THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST STEPHEN AND ST MARY

MOUNT WAVERLEY

WELCOME

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

11 October 2026

Upcoming Events

Sunday 18th October	Ecumenical Hymn Singing Service at 4.00 pm.
Sunday 22nd November	The Reign of Christ (joint service at 9.30 am) followed by Annual Meeting.

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.

Parish General Meeting

Our Annual Meeting will be held on **Sunday November 22** following a Joint Service at 9.30am.

PREPARATION OF REPORTS

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.

ELECTORAL ROLL

If you are unsure if you are on the electoral roll, please check the list in the Parish Centre. If you are not on the roll and would like to be, please fill in an enrolment form and return to the parish office.

NOMINATIONS

Further details about nominations for Wardens, Parish Council and Nominating Committee will be included in the pew sheet in the coming weeks. Please start to think and pray about these nominations.

Joan West, Secretary, Parish Council

Gardening Group

Next Saturday **17th October**, the Garden Group will again convene to spruce up the church grounds. 9.30am onwards. Newcomers most welcome — no experience necessary.
Please stay for a cuppa, cake and a chat.

Third Thursday Eucharist

This Thursday **15th October** we will have our regular brunch after the 10am Eucharist.
All welcome.

The flowers in the church

were donated by Becky Simms, in loving memory of her mother, Monica Oorlof,
whose year's mind occurs at this time

Cake Stall

I would like to thank all the ladies who baked and helped on the cake stall last Sunday.
We made over $700.
Ros Sahhar.

The Wednesday Evening Meditation Group

The Wednesday Evening Meditation Group meets on Zoom at 7.30pm
on the second and fourth Wednesday evenings of the month.
The next session is on Wednesday, **October 14**, followed by Wednesday, October 28.
Enquiries can be directed to Michael Mosley.

What's on this week ...

Sunday October 11, 2026

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

8.30 am	Holy Communion
10.00 am	Parish Eucharist
11.30 am - 3.30 pm	Cedar Church
3.30 - 8.00 pm	TCCV
Monday	12
4.00—9.00 pm	Karen Margaret Dance
Tuesday	13
9.15 - 10.45 am	Yoga (Old Church)
10.00 am	Morning Prayer (zoom)
1.30 pm	Mahjong
7.30 pm	Midweek Church
Wednesday	14
7.30 pm	Meditation (zoom)
Thursday	15
10.00 am	Third Thursday Eucharist (and brunch)
Friday	16
Saturday	17
8.00 - 9.30 am	Yoga (Old Church)
8.30 am - 12.00 pm	Chundikuli Old Girls (Parish Centre)
9.30 am	Gardening Group
Sunday	18
8.30 am	Holy Communion
10.00 am	Parish Eucharist
11.30 am - 3.30 pm	Cedar Church
4.00 - 6.00 pm	Interchurch Hymn Singing

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

October 18, 2026

8.30 am	***Holy Communion***
Server	Joanne Burns
Welcomers	Katherine Rushby David Sharrock
Reader	John Foster
10.00 am	***Parish Eucharist***
Lay Reader	Becky Sims
Welcomers	Howard Brown Annemarie Davies
Readers	Irene Donohoue Clyne Jo Ingold
Intercessor	Dennis Mills
Chalice Assistants	Helen Warren Sue Retschko
Morning Tea	Maggie Dellora Graeme Dellora

Next Sunday's Readings:

Exodus 33.12-23
Psalm 99
1 Thessalonians 1.1-10
Matthew 22.15-33

Parish Bank Account Details

If you wish to give electronically to support the work of this parish account details follow:
Westpac BSB 033-038 Account no. 211 656
Account name: Parish of St Stephen & St Mary Mt Waverley General Account

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Priest (Day off - Monday)	The Venerable Dianne Sharrock
Associate Priest (On holiday)	Fr Derek Jones
Assistant Curate (Tuesdays only)	The Revd Candice Mitrousis
Safe Ministry Compliance	Sugan Blanchard
Music Director	Brian Copple
Treasurer	Glenda Propsting
Office Administrator	Katherine Rushby
Churchwardens:	Graeme Dellora Judith Gibson Dennis Mills
Parish Council:	Kathy Dodgshun, Rowena Ferguson, Glenda Propsting, Sue Retschko, Rebecca Sims, David Stanley, Joan West
Pastoral Care Ministry:	
Hospital Visiting:	Clergy
Funeral Ministry:	The Vicar
Spiritual Director:	Val Dyke
REGULAR SERVICES:	**Sunday 8.30 & 10.00 am, Tuesday 7.30 pm, Thursday 10.00 am**