



**Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost**

**15 October 2023**

***Upcoming Dates***

Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Nov - Nungalinga College Talk 2pm

Sat 25<sup>th</sup> Nov - Rev'd Candice Ordination to Priesthood

Sun 26<sup>th</sup> Nov - Christ the King - Joint Service 9.00am

- AGM to follow

Sun 17<sup>th</sup> Dec - Carol Service 5pm - shared meal to follow

Sun 24<sup>th</sup> Dec - Advent 4 Joint Service at 9.30am

-- Christmas Eve Family Service 5pm

-- Christmas Service 11pm

Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Dec - Christmas Day 9.30am

Sun 31<sup>st</sup> Dec - One Service only at 9.30am

Sun 7<sup>th</sup> Jan - One Service only at 9.30am

Sun 14<sup>th</sup> Jan - One Service only at 9.30am

In our Parish all are welcome, all are accepted, all are valued and all are respected.

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.

## **World Community Day**

Friday 27th October at St Stephen and St Mary Mt Waverley. Morning tea at 10am, service at 10.30am.

Guest Speaker: Val Dyke

## **MU Opportunity Shop**

Thank you to all those who have offered to help with duty at the Op Shop between Monday 22 and Friday 26 October. Your assistance is very much appreciated.

Goods should be delivered to the Lions Opportunity Shop, 55 Wadham Parade, Mt Waverley on Tuesday 17 October.

Please indicate that they are from St Stephen and St Mary's Mount Waverley. Joan West

## **Ecumenical Hymn Singing service**

Venue - St Lukes Uniting Church, Essex Rd, Mt Waverley

Time - 4:00pm on Sunday 29th October



## **Gardening Group**

Next Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October, the Garden Group will again convene to spruce up the church grounds. 9.30am onwards. New members will be made most welcome.

We will have a break for Morning Tea at 11am.

Enquiries : Maggie and Graeme Dellora



## **Parish General Meeting**

Our Parish General Meeting will be held on Sunday November 26 following a Joint Service at 9.00am.

Leaders of groups are asked to prepare their reports for the Annual Report and send them to the parish office by the end of October. If you wish to be added to the Electoral Roll so you can vote at the meeting please contact Katherine in the office for an Electoral Roll enrolment form. Nomination forms for Parish Council, Wardens and Incumbency committee are also available.

Joan West, Secretary, Parish Council

## **Nungalinga College talk**

I am delighted to say that a representative from Nungalinga College in Darwin and (either the principal Ben Van Gelderen or the Partnership and Fundraising Manager Ox Roberts) will be coming to the parish on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October at 2pm to tell us a bit more about life at Nungalinga. Light tea to follow.

# Dates to put in your diary ...

Sunday October 15, 2023

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

11.30 am - 3.30 pm Cedar Church

Monday 16

4.00 - 8.45 pm Karen Margaret Dance

Tuesday 17

Wednesday 18

2.00 pm Nungalinya talk

7.30 pm Parish Council

Thursday 19

10.00 am Eucharist followed by brunch

7.30 pm Choir

Friday 20

Saturday 21

9.00 am Gardening Club

12.00 - 6.00 pm KCV (Parish Centre)

Sunday 22

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist with baptism

11.30 am - 3.30 pm Cedar Church

3.30 pm - 8pm Tamil Church

Next Sunday - October 22, 2023

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

8.30 am Holy Communion

Server Candice Mitrousis

Welcomers Celia Gant  
David Sharrock

Reader Katherine Rushby

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

Welcomers Graeme Dellora  
Maggie Dellora

Readers Howard Brown  
Jenny Brown

Chalice Assistants Sue Retschko  
Michael Mosley

Intercessions Dennis Mills

Morning Tea Sally Hibbert  
Vanessa Shevlin

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

Exodus 33.12-23

Psalm 99

1 Thessalonians 1.1-10

Matthew 22.15-33

## ***Thursday Evening Meditation***

The Thursday Evening Meditation Group is now in recess until February next year. Unfortunately

**Thursday evenings won't be an option for next year** but details of the 2024 session times TBA at a later date.

Enquiries can be directed to Michael Mosley



## ***Office Days***

The Office will be open on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday until the end of October 2023.

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## **Priest**

(Day off - Monday)

The Venerable Dianne Sharrock

## **Assistant Curate**

(Sundays only)

The Revd Candice Mitrousis

## **Children's and Families' Minister**

(Tues 10.00am - 12.00pm, Sun 9.30am - 11.30pm)

Lisa Eames

## **Safe Ministry Compliance Officer**

Elaine Fasken

## **Child Safety Officer**

Lisa Eames/Elaine Fasken

## **Music Director**

Brian Cople

## **Treasurer**

Helen Warren

## **Office Administrator**

Katherine Rushby

## **Churchwardens:**

Sugan Blanchard

Graeme Dellora

Sue Retschko

## **Parish Council:**

Sugan Blanchard, Graeme Dellora, Judith Gibson, Sally Hibbert,  
John Leaver, Sue Retschko, Fiona Sawyer, Helen Warren, Joan West

## **Pastoral Care Ministry:**

*Hospital Visiting:*

Clergy

*Funeral Ministry:*

The Vicar

## **Spiritual Directors:**

Val Dyke

## **Prayer Chain contact**

Deanna Sansoni

**SERVICES: Sunday 8.30 & 10.00 am Thursday 10.00 am**