



## **Sixth Sunday of Easter**

**May 22, 2022**

Blessed are you,  
God of all radiance,  
for you crowned Jesus  
with glory and splendour  
and gave Christ eternal light  
for a mantle.  
In Christ, you have destroyed  
the sting of death.  
You grace us with your splendour  
and make us yearn  
for the coming of your reign.  
The power of your Spirit  
is raised in our midst,  
and you bid us to tasks of love  
for the good of all humanity.  
As daylight breaks upon us,  
all glory and honour be yours  
through Christ and the Holy Spirit  
forever and ever. Amen.

### 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.

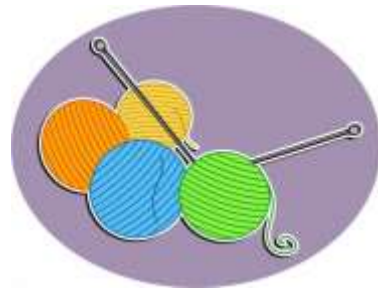
This parish is committed to Child Safety and complies with Diocesan and State requirements.  
This is a shared responsibility of staff and parish. Please see the back of pew leaflet for contact details.

Do you have any balls or scraps of WOOL that you no longer want?

We have some keen knitters who are happy to make beanies for Winter Woolies, St Kilda Mums and Premmie babies.

Please bring any wool you can spare and leave it in the labelled box in the Parish Centre. Even half balls are welcome as stripey beanies look great.

A Social Justice Group initiative.



## SPRING FETE

Our Spring Fete on 8th October will be a streamlined affair. Treasure, Books, Cakes, Jams etc, BBQ, Face Painting for the kids.

Thank you to Sue and Helen for taking on the Fete Co-ordinator role.

## WINTER WOOLIES APPEAL

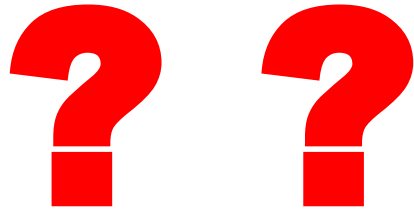
During the month of May the Social Justice Group are seeking donations of winter woollies for **distribution to the homeless through St Mark's Fitzroy and the Asylum Seeker Centre.**

Donations can be left in the Parish Centre.

Items can be new or good quality, clean second-hand goods.

Suggested items: Blankets, Sleeping Bags, Coats, Jumpers, Track Pants,  
Beanies, Scarves, Gloves, New Underwear or socks





## Do you need help with your technology?

If you would like to know more about your smart-phone, your tablet or your laptop, help is at hand! Your question can be as simple as “how do I attach a photo to an email?”, “how do I put my documents into folders?”, “what do all these icons mean?” or even “I want to join the parish Facebook page and don’t know how!”. We (Dennis Mills and Rowena Ferguson) have established a ministry – *“Technology Help”*.

All you need to do is...

**Register.** For those that haven’t registered already, contact the office to register either by email, in person or phone and pay a \$20 one-off registration fee (which goes to the church). We will add you to our database, and keep you informed with what is happening, plus some advice, tips and tricks.

Send an **email** to [techfriends@stephenandmary.org.au](mailto:techfriends@stephenandmary.org.au) (from Wednesday 25 May) outlining your problem or interest, what sort of device you are using and whether it is android or Apple.

We will book you in for a half hour time slot on the following Monday afternoon to come up to the church and get some one-on-one assistance (remember to bring your device and passwords!).

OR: you are welcome to come to the church at any time between 1:30pm and 4:30pm on a Monday, just to see what is happening, and join in.

Look forward to seeing you soon. Dennis and Ro.

### Parish Directory 2022

The new edition of the Parish Directory is now available to those who would like one (provided they have submitted their own details for inclusion). Please contact the Church Office for a copy.

**Mothers' Union's next meeting will be on Monday May 23<sup>rd</sup> beginning at 1-30pm**

Our guest speaker ( from 2pm) will be our new curate Rev Andrea Nagy who will speak on "Transformations in My life".

This is your opportunity to meet with Andrea and hear about her very interesting life before she came to our parish.

We invite an members of the parish who wish to hear Andrea to join us on this day, and stay for afternoon tea.

**SAVE THIS DATE: Monday June 27<sup>th</sup> Mothers' Union Birthday celebrations 2pm**

An impressive speaker from the *Childhood Foundation* Angela Weller will speak about Transforming the lives of Children. All welcome.



## **Dementia Workshop**

**New Trends in Aged Care, Workshop on  
Uniting St Mark's Social Support Program**

**At Mt Waverley Uniting Church  
37 Virginia St Mt Waverley**

**1.30pm to 3.00pm on Friday June 3rd .**

**The Co-ordinator, Ethan Gankanda, will describe Uniting St Mark's day program activities and how people could access the program.**

Afterwards, please join us for a cup of tea or coffee and informal discussion.

