



Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

18 July 2021

TO CHRIST IN HIS PASSION

Jesus Christ, my Lord,
with all my heart I pray you,
may your passion be a power within me,
to strengthen, to defend and to protect me.
May your wounds be food and drink to me,
to feed and to fill me, and to give me joy.
May the shedding of your blood wash away all my sins.
May your death bring me never-ending life,
and your cross be my eternal glory.
In these may I place my heart's refreshment,
joy, health and delight:
O you who live and reign for ever.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which we meet, the people of the Kulin nation, and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

This parish is committed to Child Safety and complies with Diocesan and State requirements. This is a shared responsibility of staff and parish. Please see the back of pew leaflet for contact details.

At Worship Today:

8.00 am

Preaching & Presiding:

Revd Greg

Hymn: TIS 547 'Be Thou My Vision' v.1,2,5

10.00 am

Eternal God,

author of our life and end of our pilgrimage:

guide us by your word and Spirit amid all perils and temptations,

that we may not wander from your way,

but may run our course in safety

until we come to our eternal rest in you;

through the grace of Jesus Christ our Lord,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Preaching & Presiding:

Revd Greg

Cantor:

Sally Hibbert

Liturgy Setting:

Curtis Stephan 'Mass of Creation'

Processional:

TIS 658 'Here I am, Lord'

Sentence:

Of Jesus many said, 'What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands!'

First Reading:

Ephesians 2.11-22

Psalm Response:



℟. The Lord is my shep-herd; there is noth-ing I shall want.

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Psalm:

Psalm 23

Gospel Acclamation:



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

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Gospel:

Mark 6.30-34, 53-56

Offertory:

'Jesus, Make Us Whole Again' by Alison Washington

Communion Meditation:

'Blessings' - by Laura Story

Recessional Hymn:

TIS 547 'Be Thou My Vision' v.1,2,5

First Reading: Ephesians 2.11-22

Remember that at one time you Gentiles by birth, called 'the uncircumcision' by those who are called 'the circumcision'—a physical circumcision made in the flesh by human hands— 12 remember that you were at that time without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. 13 But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. 14 For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. 15 He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, so that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace, 16 and might reconcile both groups to God in one body through the cross, thus putting to death that hostility through it. 17 So he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; 18 for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. 19 So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, 20 built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. 21 In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; 22 in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling-place for God.

Gospel Reading: Mark 6.30-34, 53-56

³⁰ The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. ³¹ He said to them, 'Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.' For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. ³² And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. ³³ Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. ³⁴ As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. ⁵³ When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored the boat. ⁵⁴ When they got out of the boat, people at once recognized him, ⁵⁵ and rushed about that whole region and began to bring the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. ⁵⁶ And wherever he went, into villages or cities or farms, they laid the sick in the market-places, and begged him that they might touch even the fringe of his cloak; and all who touched it were healed.

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, Old Church, during school term.



mainly music



*The Lord is my shepherd:
therefore can I lack nothing.*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN
TIS 658 'Here I am, Lord'

1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?
*Here I am, Lord; is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night;
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain;
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?
*Here I am, Lord; is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night;
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame;
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts are satisfied.
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?
*Here I am, Lord; is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night;
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

Daniel L. Schutte 1947 –

OFFERTORY HYMN
'Jesus, make us whole again'

1. Jesus, make us whole again,
set our spirits free,
Jesus, make us whole again,
to live each day in Thee.

*Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of love and might,
Halleluia, to our king,
the God of truth and light.*

2. Bring us to our senses Lord,
That we might turn to Thee,
And find again the peace and joy,
of life in your family.
*Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of love and might,
Halleluia, to our king,
the God of truth and light.*

3. Jesus, make us whole again,
set our spirits free,
Jesus, make us whole again,
to live each day in Thee.
*Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of love and might,
Halleluia, to our king,
the God of truth and light.*

Alison Washington

RECESSIONAL HYMN
TIS 547 'Be Thou My Vision' v.1,2,5

1. Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,
naught be all else to me, save that thou art
thou my best thought, by day or by night,
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

2. Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word;
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;
thou my great Father, thy child let me be;
thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.

3. High King of heaven, after victory won,
may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!

Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O ruler of all.

Gaelic c.8th cent.

tr. Mary Elizabeth Byrne 1880-1931

versified by Eleanor Henrietta Hull 1860-1935 alt.

