



Christ The King

21 November 2021

Dates for Calendar

Sunday 28th November - 1st Sunday of Advent Joint service 9:30am, followed by
Annual Meeting at 11am.

Sunday 5th December - Healing and Hope and service 5pm.

Sunday 19th December - Normal morning services 8am and 10am and
Carol Service at 5pm.

Friday 24th December - Christmas Eve Children & Families Service 5pm,
Christmas Midnight Service 11pm.

Saturday 25th December - Christmas Day 9:30am (one service only).

Sunday 26th December - Christmas 1 9:30am (one service only).

Sunday 2nd January - 9.30am (one service only).

Sunday 9th January - 9.30 am (one service only).

Sunday 16th January - 8.00 am and 10.00 am

Sunday 23rd January - 8.00 am and 10.00 am

Sunday 30th January - 8.00 am and 10.00 am

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.

The Mount Waverley Chadstone Inter Church Council

Is holding a STREET STALL

on Saturday 11 December from 10.00am to 2.00pm

to support the Act for Peace Christmas Appeal.

They need goods for the stall - cakes, biscuits, slices, muffins, Christmas treats as well as jams and preserves. They also need helpers on the day. If you can offer help please contact

Marg Taylor

Doug Hastings



Reminder Mothers Union

Our Garden Show via ZOOM is tomorrow Monday Nov 22nd at 2pm. Joan West will send out a **Zoom link to members. If you are not a member of Mothers' Union you are welcome to contact Joan to be included.** Please provide your own afternoon tea to enjoy during the Garden Show.



Mothers' Union. is supporting a Prayer Shawl Ministry in the Parish, which is being co-ordinated by Annemarie Davies, who has participated in this ministry for some time. A shawl, knitted by Annemarie, has recently been delivered to a MU member who is now in care. She was delighted at this gift of love and prayer. If you would like to participate in this important ministry, please contact Annemarie or another member of MU. If you cannot knit or crochet you might like to give a donation towards the cost of wool. If you know someone who may benefit from the pray embedded in a prayer shawl, please give their name and contact details to Ven Dianne.



NEXT SUNDAY - November 28, 11am in person and via Zoom

After the service which begins at 9.30am, you'll be given a short time to go and make yourself a "cuppa" before the Annual meeting begins.

The Annual Meeting will be held both in person and on zoom and when it comes to voting those who are on zoom will be asked to hold up their hands and remain so until told to put them down in order for a count to take place. Please remember to send your apology to me if you are unable to attend so it is recorded in the minutes. A reminder that there are hard copies **of the Annual Report at the Church if you don't receive yours by email.**

Joan West, Parish Council Secretary. Email Joan

ADVENT QUIET DAY

Time out to journey towards the Manger



Saturday 4th December

10.00 am – 3.00 pm

Led by Val Dyke Th.A, Dip.Past.Min., B.Theol, Spiritual Director and Retreat Conductor

At St Stephen and St Mary Anglican Church, 383 High Street Rd Mt Waverley 3149

Morning/Afternoon Tea provided BYO Lunch

BOOKINGS REQUIRED for the Quiet Day please see the noticeboard.

16 Days of Activism Against Gender-based Violence


Mothers' Union in our Parish is an active partner in the international 16 Days of Activism which run from Nov. 25th. to Dec 10th. We have decided as one of our actions to prepare *Survival Bags* for Women fleeing violence.



We have been advised that the following personal care items would be appreciated by women in this situation...

A comb, toothbrush and toothpaste, soap and a hand towel, shampoo and conditioner, deodorant, hand cream or moisturiser and a small packet of tissues. You might include other items such as hand sanitiser or hand wipes, a notebook and pens, a folding shopping bag, a coin purse, a scarf or a novel or magazine. Please do not include food items, sanitary products or make up.

There is a box in the parish Centre with some large handbags which we have been given and if you would like to participate in this action, you are free to take one to fill. Bags will need to be returned to the Parish Centre before Dec. 10th. Contact Elizabeth Woods if you have questions.

Can you spare just one hour?	between 9am and 1pm on <i>Fri 26th NOV</i>	
We want to “spruce up” the Church and Parish Centre for CHRISTMAS		Please put your name against any job listed on the notice board
	Please bring whatever cleaning things you will need to complete your job	THANK YOU! (The Wardens)



Christ the King Sunday



Karen McGrath/Act for Peace

The Christmas Bowl of Remembrance

It's been more than 70 years since Reverend Frank Byatt started the Christmas Bowl. He put a Bowl of Remembrance on his Christmas dinner table and asked his loved ones to place a gift in it to 'share your good dinner with hungry children in other lands'. Please join with us again this Christmas Bowl, as together we share God's love, helping create a world where uprooted people have a safe place to belong. **Please give today.**



Christmas Bowl

CALL: 1800 025 101 VISIT: actforpeace.org.au/christmasbowl

The Christmas appeal of Act for Peace, the international aid agency of the National Council of Churches in Australia. ABN 86 619 970 188

Alms Baskets - please bring something

Firstly, please bring items for the Alms Baskets - we understand that both organisations are running very low on supplies with so many donors in similar situations to ours, while the number of people in need has increased.

Secondly, 8-14 November is National Recycling Week and now we can visit the Waste Transfer Stations again, this is a great time to take your items for recycling - TVs, PCs and electronics, batteries, light globes, printer cartridges, mobile phones, x-ray films, polystyrene, paint and scrap metal are all FREE to dispose of at Monash waste transfer. (Details about what we can recycle can be found here: <https://www.monash.vic.gov.au/Services/Rubbish-Recycling/Monash-Waste-Transfer-and-Recycling-Station>)

Dates to put in your diary ...

Sunday Christ The King

- November 21, 2021

9.30 am Confirmation Service
with Paul Barker

Monday 22

1.30 - 4.00 pm MU

4.00 - 8.45 pm Karen Margaret Dance

Tuesday 23

10.00 am Morning Prayer (zoom)

Wednesday 24

10.30 am mainly music

6.30 - 9.15 pm Ballet (Parish Centre)

6.30 - 9.30 pm Kiwanis (Old Church)

Thursday 25

10.00 am Holy Communion

Friday 26

9.00 am - 1.00 pm Working Bee

Saturday 27

9.00 am - 2.00 pm TCCV (Main Church)

3.00—10.00pm Chinese Church

Sunday 28 Advent 1

9.30 am Joint Service

11.00 am Annual Meeting

3.00 - 8.00 pm TCCV

Next Sunday First Sunday of Advent

- November 28, 2021

9.30 am

Welcomers

Nima Flora

Doug Hastings

Reader

Val Dyke

Jeremiah 33 : 14 -16

Gospel

Luke 21: 25 -38

(Clergy)

Intercessor

Michael Mosley

Morning Tea

David Sharrock

Larelle Skingsley

Flowers

The flowers today have been donated by Lyn Ryan in gratitude for her very warm welcome to the Parish and for being received into the communicant membership of the Anglican Church of Australia.

The Thursday Evening Meditation Group

We continue to meet on Zoom on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of the month at 7.30pm. Unfortunately we are unable to meet on Thursday, November 25 so our next session will be on Thursday, December 9 at 7.30pm, which will be our final session for this year. Zoom links are emailed to members prior to the sessions or enquiries can be directed to Michael Mosley

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

Assistant Curate
(Tues, Thurs, Fri)

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
Churchwardens:

Katherine Rushby
Graeme Dellora
John Foster
Sue Retschko

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:

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 8.00 & 10.00 am
Thursday 10.00 am