

THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST STEPHEN AND ST MARY

MOUNT WAVERLEY

WELCOME

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

28 January 2024



February Events

Sunday 4th February - The Presentation of Christ in the Temple
with baptism of Zach Tishler

Saturday 10th February - Revd Cara's Ordination at 10.30 am
at St Paul's Cathedral

Sunday 11th February - Revd Cara's commissioning at 10am
at St Stephen and St Mary Mt Waverley

Wednesday 14th February - Ash Wednesday 10am and 7.30pm

Sunday 25th February - 50th Anniversary of Fr Derek Jones'
ordination. Fr Derek will preach and preside
at both services.

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. This is a shared responsibility of staff and parish. Please see the back of pew leaflet for contact details.

Dementia Workshop

at Mt Waverley Uniting Church, 482 High Street Rd, with Dr Emily Rosenich from Monash University.

1.30 pm - 3.00 pm on Friday February 16th 2024.

Please advise Margery Kennett of your intention to attend.

Tea and coffee afterwards. Gold coin appreciated.

Palm Crosses

Please bring back your palm crosses and place them in the large bowl in the Narthex so they can be burned in time for Ash Wednesday.

Hearing Aid Loop

Have you been experiencing trouble using the hearing aid loop? If so, please contact Andrew McCoy.

Tuesday Zoom Morning Prayer

Tuesday Morning Prayer will recommence on 13th February at 10 am on zoom. Dianne has a Jumbunna Clergy Quiet Day on the 30th January and a Bishop and Archdeacons' meeting on the 6th February.

The Wednesday Evening Meditation Group

The Meditation group will meet on Zoom on the first and third Wednesday evenings of the month at 7.30pm. The first session will be on Wednesday February 7 followed by Wednesday February 21. Zoom links are emailed to members prior to the sessions. Enquiries can be directed to Michael Mosley.

Collection of pantry items for Revd Cara

Thank you to everyone who has donated items for Revd Cara's pantry. If you are wondering what to purchase please have a quick look at what is already in the tub so that she doesn't get 10+ items of the same thing, there are hundreds of items in the supermarket. Before Cara arrives I will purchase some fresh produce for her. If you would prefer to donate a few dollars towards this please place your money in an envelope with Cara's name on the outside and place the envelope in the offertory

bowl. The last collection day will be Sunday 4 February.

Thank you for your assistance with this project.

Joan West



What's on this week ...

Sunday January 28, 2024

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

11.30 am - 3.30 pm Cedar Church

4.00 - 8.00 pm Tamil Family Service

Monday 29

Tuesday 30

Wednesday 31

Thursday 1

10.00 am Eucharist

7.30 pm Choir practice

Friday 2

Saturday 3

Sunday 4

8.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

11.30 am - 3.30 pm Cedar Church



Next Sunday - February 4, 2024

The Presentation of Christ in the Temple

8.30 am Holy Communion

Welcomers Celia Gant
David Sharrock

Reader Frank Miller

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

Welcomers Natalie Stroud
Glenda Biddle

Readers **Elanor U'Ren**
Val Dyke

Chalice Assistants Sugan Blanchard
Arunthy Blanchard

Intercessions Dennis Mills

Next Sunday's Readings:

Malachi 3.1-4

Psalm 24

Hebrews 2.14-18

Luke 2.22-40



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Priest

The Venerable Dianne Sharrock

(Day off - Monday)

Assistant Curate

The Revd Candice Mitrousis

(Sundays only)

Safe Ministry Compliance Officer

Elaine Fasken

Music Director

Brian Cople

Treasurer

Helen Warren

Office Administrator

Katherine Rushby

Churchwardens:

Sugan Blanchard

Sally Hibbert

Sue Retschko

Parish Council:

John Leaver, Fiona Sawyer, David Stanley,
Helen Warren, Joan West

Pastoral Care Ministry:

Hospital Visiting:

Clergy

Funeral Ministry:

The Vicar

Spiritual Directors:

Val Dyke

Prayer Chain contact Margaret Syfret

SERVICES: Sunday 8.30 & 10.00 am Thursday 10.00 am