



**Anglican Parish of  
Christ Church Kilmore  
with  
Broadford, Pyalong and Tallarook**



**Sunday 15th October 2017  
Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

Welcome to all, especially new comers and visitors. Please introduce yourself to one of our welcomers, who will be able to offer you some help in feeling at home. All the material you will need is in this booklet, and the hymn-book. Please join us for coffee after the Eucharist. About Communion: All who are baptized in any Trinitarian Church are Welcome to receive communion with us today!!!

## PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

*As the procession enters the following hymn is sung 474 "Here In This Place"  
The president greets the congregation ('+' where marked indicates that you may make the sign of the cross)*

*The President says:*

**President:** Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**People:** **Blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever**

**President:** The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,  
the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all

**People: and also with you.**

*The following sentence is said by the President.*

This is our God for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation. [Isaiah 25.9]

*The President or Communion Minister says: Let us pray*

**Almighty God,  
to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*The following is sung.*

**Lord have mercy  
Christ have mercy  
Lord have mercy**

**Glory to God in the highest  
and peace to God's people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you,  
we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One:  
you alone are the Lord:  
you alone are the Most High,  
+ Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

#### HEARING GOD'S WORD

*The Collect (prayer) is said by the President: Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost*

Saving and healing God,  
you have promised  
that those who have died with Christ shall live with him:  
grant us grace to be continually thankful for all you have done for us,  
and in that thankfulness  
to be eager to serve and live for others,  
so that we and all your children may rejoice in your salvation;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

**People: Amen.**

All sit for the First Reading: (Isaiah 25:1 - 9)

*The Reader says:* A Reading from the book of the Prophet Isaiah, Chapter 25,  
beginning at verse 1

1 Lord , you are my God; I will exalt you and praise your name, for in perfect faithfulness you have done wonderful things, things planned long ago. 2 You have made the city a heap of rubble, the fortified town a ruin, the foreigners' stronghold a city no more; it will never be rebuilt. 3 Therefore strong peoples will honour you; cities of ruthless nations will revere you. 4 You have been a refuge for the poor, a refuge for the needy in their distress, a shelter from the storm and a shade from the heat. For the breath of the ruthless is like a storm driving against a wall 5 and like the heat of the desert. You silence the uproar of foreigners; as heat is reduced by the shadow of a cloud, so the song of the ruthless is stilled. 6 On this mountain the Lord Almighty will prepare a feast of rich food for all peoples, a banquet of aged wine – the best of meats and the finest of wines. 7 On this mountain he will destroy the shroud that enfolds all peoples, the sheet that covers all nations; 8 he will swallow up death for ever. The Sovereign Lord will wipe away the tears from all faces; he will remove his people's disgrace from all the earth. The Lord has spoken. 9 In that day they will say, 'Surely this is our God; we trusted in him, and he saved us. This is the Lord , we trusted in him; let us rejoice and be glad in his salvation.'

*The reader says*

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm: 23

**Response:**

I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

**I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life**

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose.

Near restful waters he leads me, to revive my drooping spirit.

**I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life**

He guides me along the right path, he is true to his name. If I should walk in the valley of darkness no evil would I fear.

You are there with your crook and your staff; with these you give me comfort.

**I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life**

You have prepared a banquet for me in the sight of my foes.  
My head you have anointed with oil; my cup is overflowing.

**I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life**

Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me all the days of my life  
In the Lord's own house I shall dwell for ever and ever.

**I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life**

The Reading from the Epistles. (Philippians Ch 4:1 - 9)

*The Reader Says:* A reading from the letter to the Philippians, Chapter 4 beginning at verse 1.

1 Therefore, my brothers and sisters, you whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, dear friends! 2 I plead with Euodia and I plead with Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. 3 Yes, and I ask you, my true companion, help these women since they have contended at my side in the cause of the gospel, along with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life. 4 Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: rejoice! 5 Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near. 6 Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. 7 And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. 8 Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable – if anything is excellent or praiseworthy – think about such things. 9 Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me – put it into practice. And the God of peace will be with you.

