (25th); Emily Smith, Horrie Tanner (26th). Rest eternal grant to them O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them. Help us to follow in the footsteps of your saints and, when we fail you, forgive us, that, when the deep night of death is past and morning dawns, we shall be with you and all your saints in Paradise. Jesus, first-born of the dead, rule our hearts and wills; Jesus, come into your kingdom.

In a time of silence let us pray for ourselves and those on our hearts and minds this day... (response) **Jesus, come into your kingdom.**

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:

Parish BBQ/lunch: We hope to restart our monthly parish BBQ lunch which will be on **Sunday 11th December** in the form of a "bring and share" Lunch at the rectory at 12.30pm.

Thursday 15th December 2022 OP Shop Volunteers' Christmas Lunch at Christ Church at 12.30 pm.

Parish Council meeting Wednesday 14th December 2022 at 6.30pm at the rectory bring and share as we conclude the years activities.

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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 21st November 10.00am – 12.00pm Op shop: Trading, Drop off

12.30pm – Op Shop Committee Meeting.

Wednesday 23rd November 11.30am – Res Eucharist at Caladenia RACF

02.30pm – Res Eucharist Dianella RACF

Thursday 24th November 10.00am – Holy Eucharist St Matthew's Broadford

10.00am – 12.00 Op shop: Trading, Drop off, sorting

Friday 25th November 10.00am – 04.00pm Op shop: Trading

10.30am – Res Eucharist Blue Cross RACF

Saturday 26th November 10.00am – 12.00 noon Op Shop

| Next Sunday 27 th November: First Sunday of Advent: Isaiah 2.1 – 5; Ps 122; Romans 13.9 – 14; Matthew 24.36 – 44 | | | |
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| Christ Church, Kilmore | 09.00am | Holy Eucharist | |
| St Matthew, Broadford | 09.00am | Morning Prayer | |
| St Stephen, Tallarook | 11.00am | Holy Eucharist | |

| Daily Readings | Morning Prayer | Evening Prayer |
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| Monday | Ps 50 | Ps 119.41 – 64 |
| 21st November | Zachariah 14.1 – 11 | Wisdom 8.5 – 18 |
| | Revelation 11.1 – 14 | Mark 1.29 – 39 |
| Tuesday | Ps 51 | Ps 52; 53 |
| 22 nd November | Zachariah 14.12 – 21 | Wisdom 8.21 – 9.18 |
| | Revelation 11.15 – 19 | Mark 1.40 – 45 |
| Wednesday | Ps 54; 55.1 – 12 | Ps 55.13 – 15, 18 – 28 |
| 23 rd November | Malachi 1 | Wisdom 10.15 – 11.10 |
| | Revelation 12.1 – 6 | Mark 2.1 – 17 |
| Thursday | Ps 56; 57 | Ps 60; 61 |
| 24th November | Malachi 2.1 – 16 | Wisdom 11.15 – 12.2 |
| | Revelation 12.7 – 18 | Mark 2.18 – 3.6 |
| Friday | Ps 62; 63 | Ps 64; 67 |
| 25 th November | Malachi 2.17 – 3.12 | Wisdom 12.12 – 21 |
| | Revelation 13.1 – 10 | Mark 3.7 – 19a |
| Saturday | Ps 65; 70 | Ps 66 |
| 26th November | Malachi 3.13 – 4.6 | Wisdom 18.14 – 24 |
| | Revelation 13.11 – 18 | Mark 3.19b – 35 |

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

Love In Action: WE are beginning to prepare for Christmas as we like to get things to parents early. As Christians, our mindset should be on what <u>NEW</u>, <u>WORTHWHILE GIFTS</u> can I afford to buy that will make some children or single person with no family or homeless person like. This is often the only gift a person will receive. This year re require gifts and Christmas goodies for our Christmas hampers to be in by 1st December so the last Sunday to deliver to the church will be Sunday 27th November.

GIFTS

We require gifts for children, men and women. If you want to give Gift vouchers for our teenagers, we would prefer You buy a VISA card. Some people are happy to put money in our bank account and we can buy for you, at Love in Action Broadford BSB 633000

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Christmas foods for hampers for the families include

Turkey rolls or turkey breast etc Christmas stockings; Pavlovas—watch use by date; Christmas puddings; Tins of ham; Boxes/ tins shortbread; Boxes of chocolates; Christmas goodies to eat- Chocolate coated nuts Bags of Iollies; Nuts; Serviettes; Paper plates; Soft drink; Cordial; Long life custard; Christmas bon bons

Thank you for your support. Barb Radford

Advent Bible Study starts from the **Tuesday 29th November 2022** at 06.30pm with bring and share finger supper. Christ Church, Kilmore.