

St Paul's Cathedral, Sale

St Alban's Kilmany, St Anne's Golden Beach & St Mark's Loch Sport

We acknowledge the Gunaikurnai people as the original custodians of this region. All churches of the parish stand on the lands of the Gunaikurnai people.

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Cathedral Parish Vision: People of Christian faith — 9th June 2024 Encouraging connection between the Divine and the everyday. 3rd Sunday after Pentecost

Sentence of Scripture

[Here are my mother and my brothers!] Whoever does the will of God is my brother and my sister and my mother. *Mark 3.34–35*

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God,
give us such a vision of your purpose,
and such an assurance of your love and
power,

that we may ever hold fast the hope which is in Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen

Hope25 Collect

God of Hope you call on us to be your witnesses in this uncertain world; by your Spirit awaken in us a true vision of your kingdom, a greater certainty of our salvation, and a deeper dedication to your service; that through our words and actions the same Spirit may bring many who are lost to be found, and for them to celebrate the hope that we can only have in Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen

Holy Communion Services at St Paul's:

Sundays - 8.00am and 10.00am Wednesdays - 10.00am in the Lady Chapel

Sunday Evenings 3rd Sunday of the month @ 5pm Contemplative Service

Morning Prayer 9am on Fridays

Outcentre Services:

St Anne's Golden Beach 10.30am 1st Sunday & 3rd Sunday of the month

St Alban's Kilmany 2.00pm 3rd Sunday of the month (Not in December or January)

St Mark's Loch Sport Services only at Easter and Christmas

Zoom Links: Evening Prayer: Daily at 5.30pm - 6.00pm

Meeting ID: 879 3927 8803 Passcode: Prayer

Meditation: Weekdays: silent Christian Meditation, 8.15am-8.45am

Meeting ID: 809 497 711 Passcode: 600361

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Cathedral Prayer Chain Requests

Please contact Trish Broadbear 0418 104 840

The prayer chain is for anyone in need of prayer

Our parish is committed to ensuring our centres of worship and outreach are safe places for all, especially children and vulnerable people. We have a duty of care to protect all who participate in the life of the church from abuse. We have zero tolerance for abuse of any kind.

If you are concerned about your own or somebody else's safety, or have witnessed behaviour that makes you feel uncomfortable you can contact the Deputy Director of Professional Standards in the Gippsland Diocese, Julie Reilly Mobile: 0456 572 589 Email: julie@kooyoora.org.au You may also like to talk to the Dean or the Lay Canons, or if this is a really serious matter, go directly to the police, and then to the above.

Please pray for our supported student Moses Baiduduga at Newton College PNG.

A Reading from The First Book of Samuel

Then all the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah, and said to him, 'You are old and your sons do not follow in your ways; appoint for us, then, a king to govern us, like other nations.' But the thing displeased Samuel when they said, 'Give us a king to govern us.' Samuel prayed to the Lord, and the Lord said to Samuel, 'Listen to the voice of the people in all that they say to you; for they have not rejected you, but they have rejected me from being king over them. Just as they have done to me, from the day I brought them up out of Egypt to this day, forsaking me and serving other gods, so also they are doing to you. Now then, listen to their voice; only—you shall solemnly warn them, and show them the ways of the king who shall reign over them.' So Samuel reported all the words of the Lord to the people who were asking him for a king. He said, 'These will be the ways of the king who will reign over you: he will take your sons and appoint them to his chariots and to be his horsemen, and to run before his chariots; He will take your male and female slaves, and the best of your cattle and donkeys, and put them to his work. He will take one-tenth of your flocks, and you shall be his slaves. And in that day you will cry out because of your king, whom you have chosen for yourselves; but the Lord will not answer you in that day.' But the people refused to listen to the voice of Samuel; they said, 'No! but we are determined to have a king

over us, so that we also may be like other nations, and that our king may govern us and go out before us and fight our battles.'

Samuel said to the people, 'Come, let us go to Gilgal and there renew the kingship.' So all the people went to Gilgal, and there they made Saul king before the Lord in Gilgal. There they sacrificed offerings of well-being before the Lord, and there Saul and all the Israelites rejoiced greatly.

1 Samuel 8.4-11, 16-20 11. 14-15

Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Psalm 138

I will give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart: even before the gods will I sing your praises.

I will bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name:

because of your faithfulness and your loving-kindness, for you have made your name and your word supreme over all things.