*The Reader says*

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church

**People: Thanks be to God**

*The Following Hymn Is Sung: 503 "Robe Yourself My Soul In Gladness"*

*[vv 1,2,3,4,6]*

Gospel Alleluia All sing together



**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**  
**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts  
That we may know what is the hope that belongs to our call

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*The President says:*

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew Chapter 22,  
beginning at verse 1. (Matthew 22:1 - 14)

**People: Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

1 Jesus spoke to them again in parables, saying: 2 'The kingdom of heaven is like a king who prepared a wedding banquet for his son. 3 He sent his servants to those who had been invited to the banquet to tell them to come, but they refused to come. 4 'Then he sent some more servants and said, "Tell those who have been invited that I have prepared my dinner: my oxen and fattened cattle have been slaughtered, and everything is ready. Come to the wedding banquet." 5 'But they paid no attention and went off – one to his field, another to his business. 6 The rest seized his servants, ill-treated them and killed them. 7 The king was enraged. He sent his army and destroyed those murderers and burned their city. 8 'Then he said to his servants, "The wedding banquet is ready, but those I invited did not deserve to come. 9 So go to the street corners and invite to the banquet anyone you find." 10 So the servants went out into the streets and gathered all the people they could find, the bad as well as the good, and the wedding hall was filled with guests. 11 'But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing wedding clothes. 12 He asked, "How did you get in here without wedding clothes, friend?" The man was speechless. 13 'Then the king told the attendants, "Tie him hand and foot, and throw him outside, into the darkness,

where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.” 14 ‘For many are invited, but few are chosen.’

*The President says:* For the Gospel of the Lord

**People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

*The People sing ‘Alleluia’ as for greeting the Gospel. (See above).*

The Sermon (Sit)

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD  
[CREED AND INTERCESSION]

*The Communion Minister says: Let us affirm our faith in the Words of the Creed*

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is,  
seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through whom all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and was made truly human.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;**

**he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit  
the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,**

who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
+ and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## INTERCESSIONS

*The Communion Minister or President says:*

Let us pray for the world and for the Church (the people sit or kneel)

*Response to the intercession:*

Intercessor: Loving God, in your mercy,

**People: hear our prayer**

*The intercessor says:* Almighty God, you have promised to hear our prayers

**People: Grant that what we have asked in faith,  
we may, by your grace receive  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## PREPARATION FOR THE EUCHARIST

*The Communion Minister or President says:*

God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy,  
Welcoming sinners and inviting them to the Lord's table

*A time of silence for examination of our lives is kept.*

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, confident in God's forgiveness

**People: Merciful God, our maker and our judge,  
we have sinned against you,  
in thought, and word, and deed,  
and in what we have failed to do:  
we have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbour as ourselves;  
We repent and are sorry for all our sins.  
Father forgive us.  
Strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life;**

## Through Jesus Christ our Lord

*The President says:*

Almighty God,  
who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to Him in faith  
+ pardon you and set you free from all your sins,  
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness  
and by the power of the Holy Spirit, keep you in eternal life,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**People: Amen.**

*The President Says: We are the Body of Christ*

**People: His Spirit is with us**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People: and also with you.**

Let us greet one another with the sign of God's peace.

*The members of the congregation greet one another with a sign of peace.*

## THE EUCHARIST

*Offertory Hymn: "I'm Gonna Sit At The Welcome Table"*

I'm gonna sit at the welcome table

I'm gonna sit at the welcome table one of these days. Halleluia!  
Im gonna sit at the welcome table

I'm gonna sit at the welcome table one of these days.

I'm gonna eat and drink with my Jesus...

I'm gonna join with sisters and brothers...

Here, all the world will find a welcome...

We're gonna fest on milk and honey.

*The gifts of the people and bread and wine are brought to the altar.  
The President continues with prayers over the bread, wine and gifts of money. After  
each prayer, the people respond with:*

**People: Blessed be God forever**

*[\*Note: As God's Priestly people, remain standing throughout the whole of the  
Thanksgiving Prayer]*

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Loving God,

we thank you for this world of wonder and delight.

