

THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST STEPHEN AND ST MARY

MOUNT WAVERLEY

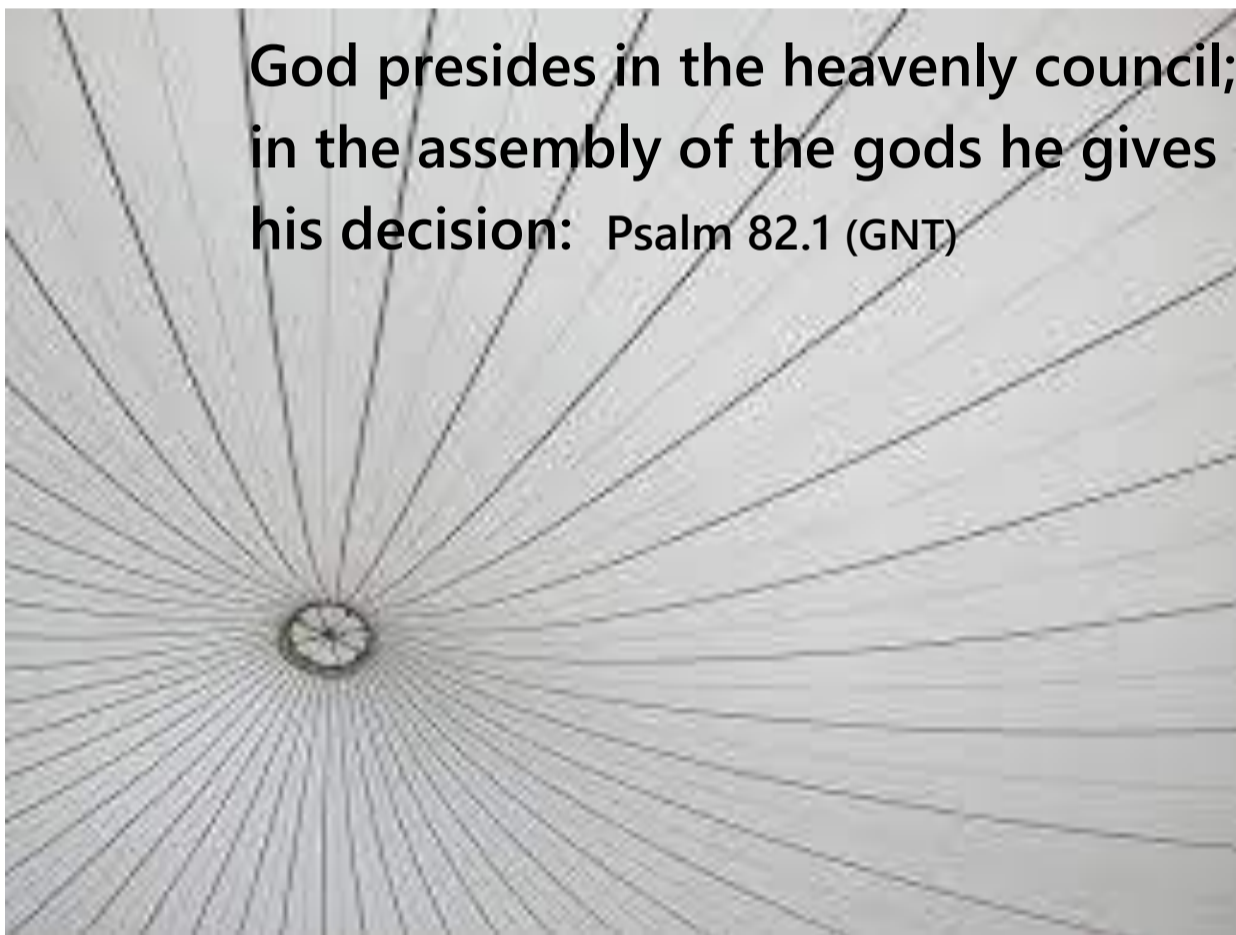
WELCOME

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

14 July 2019



God presides in the heavenly council;
in the assembly of the gods he gives
his decision: Psalm 82.1 (GNT)



At Worship Today:

7.45 am (Book of Common Prayer)
Preaching & Presiding: Revd Dianne
Hymn: TIS 470 Rejoice in God's saints,
today and all days

10.30 am (Contemporary Eucharist)
Preaching & Presiding: Revd Dianne

**Eternal God,
you have taught us through Christ
that love is the fulfilment of the law:
help us to love you with all our heart,
with all our soul, with all our mind,
and with all our strength,
and our neighbour as ourself;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Sanctuary bell will be rung 5 minutes before the service begins to observe a time of quiet.

