



Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

August 7, 2022

LOVE SEEKS TO SERVE

At the end of life we will not be judged by

How many diplomas we received,

How much money we have made,

How many great things we have done.

We will be judged by

“I was hungry and you gave me to eat,

I was naked and you clothed me,

I was homeless and you took me in.”

Hungry not only for bread

- but hungry for love

Naked not only for clothing

- but naked of human dignity and respect

Homeless not only for want of a room of bricks

- but homeless because of rejection.

This is Christ in distressing disguise.

Mother Teresa of Calcutta

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 flowers for today have been donated by Eleanor U'Ren in loving memory of her parents Maisie and Bernie U'Ren and her dear friend Dorothy Kean.



FIRST-AIDERS WANTED

To help upgrade our Emergency Plans, we are seeking 4 volunteers to complete a St Johns Ambulance First Aid Course -- an all-day course, paid for by the parish. (Preferably 2 ladies and 2 men). The position involves some responsibility - you would be a designated first-aider for the Parish. Enquiries : The Wardens - Sue, Graeme and Sugan.

Congregational Giving Report 1st APRIL to 30th JUNE 2022

Giving Category	Amount Given	Budget Amount	Variation from Budget
Open	3,044	2,300	+ 744
Envelopes	11,895	9,400	+ 2,495
Direct to Bank Account	14,898	17,499	- 2,601
ADF Planned Giving	21,437	21,900	- 463
TOTALS	51,274	51,099	+ 175

ALMS BASKETS

Thank you for your continued support of the Alms Baskets for our two local recipients - Asylum Seekers and MWCIS.

Monash Waverley Community Information and Support is the largest provider of emergency relief in Monash. Currently they are very short of FULL CREAM UHT MILK in one litre containers. Can you please help?



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, August 11, followed by Thursday, August 25. 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 7th September 2022.

Dates to put in your diary ...

Sunday August 7, 2022 - Pentecost 9

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

6.00 pm Young Adults Group

Monday 8

4.00 - 8.45 pm Karen Margaret Dance

Tuesday 9

10.00 am Morning Prayer (zoom)

Wednesday 10

Thursday 11

10.00 am Thursday Eucharist

2.00 pm Ladies Guild

7.30pm Choir

7.30 pm Meditation (zoom)

Friday 12

Saturday 13

Sunday 14

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

3.00 - 8.00 pm TCCV

Next Sunday - Tenth Sunday after Pentecost - August 14, 2022

8.30 am Holy Communion

Server Brett Gaffney

Welcomers David Sharrock
Celia Gant

Reader Janice Miller

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

Welcomers Graeme Dellora
Maggie Dellora

Reader Elaine Fasken

Intersessions Sue Retschko

Morning Tea Elaine Fasken
Jill Paquin

Next Sunday's Readings:

Isaiah 5.1-7

Psalms 80.1-2, 8-19

Luke 12.49-59

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Our next Young Adults Group will be held on

Sunday 7th August at 6pm.

Suitable for those aged 18-22 yrs.

Tamil Christian Church services

2nd and 4th Sunday from 3pm

JUNIOR YOUTH GROUP

Our next Junior Youth group is

Thursday 11 August @ 4.00 pm.

Suitable for ages 10 -13yrs.

Thursday Eucharist

The Thursday Eucharist meets at 10 am

each Thursday with brunch on

the third Thursday of the month.

The next brunch will be on 18th

August.



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Priest (Day off - Monday)	The Venerable Dianne Sharrock
Assistant Curate (Days off - Monday & Saturday)	The Revd Andrea Nagy
Children's and Families' Minister (Tues 10.00am - 12.00pm, Sun 9.30am - 11.30pm)	Lisa Eames
Child Safety Compliance Officer	Elaine Fasken
Covid19 Compliance Officer	Sugan Blanchard
Music Director	Brian Copple
Treasurer	Helen Warren
Office Manager	Katherine Rushby
Churchwardens:	Sugan Blanchard Graeme Dellora Sue Retschko
Parish Council:	Sugan Blanchard, David Bruce, Graeme Dellora, Judith Gibson, Sally Hibbert, John Leaver, Sue Retschko, Helen Warren, Joan West
Pastoral Care Ministry:	
<i>Hospital Visiting:</i>	Clergy
<i>Funeral Ministry:</i>	The Vicar
Spiritual Directors:	Cath Connelly Val Dyke
Prayer Chain contact	Margaret Syfret
SERVICES:	Sunday 8.30 & 10.00 am Thursday 10.00 am