You have given it to us to care for,

so that all your creatures may enjoy its bounty.

Lord our God,

**we give you thanks and praise.**

We thank you that when we turned away from you,

you sent Jesus to live and work as one of us,

and bring us back to you.

He showed us how to love you

and set us free to love and serve one another.

Lord our God,

**we give you thanks and praise.**

We thank you that on the cross

Jesus took away our sin,

all that keeps us from each other and from you.

He frees us from hate and fear,

from all that destroys love and trust.

Lord our God,

**we give you thanks and praise.**

And so with everyone who believes in you,

with all the saints and angels,  
we rejoice and praise you, saying:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**+ Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord  
Hosanna in the highest.**

And now we thank you  
for these gifts of bread and wine;  
may we who receive them,  
as Jesus said,  
share his body and his blood.

On the night he was betrayed, he took bread  
and gave you thanks.  
He broke the bread and gave it to his friends, and said,  
'Take and eat. This is my body given for you.  
Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper he took the cup  
and gave you thanks.  
He shared the cup with them and said,  
'This is my blood poured out  
so that sins may be forgiven.  
Do this in remembrance of me.'

You have gathered us together  
to feed on Christ  
and to remember all he has done for us:

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

Fill us with your Spirit  
that we may follow Jesus  
in all we do and say,  
working for justice and bringing your peace  
to this world that you have made.  
Accept our prayers through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Blessing and honour and glory and power  
are yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

*The Lord's Prayer is said*

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray.

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done on earth as in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours  
now and for ever. Amen.**

#### THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

*The President says*

As this broken bread was many grains  
which have been gathered together and made one bread

**People: so may your Church be gathered  
from the ends of the earth into your kingdom**

**Jesus Lamb of God, have mercy on us.  
Jesus bearer of our Sins, have mercy on us.  
Jesus redeemer of the world, grant us your peace.**

The Spirit and the Bride say "Come!" Let all who hear come! Let all who thirst come! Take these gifts knowing that Christ died for you, and now, risen from the dead gives himself to you, and feed on him with all your heart. Come!

*All who are baptized or have been able to receive communion in any Trinitarian Church are warmly invited to receive it with us today.*

*The minister gives the bread and says;*

The body of Christ the bread of heaven.  
The minister gives the cup and says

The blood of Christ the cup of salvation.  
The communicant responds each time. **Amen.**

## RESPONDING TO THE EUCHARIST

*The following sentence is said.*

Jesus says “The kingdom of heaven is like a king who prepared a wedding banquet for his son.”

*The President says the following prayer:*

Bountiful God  
At this table you graciously feed us  
with the bread of life  
and the cup of eternal salvation.  
May we who have reached out our hands  
to receive this sacrament  
be strengthened for your service;  
We who have sung your praises  
tell of your glory and your truth in our lives;  
We who have seen the greatness of your love  
see you face to face in your kingdom  
and come to worship you with all your saints for ever.

**People: Father,  
we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice  
through Jesus Christ, our Lord.  
Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
to live and work to your praise and Glory. Amen.**

*Post Communion Hymn is Sung 545 “Shout For Joy”*

*The Announcements are made.*

*The President pronounces the blessing.*

*The People stand.*

The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and  
minds in the knowledge and love of God,  
and of God’s Son, Jesus Christ our Lord;

and the + blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you always.

**People: Amen.**

*The President or Communion minister says:*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord

**People: In the name of Christ. Amen.**

**INFORMATION FOR WORSHIP LEADERS AND INTERCESSORS:**

The Rohingya people of Myanmar. Those in detention on Naru and Manus Island and those facing deportation or loss of support in Australia. We pray for those making energy policy in Australia. Those involved in conflict, especially in the Middle East and those mediating in the tensions on the Korean peninsula. We pray for us all as we make decisions about same sex marriage and the coming survey. We pray for the future of this parish, and that person whom God is calling to be our priest.