At a time when I called to you, you gave me answer:

and put new strength within my soul.

All the kings of the earth shall praise you, O Lord:

for they have heard the words of your mouth;

And they shall sing of the ways of the Lord:

that the glory of the Lord is great.

For though the Lord is exalted, he looks upon the lowly:

and he comprehends the proud from afar.

Though I walk in the midst of danger, yet will you preserve my life:

you will stretch out your hand against the fury of my enemies, and your right hand shall save me.

The Lord will complete his purpose for me:

your loving-kindness, O Lord, endures for ever; do not forsake the work of your own hands.

A Reading from The Second Letter to the Corinthians

But just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—'I believed, and so I spoke'—we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God. So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is

temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal. For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. 2 *Corinthians 4.13 - 5.1*

Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

and the crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, 'He has gone out of his mind.' And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, 'He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.' And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered. 'Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin'— for they had said, 'He has an unclean spirit.' Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, 'Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.' And he replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking at those who sat around him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.' Mark 3.20-35

For the Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Reflection:

Whoever does the will of God is Christ's brother and sister and mother. By discerning God's will and doing whatever it is God wants us to do, we draw not just close to Jesus, but have a living relationship with him, as close as a sibling-sibling or parent-child one. What a wonderful gift we are offered.

- God, help me do so your will, drawing closer and closer to your Son, Jesus.
- Give thanks for the work of the National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Anglican Council.

Text: Robert McLean

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June Mission of the Month – The Mission to Seafarers Time to get the knitting needles out!

The Mission to Seafarers is an international mission of the Anglican Church.

MTS cares for the practical and spiritual welfare of seafarers of all nationalities and faiths. There are 230 Mission sites around the world. At the four centres in Victoria – Melbourne, Portland, Geelong and Hastings – work is carried out by a small number of staff, chaplains and volunteers who give freely of their time 365 days of the year. Each centre houses the 'Flying Angel Club' where seafarers are welcomed by a friendly face and can contact their families by phone or internet, and receive counselling during times of injustice or distress. The MtSV ship visiting program supports crew who do not receive shore leave and is a vital service to ensure these crew have the provisions and support they require.

While most seafarers are well treated, some are still abandoned in ports far from their homes, or remain unpaid or forced to work in unsafe or unacceptable conditions. In such situations, the Mission plays a vital role in providing practical care and moral support.

See the display in the foyer for more information, including about knitting beanies and scarves. Or go to: https://www.mts.org.au/

Sea Sunday is 14th July, when we will collect the knitted items. Monetary donations can also be made by placing funds in an envelope marked Mission to Seafarers and putting in the collection bag at church.

Hope25 is a project led by the General Synod that is an intentional season of **sharing hope in Jesus.** It is being held from Easter Day to Pentecost 2025 and will be launched this Pentecost Sunday, 19th May. We have an opportunity in this uncertain world to share our hope in Jesus and ask for your prayers for Hope25. More information can be found at https://www.hope25.com.au/

Safe Church Awareness & Refresher Workshop (Sale)

Date: Friday 26 July 2024 Time: 7.00pm to 9.00pm

Online registration is essential: https://www.trybooking.com/CPHAZ

If you receive an email from REV Keren, check the email address, as more SPAM emails asking you to do a job for her are doing the rounds again.

Please wear your namebadge, to the services as well as to morning tea, so we can all get to know your names. If you don't have one, see Christine.

Morning prayer every Friday at 9am. We'll pray for our parish and diocese, and any other concerns pray-ers may have!

The (10am) service each week is live streamed. (Search St Paul's Cathedral Sale when in YouTube) https://www.youtube.com/@stpaulscathedralsale/streams

Internet Bank Transfer: Cathedral's ministry and mission

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Bloopers from Bulletins

- ~ Bertha Belch, a missionary from Africa will be speaking tonight at Calvary Memorial Church in Racine. Come tonight and hear Bertha Belch all the way from Africa.
- ~ Our youth basketball team is back in action Wednesday at 8 pm in the recreation hall. Come out and watch us kill Christ the King.
- ~ Miss Charlene Mason sang "I will not pass this way again" giving obvious pleasure to the congregation.
- ~ "Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Don't forget your husbands."
- ~ Next Sunday is the family hayride and bonfire at the Fowlers'. Bring your own hot dogs and guns. Friends are welcome! Everyone come for a fun time.
- ~ The peacemaking meeting scheduled for today has been cancelled due to a conflict.
- ~ The sermon this morning: "Jesus Walks on the Water" The sermon tonight: "Searching for Jesus"
- ~ Next Thursday there will be tryouts for the choir. They need all the help they can get.

