THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST STEPHEN AND ST MARY

MOUNT WAVERLEY

WELCOME

All Saints

5 November 2023

Upcoming Dates

Sat 25th Nov - Rev'd Candice Ordination to Priesthood 10.30am

at St Paul's Cathedral

followed by lunch at St Stephen & St Mary

Sun 26th Nov - Christ the King - Joint Service 9.00am

- AGM to follow and then brunch

Sun 17th Dec - Carol Service 5pm - shared meal to follow

Sun 24th Dec - Advent 4 Joint Service at 9.30am

Christmas Eve Family Service 5pm

- Christmas Service 11pm

Mon 25th Dec - Christmas Day 9.30am

Sun 31st Dec - One Service only at 9.30am

Sun 7th Jan - One Service only at 9.30am

Sun 14th Jan - One Service only at 9.30am

Could all parishioners please remember to wear their name badges. Thanks!

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.

Revd Candice's post ordination light lunch

Please put your name on the sign up sheet on the notice board if you plan to attend on 25 Nov at 1pm.

Parish General Meeting

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

The final day for reports has now passed so any leaders who have failed to submit them will not have their reports included. Nomination forms for Parish Council, Wardens and Parish Nominators (Incumbency committee) are due in by Nov 13. Please send meeting apologies to parish office.

Joan West, Secretary, Parish Council

Congregational Giving Report

1st JULY 2023 to 30th SEPTEMBER 2023

Giving Category	Amount Given	Budget Amount	Variation from Budget
Open	5,235	2,850	+ 2,385
Envelopes	10,290	10,500	- 210
Direct to Bank Account	18,783	15,900	+ 2,883
ADF Planned Giving	20,709	21,300	- 591
TOTALS	55,017	50,550	+ 4,467

Thank You! New pledge envelopes are available on the table by the photocopier.

Food For Friends



Once again the Mount Waverley-Chadstone Inter Church Council will be collecting non-perishable food items for various charities outside Ritchies IGA

from Monday 20 November to Friday 24 November

We have nominated Tuesday 21 November from 1.00pm - 5.00pm

if this time does not suit but you would like to help out another church at a different please sign up on the notice board or speak to Marg Taylor

Thank you for your support

Dates to put in your diary ...

Sunday November 5, 2023

All Saints

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

11.30 am - 3.30 pm Cedar Church

Monday 6

Tuesday 7

Wednesday 8

4.00—9.00 pm Karen Margaret Dance

Thursday 9

10.00 am Eucharist

2.00—3.30 pm Ladies Guild (meeting room)

7.30 pm Choir (Church)

Friday 10

Saturday 11

11.00 am Interment of Ashes

2.30-4.30pm TCCV Choir practice (church)

Sunday 12

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

11.30 am - 3.30 pm Cedar Church

3.30 - 8.00 pm TCCV

Lectionaries

Could those who ordered a 2024 Lectionary please collect their copy from the office.

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.

Next Sunday - November 12, 2023 Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost

8.30 am Holy Communion

<u>Server</u> Joanne Burns

Welcomers Adam Thevapalan

Nirmal Thevapalan

Reader Janice Miller

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

Welcomers Graeme Dellora

Maggie Dellora

<u>Readers</u> Rowena Ferguson

Glenda Biddle

Riley Johnston

Intercessions Val Dyke

Morning Tea Annemarie Davies

Flaine Fasken

Next Sunday's Readings:

Joshua 24.1-3a,14-25

Psalm 78.1-7

1 Thessalonians 4.13-18

Matthew 25.1-13

Tuesday Morning Prayer

Graeme will lead morning prayer during Dianne's absence. It will finish up on November 21st and be in recess until February.

Office Days

During November and December the office will be open on Thursday and Friday only. Katherine will be working from home on Wednesday.

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Priest (locum) Fr Derek Jones

(Thursday, Friday & Sunday)

Assistant Curate The Revd Candice Mitrousis

(Sundays only)

Children's and Families' Minister Lisa Eames

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

Safe Ministry Compliance Officer Elaine Fasken

Child Safety Officer Lisa Eames/Elaine Fasken

Music Director Brian Copple

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