



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

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2018**  
***2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter***

*Christ  
is  
Risen!*

*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: 362; 370; 380; 361**

**Sentence:**

Alleluia, Alleluia, This is the Day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. (*Luke 24.34 ; Psalm 118.24*)

## THE COLLECT

Everlasting God, in your tender love for the human race you sent your Son to take our nature, and to suffer death upon the cross: in your mercy enable us to share in his obedience to your will and in the glorious victory of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

## FIRST READING

A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah chapter 25:6 – 9

On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear. And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; he will swallow up death forever. Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken. It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the Lord for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

*Silence may follow each reading.*

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** Hymn to the Risen Christ

**Response – Sung: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia**

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us: so let us celebrate the feast, Not with the old leaven of corruption and wickedness: but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. **R....**

Christ once raised from the dead dies no more: death has no more dominion over him. In dying he died to sin once for all: in living he lives to God. **R....**

See yourselves therefore as dead to sin: and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Christ has been raised from the dead: the first fruits of those who sleep. **R....**

For as by one man came death: by another has come also resurrection of the dead; For as in Adam all die: even so in Christ shall all be made alive. **R....**

*Silence may follow each reading.*

## SECOND READING

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles chapter 10.34 – 43

Peter began to speak to the gentiles: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ--he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

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

*Silence may follow each reading.*

## THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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

Christ has become our paschal sacrifice; let us feast with joy in the Lord. Alleluia!  
**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark Chapter 16.1 – 8

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

When the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint Jesus. And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. They had been saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. But he said to them, "Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you." So they went out and fled from the tomb, for

terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

For the Gospel of the Lord  
**Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**

*Silence may follow each reading.*

## **RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS**

*Easter, in the early Church was the time of baptism and it is customary for all the baptised to renew their vows on Easter Day.*

Do you reject sin, so as to live in the freedom of God's children?

**I do.**

Do you reject the glamour of evil, and refuse to be mastered by sin?

**I do.**

Do you reject Satan, father of sin and prince of darkness?

**I do.**

Do you believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth?

**I do.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was born of the Virgin Mary, was crucified, died, and was buried, rose from the dead, and is now seated at the right hand of the Father?

**I do.**

Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the Communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.

**I do.**

God, the all powerful Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and forgiven all our sins. May he also keep us faithful to our Lord Jesus Christ for ever and ever. **Amen**

## **SPRINKLING**

## **PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**

Let us pray for church and the world.

**Prayer response:** Jesus, Risen Lord, **open to us the gate of glory.**

Blessed be the risen Lord; he has broken from the tomb and opens for us the gate to life eternal. Blessed be the risen Lord; he comes to his disciples; where two or

three gather together he is there. Blessed be the risen Lord: he comes from the dead with life, he brings us light and joy and hope. (Pause) Jesus, Risen Lord, **open to us the gate of glory.**

Holy and everlasting God, we give you thanks for the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ from the dead: in him light triumphs over darkness, life triumphs over death; in him is our hope and the promise of life eternal. We pray for all who preach the gospel, for all who seek to lead others to the risen Lord, for all who teach of his forgiveness, for all who have their hope set on eternal life; that we all may rejoice in the power of the risen Lord. (Pause) Jesus, Risen Lord, **open to us the gate of glory.**

We look for the coming of peace on earth. Lord, let us hear that voice which says, 'Peace be with you'. Let your peace begin in our hearts and in our homes. Let your peace grow in our communities. Let your peace reach out into the whole world. (Pause) Jesus, Risen Lord, **open to us the gate of glory.**

As the risen Lord appeared in the Upper Room, may he be known to be in our homes and among us. Lord, destroy all that would lock us in or deny us freedom; enter our lives that we may live for you. (Pause) Jesus, Risen Lord, **open to us the gate of glory.**

We think of all those who weep today, those newly separated from loved ones, all who are caught up in sorrow and are heavy-hearted, all who are distressed and overwrought. We remember all who mourn the loss of a loved one. Lord, wipe away all tears from their eyes, that they may see you and know life is eternal. Among the sick we pray especially for Lorraine Lipson, Karen Goodger, Belinda Shannon, Jenny Curry, Seth Gunter, Tom Scrivens, Joy Rowe, Fay Muddyman, Rob Muddyman, Elaine Haddock, Francis Piva, Sharron de Battista, Iris Haywood, Tania Morgan (Norman & Ann's daughter), Barry Watts (giving thanks to God for his degree of recovery.) Chris (friend of Edie in Broadford), Fr John Young, Peter Jones, (Caroline Burge's father), Ray Daly and Chris Dumaresq. We give thanks for where healing blessings have been received. (Pause) Jesus, Risen Lord, **open to us the gate of glory.**