**Prayer Requests for those in Need:** Karen Goodger, Belinda Shannon, Jenny Curry, Seth Gunter, Tom Scrivens, Mark Bennets, Fay Muddyman, Rob Muddyman, Elaine Haddock, Joy Rowe, Francis Piva, Sharron de Battista, Iris Haywood, Tania Morgan (Norman & Ann's Daughter), Barry Watts (thanks to God for his degree of recovery.)

**Faithful Departed:**

*Communion of Saints:* 16<sup>th</sup> Oct. Reformers and Martyrs of the English Reformation, 17<sup>th</sup> Oct. Ignatius of Antioch [Bishop and Martyr] 18<sup>th</sup> Oct. St. Luke [Evangelist], 18<sup>th</sup> Oct. Henry Martyn [Missionary and Bible Translator]

*Yearly Remembrance:* Bernie Castles, Herbie Chapman, Edith Rae, Katherine Jones, John Gardiner, Glen Newlyn, James Humphries, Percival Bradshaw, Dorothy Loft, Donald Roberts, Robert Hannam, Edward Howes, Evelyn Williams, Harold Walton, Joan Collett

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Lay Ministry Training Day:** 14<sup>th</sup> October. Well done everyone. There was a significant number of people who went to the training day. Thank you.

**Safe Churches Awareness Workshop:** 28<sup>th</sup> 9.00 am October Seymour. Mandatory Attendance for clergy, councilors, wardens and all involved in work with young people.

**Kids Church:** Next Occasion: **Saturday 28th October @ 5.00 pm.** Please take a flier from the church and advertise it among your friends. We need people to prepare some food for the people who come. Thanks to Rob for his work.

**All Saints' Day:** 29<sup>th</sup> October. Bishop's Visit for Christian Initiation: At this stage we will be baptizing Eliza Kolbe, Thomas Pratt and receiving Carolyn, Blair and Jesse Hanel into the Anglican Communion.

**Opportunity Shop Workers Needed:** In order to support our opportunity shop properly, we need more people to help with sorting of incoming goods. Please put your name down on the timetable provided. We are asking for one or two hours per week per person. This is vital for our future as a ministering congregation via the Op Shop, and to our future as a continuing Church.

**Parish BBQ (Winter Lunch):** Next BBQ date is 8<sup>th</sup> October (Bring and Share. Location: Home of Anne and Norman Rose 56a Fitzroy St. Kilmore.

**Preparation for Fete:** Date: Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November 9.00 am till Noon Broadford. Get your plants, jams jellies chutneys and cakes ready.

**Parish Council Meeting** - 7.30pm Wednesday 18th October, Kilmore. If you have items for the agenda, please send them to John Patterson  
[johndpatterson@yahoo.com.au](mailto:johndpatterson@yahoo.com.au)

**Anglican Church Calendar:** Order Form available today.

**Yarrawonga Induction:** Neil Hicks. 11<sup>th</sup> November 11.30 am. All Welcome.

**Parish Annual General Meeting:** 26<sup>th</sup> November after Church. One Service at Kilmore [Patronal Festival for Christ the King]

**Direct Debit /EFT Offerings** - Account details: BENDIGO BANK - Account Name 'Anglican Parish of Kilmore'; BSB 633-000; Account Number 158946921. Parishioners using direct debit or electronic funds transfer please use these bank details when making offerings.

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

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

**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. 15th October

venue: Kilmore.  
**Tuesdays 10 am:** Knitting Group. Christ Church.

### Parish life this week

Thursday 19th October      10.00am    Eucharist - St Matthew's  
   11.30 am    Eucharist Caladenia  
   4.00 pm    Eucharist Dianella  
   10.00am    Eucharist Blue Cross  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup>      October      10.00am - 4.00pm Op Shop Church House  
Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October      10.00am - 12.00pm Op Shop Church House

Next Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October. Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost Readings: Isaiah 45:1 - 6; Psalm 96; 1 Thessalonians 1:1 – 5a; Matthew 22:15 - 21		
Christ Church	9am	Eucharist
St Matthew's BROADFORD	11am	Morning Prayer
St Stephen's TALLAROOK	11am	Eucharist
PYALONG	4 pm	

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