



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

Sunday 2nd June 2019
Seventh Sunday of Easter



*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, 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: 520; 427; 690; 650

Sentence:

Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved. *Acts 16.31*

THE COLLECT

Almighty God, whose blessed Son before his passion prayed for his disciples that they might be one, as you and he are one: grant that your Church, being bound together in love and obedience to you, may be united in one body by the one Spirit, that the world may believe in him whom you have sent, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles chapter 16.16 – 24

¹⁶ One day, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. ¹⁷ While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, ‘These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation.’ ¹⁸ She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, ‘I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her.’ And it came out that very hour. ¹⁹ But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the market-place before the authorities. ²⁰ When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, ‘These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews ²¹ and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe.’ ²² The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. ²³ After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. ²⁴ Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks. ²⁵ About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. ²⁶ Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone’s chains were unfastened. ²⁷ When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. ²⁸ But Paul shouted in a loud voice, ‘Do not harm yourself, for we are all here.’ ²⁹ The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. ³⁰ Then he brought them outside and said, ‘Sirs, what must I do to be saved?’ ³¹ They answered, ‘Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.’ ³² They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. ³³ At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. ³⁴ He brought them up into

the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Silence may follow each reading.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 97

Sung/ Said Response: The Lord is King

¹ The Lord is king; let the earth rejoice: let the multitude of islands be glad.

² Clouds and darkness are round about him: righteousness and justice are the foundation of his throne. ³ Fire goes before him: and burns up his enemies on every side. ⁴ His lightnings light the world: the earth sees it and quakes...**R**

⁵ The mountains melt like wax before his face: from before the face of the Lord of all the earth. ⁶ The heavens have proclaimed his righteousness: and all peoples have seen his glory. ⁷ They are ashamed, all those who serve idols and glory in mere nothings: all gods bow down before him. ⁸ Zion heard and was glad, and the daughters of Judah rejoiced: because of your judgements, O God...**R**

⁹ For you, Lord, are most high over all the earth: you are exalted far above all gods. ¹⁰ The Lord loves those that hate evil: the Lord guards the life of the faithful, and delivers them from the hand of the ungodly. ¹¹ Light dawns for the righteous: and joy for the true of heart. ¹² Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous: and give thanks to his holy name...**R**

Silence may follow each reading.

SECOND READING

A reading from the book of the Revelation chapter 22.12 – 22

¹² ‘See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone’s work. ¹³ I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.’ ¹⁴ Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates. ¹⁵ Outside are the dogs and sorcerers and fornicators and murderers and idolaters, and everyone who loves and practises falsehood. ¹⁶ ‘It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star.’ ¹⁷ The Spirit and the bride say, ‘Come.’ And let everyone who hears say, ‘Come.’ And let everyone who is thirsty come. Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift. ¹⁸ I warn everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to that person the plagues described

in this book; ¹⁹ if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away that person's share in the tree of life and in the holy city, which are described in this book. ²⁰ The one who testifies to these things says, 'Surely I am coming soon.' Amen. Come, Lord Jesus! ²¹ The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. Amen.

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

Silence may follow each reading.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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

The Lord said: I will not leave you orphans. I will come back to you, and your hearts will rejoice. **Alleluia!** Alleluia!

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John Chapter 17.20 – 26

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

²⁰ 'I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, ²¹ that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. ²² The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, ²³ I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. ²⁴ Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. ²⁵ 'Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. ²⁶ I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.'

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.

Prayer response: come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

Jesus Christ, come again in your glory; come again in glory, and establish your kingdom.

Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the ending, come: come to your beautiful, broken world, that the earth may rejoice and sing your praise; (pause) come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

Saviour of the world, come: come to this unjust, war-torn world, that the oppressed may live in dignity and freedom; (pause) come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

Root and descendent of David, come: come to your holy city, Jerusalem, that its inhabitants may know peace within its walls; (pause) come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

Word of God, come: come to all who exercise authority, that they may speak with wisdom and compassion; (pause) come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

Dayspring from on high, come: come to all trapped in fear and despair, that they may know your joy and hope; (pause) come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