Coming up at The Abbey

Down here at The Abbey we are having a wonderful time journeying through the spirituality of various landscapes. This year our Hush Quiet Days have explored the spiritual wisdom found through the lenses of Water, Desert and Forests. This month we focus on spirituality from the Mountains.

Do consider joining is for this event. It is held on Thursday June 13th, 10.00am – 3.00pm. Bring your own lunch and a suggested donation of \$20.

Facilitator: Dr Cath Connelly See poster for more info.

Future Hush dates for 2024:

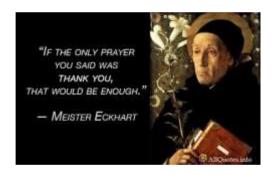
July 11th – Healing. Facilitator: Revd. Heather Cahill

August 8th - Spirituality from the Grasslands. Facilitator: Dr Cath Connelly



Retreat: In the Footsteps of Meister Eckhart Monday June 24th – Friday June 28th

Mystic and theologian Meister Eckhart (c. 1260 – c. 1328) has become one of the timeless heroes of modern spirituality. Two of his better-known quotes are: 'If the only prayer you ever say in your entire life is -Thank You- it will be enough.' and 'To be full of things is to be empty of God. To be empty of things is to be full of God. The eye with which I see God is the same eye with which God sees me.' John Stewart, Anglican priest and co-director of the Living Well Centre, has been enamoured by Eckhart for many years. He offers this five-day retreat so that participants may fully immerse themselves in the wisdom of Eckhart's extraordinary insights into the Divine.





Facilitator: Revd. John Stewart.

John Stewart is the founding Director of The Living Well Centre and now Co-director of the spiritual direction formation program. He holds the ThL (ACT) and M. Min (MCD) which includes a research project on men's issues in spiritual direction. He has been an Anglican priest since 1973 and has held various positions of ministry over the years including 8

years as Warden of the Retreat House Cheltenham where The Living Well Centre ministry has its origins. John is a sought-after retreat leader, offering engaging presentations in his delightful manner.

Full Time residential: \$660 includes three meals per day and full program. Residential shared accommodation: includes three meals per day and full program: \$475

Non residential: includes three meals per day and full program: \$360 5pm Monday to after lunch Friday.

Please RSVP by June 10th.

For further information, phone 5156 6580 or email us at info@theabbey.org.au



FREE Viewing

Learning Together Doco + Cuppa

The Warrigal Creek Massacre

A documentary film directed by Andrew Dodd and Lisa Gye, 2018.

"It's probably one of the most important sites in Victorian history at least, and a substantial site in Australian history. It's only sort of creeping into our history books now."

> - Peter Gardner Historical Advisor

SUNDAY, 23rd JUN (times vary)



GATHER at your nearest Host Parish to view a screening of the 2018 documentary film of the Gippsland story, *The Warrigal Creek Massacre*. The documentary interviews an array of people and explores historical documents to piece together the truth of a terrible crime committed against Gunaikurnai people in 1843. **Running time: 53 minutes.**



STAY for a cuppa and afternoon tea with other viewers, to discuss the film and deepen your knowledge of Gippsland history.



Please contact your preferred Host Parish for more information, or visit

www.gippslandanglicans.org.au/calendar

MORE INFO



Where to Watch

- BAIRNSDALE (11-1 pm) St John's ph: 5152 3133
- COWES (12-2 pm) St Philip's ph: 5952 2608
- DROUIN (12-2 pm) Christ Church ph: 5625 4121
- DLAKES ENTRANCE (12-2 pm) St Nicholas's ph: 0429 531 152
- MORWELL (12-2 pm) St Mary's ph: 4109 1423
- SALE (2-4 pm) St Paul's Cathedral ph: 5144 2020
- TRAFALGAR (12-2 pm) St Mary's ph: 0493 088 370





The Anglican Diocese of Gippsland acknowledges the First Nations people of this region as the traditional custodians of the land on which the Diocese of Gippsland serves. We pay our respects to past, present and emerging Elders of the GunaiKurnai, Boonwurrung, Bidawal and Ngarigo/Monero peoples.



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