9.00 am (Sung Eucharist)

Preaching & Presiding:

Liturgy Setting:

Processional:

Sentence:

A Prayer Book for Australia - page 119

Revd Dianne

John Ross

TIS614 O God of Love, whose heart is ever yearning

Do to others as you would have them do to you.

Love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting
nothing in return.

First Reading:

Amos 7.7-17

Psalm Response:



R. To you, O Lord, I lift my soul.

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Psalm:

Ps 82

Second Reading:

Colossians 1.1-12

Gospel Acclamation:

Owen Alstott



R. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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Gospel:

Luke 10.25-37

Offertory:

TIS 657 God of Freedom, God of justice (tune TIS 497)

Choir Anthem:

My Jesus I Love Thee - words by W.R.Featherstone
- music by A.J.Gordon

Recessional Hymn:

TIS 470 Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days

First Reading: Amos 7.7-17

7 This is what he showed me: the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb-line, with a plumb-line in his hand. 8 And the Lord said to me, 'Amos, what do you see?' And I said, 'A plumb-line.' Then the Lord said, 'See, I am setting a plumb-line in the midst of my people Israel; I will never again pass them by; 9 the high places of Isaac shall be made desolate, and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste, and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword.' 10 Then Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, sent to King Jeroboam of Israel, saying, 'Amos has conspired against you in the very centre of the house of Israel; the land is not able to bear all his words. 11 For thus Amos has said, Jeroboam shall die by the sword, and Israel must go into exile away from his land.' 12 And Amaziah said to Amos, 'O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, earn your bread there, and prophesy there; 13 but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king's sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom.' 14 Then Amos answered Amaziah, 'I am no prophet, nor a prophet's son; but I am a herdsman, and a dresser of sycomore trees, 15 and the Lord took me from following the flock, and the Lord said to me, "Go, prophesy to my people Israel." 16 'Now therefore hear the word of the Lord . You say, "Do not prophesy against Israel, and do not preach against the house of Isaac." 17 Therefore, thus says the Lord : Your wife shall become a prostitute in the city, and your sons and your daughters shall fall by the sword, and your land shall be parcelled out by line; you yourself shall die in an unclean land, and Israel shall surely go into exile away from its land.' '

Second Reading: Colossians 1.1-12

1 Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, 2 To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. 3 In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus

Christ, 4 for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, 5 because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel 6 that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. 7 This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow-servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, 8 and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit. 9 For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, 10 so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. 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.

Gospel Reading: Luke 10.25-37

A lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' 26 He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' 27 He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.' 28 And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.' 29 But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' 30 Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. 31 Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. 32 So likewise a

Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. 33 But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. 34 He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. 35 The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." 36 Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' 37 He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'

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MU Australia
Part of the World Wide Mothers' Union

Our next meeting:

Monday July 22nd@ 1-30pm in the Parish Centre will be a Fellowship meeting...a chance to talk, and share with friends. Please feel free to join us.
Irene Donohoe Clyne (Branch President)

Youth Group

We are starting back for term 3 on Sunday 21st July from 6pm to 8pm.
Come and try.



PARISH PAPER

Graeme Dellora is the new Editor of the Parish Paper. Format to be decided. Seeking lots of content/ contributions from parishioners -- interesting travels ; faith journeys ; Ladies Guild and Mothers Union reports ; photos, etc.

THANKSGIVING/TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY

Services on Transfiguration Sunday 4th August will be an opportunity to reflect on God's love for us. How can we use our time, talents and finances to support and grow the life and outreach of our faith community ?