3 Things from Parish Council

- * First Communion celebration was a very successful day. Thank you to Revd Greg and Lisa for their preparation of the young people who are now keen to continue to meet as a group.
- * A survey of parishioners will be held in September for feedback about changes to our services.
- * Parish Council decided to donate \$1000 to Anglican Foundation in support of hospital chaplains



MOTHERS' UNION MELBOURNE

WAVE OF PRAYER

JULY 30th to August 1st 2021

2021 THEME:

REBUILDING HOPE AND CONFIDENCE

Our prayer Links:

Boga, Democratic Republic of Congo

Tanga, United Republic of Tanzania

Manicaland, Zimbabwe

Ogoni, Nigeria

Carlisle, England

Melbourne, Australia

Diocese of Melbourne Mothers' Union

Established in 1895

Creative Women our next MU meeting on Monday July 26th 1-30pm (hopefully in the Parish Centre) will be a Craft-focused session, is planned by Corry Leaver, Nan Rowed and Ros Sahar. Materials will be supplied. If you have craft items or artwork you created during the lock downs, please feel free to bring them to show to others. Thank you to Gloria Smith for several beautifully knitted cot blankets which are now on their way to *St. Kilda Mums*.

We will begin this meeting with the MU international Wave of Prayer organised by Celia Gant.

MU Birthday Celebration (deferred from June) Monday August 30th from 12 noon

Homemade casserole lunch with a delicious desert served @ 12-30, donation \$20.

Guest speaker Dr. Gwenda Beed Davey AM **speaking about Australian Girls' Childhood research** @ 2pm.

The money raised will support the MU Positive Parenting Program in Papua-New Guinea

Congregational Giving Report			
1 st APRIL to 30 th JUNE 2021			
Giving Category	Amount Given	Budget Amount	Variation from Budget
Open	2,035	600	+ 1,435
Envelopes	9,914	3,000	+ 6,914
Direct to Bank Account	18,182	21,000	- 2,818
ADF Planned Giving	22,047	22,500	- 453
TOTALS	52,178	47,100	+ 5,078

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 August 2021.

The Thursday Evening Meditation Group

We continue to meet on Zoom on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of the month at 7.30pm. Our next session will be on July 22nd at 7.30pm. Zoom links are emailed to members prior to the sessions or enquiries can be directed to Michael Mosley.

Dates to put in your diary ...

Sunday Eighth Sunday after Pentecost -
- July 18, 2021

8.00 am	Holy Communion
10.00 am	Eucharist
<u>Monday</u>	19
<u>Tuesday</u>	20—Office Closed
<u>Wednesday</u>	21
10am	mainly music
6-9.30pm	Bp Paul's talk about Esther
<u>Thursday</u>	22
10.00 am	Eucharist
7.30 pm	Choir Practice
7.30 pm	Meditation (zoom)
<u>Friday</u>	23
<u>Saturday</u>	24
3.00 - 10.00 pm	Chinese Church
<u>Sunday</u>	25 Pentecost 9
8.00 am	Holy Communion
10.00 am	Eucharist
3.00 - 8.00 pm	TCCV

Next Sunday Ninth Sunday After Pentecost
- July 25, 2021

8.00 am	
Server	Joanne Burns
Welcomers	Doug Hastings
Readers	John Foster Ephesians 3. 14-21 Gospel: John 1-21
<u>10.00 am</u>	
Welcomers	Graeme Dellora Maggie Dellora
Readers	Eleanor U'Ren Ephesians 3. 14-21 Gospel: John 1-21
Intercessor	Graeme Dellora
Morning Tea	Judy Duncan David Duncan

Galahkookemu: Following the path of Benedict in modern life.

We will meet on the 4th Thursday of the month at 7pm at Mitcham until further notice. We welcome newcomers. Visit and see if this is for you. Contact Christine Mallouhi



Covid Cleaning Roster

Sunday 25th July

8.00am	Doug Hastings Ruth Hastings
10.00am	Graeme Dellora Maggie Dellora

Tamil Christian Church services
2nd and 4th Sunday from 3pm

Joyriver Chinese Church
Saturdays from 3pm

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Priest (Day off - Monday)	The Venerable Dianne Sharrock Emergency contact
Assistant Curate (Day off - Monday)	The Revd Greg Wong
Children's and Families' Minister (Tues 10.00 am - 3.00 pm, Wed 9.30 am - 2.30 pm, Sun 10.30 am - 12.30 pm)	Lisa Eames
Child Safety Compliance Officer	Elaine Fasken
Covid19 Compliance Officer	Sugan Blanchard
Music Director	Brian Copple
Treasurer	Helen Warren
Office Manager	Katherine Rushby
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Parish Council:	Sugan Blanchard, David Bruce, Margaret Crawford, Rowena Ferguson, Judith Gibson, Jennifer Gracie, Nathan Kelly, Sherredan Maher, Helen Warren, Joan West
Pastoral Care Ministry:	
<i>Hospital Visiting:</i>	Clergy
<i>Funeral Ministry:</i>	The Vicar
<i>Contemporary Eucharist Contact:</i>	Rowena Ferguson
Spiritual Directors:	Cath Connelly Val Dyke
Prayer Chain contact	Margaret Syfret
SERVICES:	
	Sunday 8.00 & 10.00 am
	Thursday 10.00 am