



# Anglican Parish of Kilmore, Broadford, Pyalong and Tallarook

28<sup>th</sup> May 2023



**Sentence:** ‘Let anyone who is thirsty come to me,’ says the Lord; ‘and let the one who believes in me drink. For out of your heart shall flow rivers of living water.’

*John 7.38*

## THE COLLECT

Almighty God, at the feast of Pentecost you sent your Holy Spirit to the disciples, filling them with joy and boldness to preach the gospel: empower us with that same Spirit to witness to your redeeming love and draw all people to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## FIRST READING

A reading from the book of the Acts of the Apostles chapter 2.1 – 21

<sup>1</sup> When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup> And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup> Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. <sup>4</sup> All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. <sup>5</sup> Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. <sup>6</sup> And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. <sup>7</sup> Amazed and astonished, they asked, ‘Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?’ <sup>8</sup> And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? <sup>9</sup> Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup> Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, <sup>11</sup> Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God’s deeds of power.’ <sup>12</sup> All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, ‘What does this mean?’ <sup>13</sup> But others sneered and said, ‘They are filled with new wine.’ <sup>14</sup> But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: ‘Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. <sup>15</sup> Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. <sup>16</sup> No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: <sup>17</sup> “In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. <sup>18</sup> Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. <sup>19</sup> And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. <sup>20</sup> The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord’s great and glorious day. <sup>21</sup> Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

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

*Silence may follow each reading*

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 104.26 – 36**

**R: Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth!**

<sup>26</sup> Lord, how various are your works: in wisdom you have made them all, and the earth is full of your creatures. <sup>27</sup> There is the wide, immeasurable sea: there move living things without number, great and small; <sup>28</sup> There go the ships, to and fro: and there is that Leviathan whom you formed to sport in the deep. <sup>29</sup> These all look to you: to give them their food in due season. <sup>30</sup> When you give it to them, they gather it: when you open your hand they are satisfied with good things...**R**

<sup>31</sup> When you hide your face, they are troubled: when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust. <sup>32</sup> When you send forth your spirit they are created: and you renew the face of the earth. <sup>33</sup> May the glory of the Lord endure for ever: may the Lord rejoice in his works. <sup>34</sup> If he look upon the earth, it shall tremble: if he but touch the mountains, they shall smoke. <sup>35</sup> I will sing to the Lord as long as I live: I will praise my God while I have any being. <sup>36</sup> May my meditation be pleasing to him: for my joy shall be in the Lord...**R**

*Silence may follow each reading*

## **Second Reading**

A reading from Paul's first Letter to the Corinthians chapter 12.1 – 13

<sup>1</sup> Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. <sup>2</sup> You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. <sup>3</sup> Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says 'Let Jesus be cursed!' and no one can say 'Jesus is Lord' except by the Holy Spirit. <sup>4</sup> Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; <sup>5</sup> and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; <sup>6</sup> and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. <sup>7</sup> To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. <sup>8</sup> To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, <sup>9</sup> to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, <sup>10</sup> to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. <sup>11</sup> All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses. <sup>12</sup> For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. <sup>13</sup> For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

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

*Silence may follow each reading*

## **THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. **Alleluia!**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John Chapter 20.19 – 23

**Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

<sup>19</sup> When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, ‘Peace be with you.’ <sup>20</sup> After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. <sup>21</sup> Jesus said to them again, ‘Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.’ <sup>22</sup> When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, ‘Receive the Holy Spirit. <sup>23</sup> If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.’

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.

Spirit of the living God, we pray for the world: for all its people and the creation entrusted to our care, that the earth may be renewed by your spirit. We pray for the nations of the world, especially where there is poverty, disease, corruption and oppression. We pray for those in positions of authority; for all who work for peace and justice. We remember especially those who live in places of war, violence and oppression. Come as holy truth and teach us, Holy Spirit come, and, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for the church: for Christians everywhere, that we may be set on fire with zeal for you. We pray for all leaders of churches; for Philip, our Archbishop and Clarence, our Bishop and all the clergy and the people of this parish. We remember our baptisms and confirmations today as celebrate being your presence and grace in the world. Come as holy fire and burn us, Holy Spirit come, and, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for this community: for all who live and work in this place, that we may be filled with your spirit of love. We pray for all who contribute to the well-being of the community; for our families, our neighbours and our friends. We remember especially all who have lost their work, those who are homeless and those with no hope for the future. Come as holy love and enfold us, Holy Spirit come, and, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for all who suffer: for all in need of your comfort, that they may know your healing and peace. We pray for the sad, the lonely and the destitute, for the sick, the dying and all who care for them. We pray especially for Elaine Haddock, Belinda Shannon, Jim Chatz, Barry Watts, Ray Daly, Val Watts, Gwen Bushell, Debbie, Chilcott, Beryl and Geoff Kirby, Fiona Mctier, Robert Whalley, Candice Pearce, Russel Taylor, David Valentine, Margaret Taylor, Peg and Ken Raeburn, Bishop John Parkes, Glenda McDonald, Edie Simpson, Bruce Seaman, Thomas De Sousa, Mary Cassar, Joan Grimwade, Vince Fazio, and Adeline Bickley... [*parishioners are invited to add names of those they hold in prayer*] Come as holy comfort and console us, Holy Spirit come, and, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We remember all who have died in the faith: those whose hearts have blazed with love for you. Doris Hughes, Dorothy, Ezard (28<sup>th</sup>); Cameron Hiscock, Vera Buckingham (29<sup>th</sup>); Alice Johnson, Mary Adamson (31<sup>st</sup>); David De Niet, Jack Ashton, Robert Insley (01<sup>st</sup> June); Edward Poulter, Alf Richards, Lance Burgess (2<sup>nd</sup>); Edwin Chapman, Murray Rowe, Jennifer Paisley-Koraus (3<sup>rd</sup>); Rest eternal grant to them O Lord, **and let light perpetual shine upon them.** Possess us with power and purpose, that we, with all your saints, may live for ever in your presence. Come as holy life and dwell in us, Holy Spirit come, and, 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 Christ, ascended and glorified, 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.**