No Stewardship Program this year -- but please consider a special Thanksgiving offertory. It costs \$ 1,000 per day to run our parish and allow us to have our wonderful ministry team.

The Thanksgiving Service will be followed by a special morning tea after each service. Please bring a small plate of goodies.

Please bring an item (non perishable) for the baskets so we can overflow them with abundance in thanksgiving.

50th CELEBRATION WINE OFFER

Only 2 weeks to go. Orders can be placed until July 31st 2019. Don't miss out on an excellent souvenir of our New Church 50th Birthday. Quality inexpensive wines.

Fill in the order form / leave in the box in the Narthex.

Enquiries : Howard Brown



Kathryn Watt's parish is hosting a

Christmas in July celebration

Where: Holy Trinity Parish Centre, 175 Chapel Street
Balaclava

When: Saturday 27 July 2019 at 5pm

Cost: \$25 and please BYO drinks



GARDENING GROUP

Next Saturday 20th July, the Garden Group will again convene to spruce up the church grounds. 9.30 am onwards.

Please stay for a cuppa and a chat afterwards.

Remember to pot some plants for us to sell at the Spring Fete in October.

Enquiries : Maggie and Graeme Dellora



REVEREND DIANNE'S COLLATION

Rev'd Dianne has been appointed Archdeacon of Box Hill. A big honour. She will be collated by Bishop Paul Barker this Thursday 18th July at 5.10 pm Evensong at St. Paul's Cathedral.

All parishioners are encouraged to attend this big occasion.

Some trains are not running. Parishioners may wish to carpool.



The Right Reverend James Alexander Grant AM

The Archbishop of Melbourne has announced the death of Bishop James Grant on 10th July. "Bishop James Grant made a large and significant contribution to the life of the Diocese of Melbourne, to Christian education and in particular Trinity College, and to the church and community in general. Over the course of his long and celebrated career in the Church, Bishop Grant served his Diocese with great distinction in a variety of capacities, including as Dean of St Paul's Cathedral, and as an Assistant Bishop from 1970 until his retirement in 1999. He was a colleague, mentor and friend to many over an extended period of time, and will be greatly missed and much mourned."

Chat & Chew - July 19

The final Chat & Chew will be held on July 19th 10.30 am - 12 noon at Toro Cafe, Hamilton Place, Mt Waverley as a farewell to this ministry. Drop by for a finalé.

'Telstra' scams

Be aware that scammers are calling on the phone pretending to be from Telstra. They will ask you to log on to your computer & ask for your details.



SILENT RETREAT

A live-in time of silence

An Invitation to reflect on your prayer life.

- * **An opportunity** to discover that there is no line between the sacred and secular. All of life is holy.
- * **An opportunity** to explore innovative ways to pray.
- * **Guided Meditations** will assist reflection on your journey of faith and discovery.
- * **Reflect on how we think, feel and respond to what lies within us and others with our God.**

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"We are fundamentally good. When you think about it, that's who we are at our coreWhat difference does goodness make? Goodness changes everything.. Goodness changes how we see the world, the way we see others, and most importantly, the way we see ourselves. The way we see ourselves matters, It affects how we treat people. It affects the quality of life for each and all of us."
Desmond Tutu

Theme - DARE TO LIVE FULLY

Weekend: 26th July - 28th July

Friday Dinner 6.00 pm to Sunday Afternoon Tea 4.30 pm.

Place: Community of the Holy Name Spirituality Centre
40 Cavanagh Street Cheltenham 3172

Donation: \$180.00 includes accommodation, meals and resources.

Bookings: **Please Book as soon as possible.**

*Please send \$80 Non-Refundable Deposit
Cheque made payable to Val Dyke.*

ENQUIRIES to: Val Dyke

Unit 2/22 Lee Avenue Mt. Waverley 3149

Afternoon Meditation Gatherings

1st Wednesday of the month at 2.30pm in the Chapel, based on Ignatian Spirituality. A Sacred Space where you can find rest and stillness, listen and centre yourself. Spiritual food is offered to aid reflection and meditation. Contact Val Dyke. **Next session will be on 4th September 2019.**

Evening Meditation Gatherings

2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month at 7.30pm in the Old Church, based on the Contemplative Traditions of Christian Meditation. Contact Michael Mosley. The next session will be on **Thursday 25th July, 2019, 7.30 pm** in the Old Church, then on **8th August.**

Dates to put in your diary ...