We give you thanks and praise for the gift of eternal life. We rejoice with your saints in glory, and we pray for all our loved ones departed this life, that, free from sorrow and pain, they may be one with you in your kingdom. We pray for those whose anniversary of death we remember this week. Shannon Burr, William Rhue (1<sup>st</sup>); Kelvin Prosser (2<sup>nd</sup>); Johannes De Niet (3<sup>rd</sup>); Ian Kelm, John Butler (4<sup>th</sup>); Stan Cartwright, James Glare (5<sup>th</sup>); Frederick Schumann (6<sup>th</sup>). Rest eternal grant to them O Lord, **and let light perpetual shine upon them.** (pause)

In a time of silence let us pray for ourselves and those on our hearts and minds this day... (pause) Jesus, Risen Lord, **open to us the gate of glory.**

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**

**We do not presume to come to your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.**

## **THE PEACE**

The peace of him who triumphs over death, the peace of him who is the Lord of life, the peace of him who is the King of glory.

We are the body of Christ.

**His Spirit is with us.**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**And also with you.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**The BBQ** is usually the second Sunday of the month. If you would like to help or want more information, please contact Caroline.

**Parish Harvest Festival, Sunday 8 April;** Low Sunday. **Harvest festival to be celebrated at each centre.** As this date is the second Sunday of the month, then the **Parish Barbecue** will be held at the Gavan Hall, Broadford, 12.30pm. Meat will be provided, please bring salads and sweets to share. The harvest festival offerings from each centre will be auctioned after lunch for ABM funds.

**Young People's Church:** Next Service on the **22<sup>nd</sup> April at 5.00pm.** Christ Church Kilmore, followed by Dinner. Please join us, bring the kids, young people and the young at heart. Bring and share.

**The Historical Society of Kilmore** will meet at Christ Church, Kilmore on Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2018, at 07.30pm to share in the history of our church. Please join us to welcome them. Speaker on Christ Church History and Supper.

**Quiet Morning:** Please join us for our monthly Quiet Morning at Christ Church, Kilmore at 11.00am. Come and learn to still the mind and rest in God.

**Bunnings Sausage Sizzle fund-raiser 26 May.**

**Next Parish Council Meeting - 7.30pm Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2018, Broadford**

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### **PARISH DIARY [Regular Meetings and Events]**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sun of the month:** Parish BBQ - 12.30pm.

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

**3<sup>rd</sup> Wed of the month:** Parish Council Meeting, 7.30 pm. 18<sup>th</sup> April 2018  
**Wednesdays 10 am:** Knitting Group at Christ Church.

### **PARISH LIFE THIS WEEK**

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> April      10.00am – Eucharist at St Matthew, Broadford

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> April          10.00am – Blue Cross Nursing Home  
                                    10.00am – 4.00pm Op Shop Church House

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> April        10.00am – 12.00pm Op Shop Church House

<b>Next Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April – Second Sunday of Easter</b> <b>Readings:</b> Acts 4.32 – 37; Ps 133; 1 John 1.1 – 2.2; John 20.19 – 31		
Christ Church, Kilmore	09.00am	Sung Eucharist
St Matthew's, Broadford	11.00am	Morning Prayer
St Stephen's, Tallarook	11.00am	Eucharist

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## Daily Scripture Readings

	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer
Monday	Ps 2	Ps 110
2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Isaiah 60.1 – 11	Exodus 12.1 – 20
	John 20.1 – 18	1 Peter 1.1 – 9
Tuesday	Ps 112	Ps 113
3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Isaiah 60.12 – 21	Exodus 12.21 – 36
	John 20.19 – 31	1 Peter 1. 10 – 17
Wednesday	Ps 114	Ps 115
4 <sup>th</sup> April	Isaiah 61	Exodus 12.37 – 51
	John 21.1 – 14	1 Peter 1.18 – 2.3
Thursday	Ps 116	Ps 117
5 <sup>th</sup> April	Isaiah 62	Exodus 13.1 – 16
	John 21.15 – 25	1 Peter 2.4 – 10
Friday	Ps 118.1 – 18	Ps 118.19 – 29
6 <sup>th</sup> April	Isaiah 64	Exodus 13.17 – 14.14
	Mark 16.1 – 8	1 Peter 2.11 – 17
Saturday	Ps 136.1 – 12	Ps 136.1, 13 – 26
7 <sup>th</sup> April	Isaiah 65.17 – 25	Exodus 14.15 – 30
	Mark 16.9 – 20	1 Peter 2.18 – 25

**Parish Website for information:** [www.anglicankilmore.org.au](http://www.anglicankilmore.org.au)

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