## **NOTICES:**

**New Parish Priest:** We welcome Fr. David Kerr, inducted on Saturday as our Priest in Charge. Thank you to all who attended and assisted with the induction service and hospitality thereafter. Fr. David is learning the ropes of his new position, so your patience is appreciated. The best way to get in touch with him is via his mobile number 0439 288 070.

**The Op Shop needs volunteers on Mondays:** Please let Kathy Cassar know if you are willing to assist on Monday mornings 9.00am - 12.30pm.

**New Parish Directory and Parish Roll:** To enable parishioners to contact each other (changing rosters; caring; catching up etc) and for our new Priest (whenever that might be), the Parish Directory is to be updated. Please write your details on the sheets at the back of each church. If you do not want your details in the Parish Directory, please tick the “Parish Roll only” box.

**Parish Prayer List:** Names on the parish prayer list for those in need are updated and added to as required. If there are any names that you are aware of who can be removed due to healing blessings being received, please let Fr David know.

**Direct Debit /EFT Offerings** – Account details: BENDIGO BANK – Account Name ‘Anglican Parish of Kilmore,’ BSB 633-000; Account Number 158946921. Reference: Offertory. An EFTPOS machine is available at Kilmore.

**PARISH LIFE THIS WEEK**

Monday 29th May 10.00am – 12.00pm Op shop: Trading, Drop off, sorting.  
 Wednesday 31st May 2.30pm – Res Eucharist at Dianella RACF  
 Thursday 1st June 10.00am – Thursday Eucharist, St Matthew’s Broadford  
 10.00am – 12.00pm Op shop: Trading, Drop off, sorting.  
 Friday 2nd June 10.00am – 04.00pm: Op shop: Trading  
 10.30am – Res Eucharist at Blue Cross RACF  
 Saturday 3rd June 10.00am – 12.00pm: Op Shop: Trading

<b>Next Sunday 4th June – Trinity Sunday:</b> Exodus 34.1 – 8; Song 3YM 29 – 34 (APBA) p. 399); 2 Corinthians 13.11 – 13; Matthew 28.16 - 20		
Christ Church, Kilmore	9.00am	Holy Eucharist
St Matthew’s, Broadford	11.00am	Holy Eucharist
St Stephen’s, Tallarook	11.00am	Morning Prayer
Transfiguration, Pyalong	————	No service this week

**Daily Scripture Readings**

	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer
Monday	Ps 145	Ps 147
29th May	Deuteronomy 5.22-6.3	Judges 15.9-20

	Acts 2.1-13	1 Corinthians 14.26-40
Tuesday	Ps 148; 149	Ps 144; 150
30 <sup>th</sup> May	Deuteronomy 6.4-25	Judges 16.1-17
	Acts 2.14-24	1 Corinthians 15.1-11
Wednesday	Ps 84	Ps 127;128
31 <sup>st</sup> May	Ruth 4.11-17	Song of Songs 2.8-14
Visitation of Mary	Acts 9.36-42	John 3.25-30
Thursday	Ps 74	Ps 75;76
1 <sup>st</sup> June	Ruth 2	Judges 17.1-18.6
Justin, martyr at Rome	Acts 2.37-47	1 Corinthians 15.35-50
Friday	Ps 77	Ps 78.1-15
2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Ruth 3	Judges 18.7-31
	Acts 3.1-16	1 Corinthians 15.51-58
Saturday	Ps 78.16-38	Ps 150
3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Ruth 4	Isaiah 44.1-8
Martyrs of Uganda; John XXIII, bishop of Rome, reformer	Acts 3.17-44	John 17.17 – 26

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