Sunday Fifth Sunday after Pentecost - July 14, 2019	
7.45 am	Book of Common Prayer
9.00 am	Sung Eucharist
10.30 am	Contemporary Eucharist
3.00 - 7.30 pm	TCCV (Church)
Monday	15
4.30 - 8.45 pm	Karen Margaret Dance (PC)
Tuesday	16
9.30 - 11.00 am	Yoga (Parish Centre)
7.00 - 9.00 pm	Amnesty Int'l (room 4)
Wednesday	17
10.30 am - 12 noon	mainly music
10.30 am	Friendship Group
7.30 pm	Parish Council
Thursday	18
10.00 - 11.00 am	Eucharist and brunch
5.00 - 6.00 pm	Dianne's Collation (St Paul's)
Friday	19
7.30 - 9.30 pm	TCCV Bible study (room 4)
Saturday	20
9.00 am - 1.00 pm	Gardening group
10.00 am - 1.00 pm	Good Seed Church (OC)
3.00 - 10.00 pm	Chinese Church
Sunday	21 Pentecost 6
7.45 am	Book of Common Prayer
9.00 am	Sung Eucharist
10.30 am	Contemporary Eucharist
6.00 - 8.00 pm	Youth Group

Next week: Sixth Sunday after Pentecost - July 21, 2019	
Readings:	
Amos 8.1-12	
Ps 52	
Colossians 1.15-29	
Luke 10.38-42	
Stewards/Welcomers:	
BCP B de Lacy	
J de Lacy	
SE	G Dellora SS
M Dellora	
N Flora	
CE	Fiona N-S
Tony	
Readers:	
BCP J Foster	
SE	J Bowers
G Tait	
CE	Rowena
Eucharistic/Chalice Assistance:	
BCP F Miller	
SE	V Dyke
G Tait	
G Smith	
CE	Rowena
Christine M	
Intercessor:	
SE	V Dyke
CE	Rowena

Tamil Christian Church services

2nd and 4th Sundays at 4.30pm

Joyriver Chinese Church

Saturdays at 6pm

mainly music continues to engage with young families. You are always welcome to come along and see what we do on Wednesdays 10.30am - 12 noon, Parish Ctr, during school term.



Galahkookemu

We are a group who seek to follow the Benedictine way in modern life, meeting monthly on the final Wednesday at 7pm. Contact Christine Mallouhi

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Priest

(Day off - Monday)

The Revd Dianne Sharrock

Assistant Curate

(Tues, Wed & Thurs mornings, Fri, Sun)

The Revd Greg Wong

Children's and Families' Minister

(Tues 10.00 am - 3.00 pm)

Wed 9.30 am - 2.30 pm)

Becky Sims

Music Director

Brian Copple

Treasurer

Helen Warren

Office Manager

Katherine Rushby

Churchwardens:

Graeme Dellora

John Foster

Judith Gibson

Parish Council:

Sugan Blanchard, Margaret Crawford, Rowena Ferguson, Doug Hastings, Frances Ludgate, Sherredan Maher, Peter Northwood, Helen Warren.

Pastoral Care Ministry:

Aged Care Chaplaincies:

Bruce Chugg

Hospital Visiting:

Clergy

Funeral Ministry:

The Vicar

Contemporary Eucharist Contact:

Rowena Ferguson

Spiritual Directors:

Cath Connelly

Val Dyke

Prayer Chain contact

Margaret Syfret

SERVICES: Sunday

7.45am

Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer)

9.00am

Sung Eucharist (APBA)

10.30am

Contemporary Eucharist (Children's Participation)

Tuesday

9.15am Morning Prayer

Wednesday - Friday

9.00am Morning Prayer

Thursday

10.00am Eucharist

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