Bright morning star, come: come to all who dwell in sorrow and pain, that they may be comforted by your light; We pray especially for Clare Albrey, Kathy Slade, Belinda Shannon, Jenny Curry, Seth Gunter, Tom Scrivens, Joy Rowe, Rob Muddyman, Elaine Haddock, Francis Piva, Sharron de Battista, Barry Watts, Ray Daly, Marguerite Kisvardai, Jim Chatz, Bruce Scott, Val Watts, Shirley Perkins, Madeline Allen, Barry Nunn, Jean-Claude & his wife Anne-Marie, Beris Hannam, Joyce Bennet, Blair Hanel, Gwen Bushell and Debbie Lloyd ... [*parishioners are invited to add names of those they hold in prayer*] We give thanks for where healing blessings have been received; (pause) come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

Lamb of God, come: come to your pilgrim people, that they may be one body, united in heart and spirit; (pause) come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

Fountain of life, come: come again to your people, that all may believe and drink from the waters of life; (pause) come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

Sovereign ruler of all the world, come to rule over a new heaven and a new earth, that, with the saints below and the saints above, we may behold your glory; we pray for the recently departed Dorothy Ezard and for those we remember this week: Edward Poulter, Alf Richards, Lance Burgess (2nd); Edwin Chapman, Murray Rowe, Jennifer Paisley-Koraus (3rd); Tom Dorrton, Ann Johnson (4th); Herbert Chapman, Ivy Sobey, Violet White (5th); Fiona Hill, Beverley Stack (6th); Wilfred Horwood, Phillip Downie (8th). Rest eternal grant to them O Lord, **and let light perpetual shine upon them.** (pause) Jesus Christ come again in glory, **and establish your kingdom.**

In a time of silence let us pray for ourselves and those on our hearts and minds this day... (pause) come again in glory, **and establish 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.

Notices:

Monthly Parish BBQ/lunch: With the colder months now with us, our monthly "BBQ" lunches will change to Soup and Casserole lunches. Bishop John is promoting his Winter Soup Appeal, so the July, August and September lunches will be in aid of this. The lunches will include bring and share homemade soup, with gold coin donations and tinned soup donations gratefully received. These will be passed onto the Winter Appeal. We are in need of hosts for the coming months. If you wish to host, please let Caroline or Fr Andre know. If you are able to make soup but unable to attend the lunches, please let the hosts of the day know. Left over homemade soup will be frozen and kept for those in need.

Pentecost Sunday: The Feast of Pentecost falls on Sunday June 9th when we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles. It is the day we change the colour of the church from the Easter period of white, to red. As is our parish custom - if you wish, and are able to, please wear red to church on this Sunday.

Next Sunday 9th June – Pentecost Sunday Acts 2.1 – 21 ; Ps 104.26 – 36 ; Romans 8.14 – 17 ; John 14.8 – 17		
Christ Church, Kilmore	09.00am	Sung Eucharist
St Matthew's, Broadford	11.00am	Morning Prayer
St Stephen's, Tallarook	11.00am	Holy Eucharist

Daily Scripture Readings

	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer
Monday	Ps 78.16 – 38	Ps 78.39 – 70
3 rd June	Deuteronomy 1.46 – 2.19	Judges 10.10 – 11.11
	John 16.12 – 24	1 Corinthians 11.17 – 34
Tuesday	Ps 80	Ps 81
4 th June	Deuteronomy 2.24 – 3.5	Judges 11.29 – 40
	John 16.25 – 17.5	1 Corinthians 12.1 – 13
Wednesday	Ps 82; 84	Ps 85; 87
5 th June	Deuteronomy 3.18 – 4.8	Judges 13.1 – 18
	John 17.6 – 19	1 Corinthians 12.14 – 31
Thursday	Ps 86	Ps 88
6 th June	Deuteronomy 4.9 – 24	Judges 13.19 – 14.9
	John 17.20 – 26	1 Corinthians 13
Friday	Ps 90	Ps 119.89 – 104
7 th June	Deuteronomy 4.25 – 42	Judges 14.10 15.8
	Acts 1.1 – 14	1 Corinthians 14.1 – 12
Saturday	Ps 89.1 – 18	Ps 48
8 th June	Deuteronomy 1.22 – 45	Numbers 11.16-17, 24-30
	Acts 1.15 – 26	1 Corinthians 14.13 – 25

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

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Safe Church Awareness Workshop:

The next training **will be in Cobram on 22 June**, followed by Lavington (North Albury) on 10th August. There will also be a workshop centrally in Wangaratta on 19th October, and a refresher in Benalla on 16th November for those who are due for the three-yearly update.



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