Please advise Margery Kennett  
on 9807 4084 or [mbkennett@bigpond.com](mailto:mbkennett@bigpond.com)  
of your intention to attend.  
*A gold coin donation would be appreciated.*

## WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THE FLOWER GUILD ??

Arranging the weekly flowers is an enjoyable and important way to contribute to Parish life.

You can work alone or join a partner on the roster for this pleasant task

- which greatly enhances the church worship space.

Contact Maggie Dellora



## *JUNIOR YOUTH GROUP*

Next Junior Youth group is Thursday 2 June  
@ 4.00 pm. Suitable for ages 10 -14yrs.



## Thursday Eucharist

The Thursday Eucharist has recommenced after Easter. 10 am each Thursday with brunch on the third Thursday of the month. The next brunch will be on 16th June.

## MISSION BOX COLLECTION

The collection of mission boxes will take place this week and next week (22nd and 29th May 2022).

If you have a full or partially full Mission Box please bring it to church and exchange it for an empty box. Empty boxes will be available in the Narthex or Parish Centre.

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 Thursday, May 26, followed by Thursday, June 9. Zoom links are emailed to members prior to the sessions. Enquiries can be directed to Michael Mosley.

## 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 1st June 2022.



FREE FORUM

## **Live and On Zoom**

Organised by the Mount Waverley Cluster  
*Adult Growth and Development Group* and  
*Social Justice and Mission in Society Committee*



### **Keynote Speaker**

Rev Dr Andy Calder: Disability Inclusion Advocate  
within the Synod of Victoria and Tasmania.

**Thursday, May 19th**

7:30pm to 9:45pm

**St Luke's Uniting Church,**  
96 Essex Road, Mount Waverley

**Zoom link:** <https://bit.ly/2AYeay1>

**Meeting ID:** 912 1101 8787

**By phone:** Dial 7018 2005. When prompted enter the above  
Meeting ID followed by #. For participant ID press # again.

Enquiries to John McKie: 0400 688 471

# Dates to put in your diary ...

## Sunday May 22, 2022 - Easter 6

8.00 am Holy Communion  
10.00 am Parish Eucharist  
3.00 - 8.00 pm TCCV (Church & PC)

## Monday 23

1.30 - 4.00 pm MU (Parish Centre)  
4.00 - 8.45 pm Karen Margaret Dance

## Tuesday 24

9.00 am - 5.00 pm Living Well  
10.00 am Morning Prayer (zoom)

## Wednesday 25

9.00 am - 5.00 pm Living Well

## Thursday 26

9.00 am - 5.00 pm Living Well  
10.00 am Thursday Eucharist  
7.30 pm Meditation (zoom)  
7.30 pm Choir (Church)

## Friday 27

10.30 am Funeral

## Saturday 28

3.00 - 10.00 pm Chinese Church

## Sunday 29

8.00 am Holy Communion  
10.00 am Parish Eucharist  
12.00 - 2.00 pm TCCV (Old Church)  
2.00 - 6.00 pm Chundikuli Old Girls (Parish Centre & kitchen)

## Next Sunday - Easter 7

- May 29, 2022

8.00 am Holy Communion

Server Revd Andrea Nagy

Welcomers Shanti Lieversz

Darrell Lieversz

Reader Frank Miller

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

Welcomers Judith Gibson

Helen Warren

Reader John Leaver

Intercessor Sue Retschko

Morning Tea Maggie Dellora

Graeme Dellora

## **Next Sunday's Readings:**

Acts 16.16-34

Psalms 97

John 17.20-26

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

Joyriver Chinese Church  
Saturdays, 3 - 9pm

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<b>Priest</b> (Day off - Monday)	The Venerable Dianne Sharrock
<b>Assistant Curate</b> (Days off - Monday & Saturday)	The Revd Andrea Nagy
<b>Children's and Families' Minister</b> (Tues 10.00am - 12.00pm, Sun 9.30am - 11.30pm)	Lisa Eames
<b>Child Safety Compliance Officer</b>	Elaine Fasken
<b>Covid19 Compliance Officer</b>	Sugan Blanchard
<b>Music Director</b>	Brian Copple
<b>Treasurer</b>	Helen Warren
<b>Office Manager</b>	Katherine Rushby
<b>Churchwardens:</b>	Sugan Blanchard Graeme Dellora Sue Retschko
<b>Parish Council:</b>	Sugan Blanchard, David Bruce, Graeme Dellora, Judith Gibson, Sally Hibbert, John Leaver, Sue Retschko, Helen Warren, Joan West
<b>Pastoral Care Ministry:</b>	
<i>Hospital Visiting:</i>	Clergy
<i>Funeral Ministry:</i>	The Vicar
<b>Spiritual Directors:</b>	Cath Connelly Val Dyke
<b>Prayer Chain contact</b>	Margaret Syfret
<b>SERVICES:</b>	<b>Sunday 8.00 &amp; 10.00 am      Thursday 10.00 am</b>