

St Matthew's Anglican Church, Cheltenham

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T: 9583 2993 **Hours:** Monday to Friday: 9.30am – 4pm, Saturday: 9.30am – 12pm

SERVICE DETAILS

Sunday 8am: Holy Communion

Baptisms, First Communions,

Sunday 10am: Sung Eucharist

Confirmations, Weddings and Funerals

Wednesday 10am: Said Eucharist

by arrangement

PARISH EVENTS

Morning Tea: After the 10am service every Sunday

Please see pew sheet notices for dates regarding Parish Lunches and Breakfasts

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Corner Nepean Highway and Park Road

Cheltenham, Victoria, 3192

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ALL SAINTS

Sunday
3 November
2019

Welcome to our Service today

8am – Book of Common Prayer (BCP)

Holy Communion

Celebrant: Fr Geoff Cheong

Organist: Mr Edwin Kwong

+ The flowers in the church today are in memory of
all those whom we have loved and see no longer +

152 Years of Witness & Service in Cheltenham

OTHER SERVICES DURING THE WEEK

St Matthew's

Wednesday 6 November:
10am Mass – Fr Geoff Cheong

Friends of St Francis

Sunday 3 November:
9.30am Mass at CHN Prayer Room – Fr Andre Hassing

TODAY'S ROSTER – 3 NOVEMBER

8 AM		10 AM	
Sidespeople:		Sidespeople:	Sandra Cooper Kath Daly
Reader:	Fr Geoff	Reader:	Deborah Polites
Chalice:		Chalice:	
Server:		Server:	Harold Daly
Intercessions:	Fr Geoff	Intercessions:	Fr Geoff

NEXT SUNDAY'S ROSTER – 10 NOVEMBER

8 AM		10 AM	
Sidespeople:	Cliff Simmons Marilyn Simmons	Sidespeople:	
Reader:	Cliff Simmons	Reader:	Harold Daly
Chalice:		Chalice:	
Server:	Priscilla van Reesema	Server:	Harold Daly
Intercessions:	Fr Russell	Intercessions:	Deborah Howard

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS – TWENTY-SECOND SUN AFTER PENTECOST

Haggai 1.15b – 2.9	Psalm 98	2 Thessalonians 2.1-5, 13-17	Luke 20.27-40
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BCP SERVICE – THE HOLY COMMUNION

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude: Stèle pour un enfant défunt from Triptyque, Op. 58 (Louis Vierne)

Introit Hymn: 197 NEH vv 1, 3, 4 & 8

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The Collect for All Saints

We praise you, heavenly Father, that you have knit together your chosen ones in one communion and fellowship in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord: give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and Godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Saviour, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

The Epistle

The Epistle is written in the first Chapter of Paul's Letter to the Ephesians, beginning at the eleventh Verse.

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance towards redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love towards all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name

that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Hear endeth the Epistle.

Gradual Hymn: 308 A&M

1. Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days!
A world without saints forgets how to praise.
Their faith in acquiring the habit of prayer,
Their depth of adoring, Lord, help us to share.
2. Rejoice in those saints, unpraised and unknown,
Who bear someone's cross, or shoulder their own:
They shame our complaining, our comforts, our cares:
What patience in caring, what courage, is theirs!
3. Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days!
A world without saints forgets how to praise.
In loving, in living, they prove it is true:
the Way of self-giving, Lord, leads us to you.

Words: Fred Pratt Green 1903-2000
Ancient & Modern
Hymns & Songs for Refreshing Worship

The Gospel Reading

The Holy Gospel is written in the sixth Chapter of Luke, beginning at the twentieth Verse.

Glory to thee Lord Christ.

Then he looked up at his disciples and said: 'Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. 'Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. 'Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. 'Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets. 'But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. 'Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. 'Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. 'Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets. 'But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away

your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

Praise to thee Lord Christ.

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The Sermon

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Offertory Hymn: 224 NEH vv 1, 3 & 5

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Commemoration of All Souls – the names of the faithful departed as we remember before God those who have died and have been born to eternal life

O Eternal Lord God, who holdest all souls in life: We beseech thee to shed forth upon thy whole Church in Paradise and on earth the bright beams of thy light and heavenly comfort.

The names are presented

Grant that we, following the good example of those who have served thee here and are at rest, may at the last enter with them into the fullness of thine unending joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Music during Communion: Ave verum corpus (Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart)

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Notices and invitations

Dismissal Hymn: 310 A&M

1. Thanks be to God for his saints of each past generation,
One with us still in one body, one great congregation;
With them proclaim
Jesus for ever the same,
Author of life and salvation.

2. Thanks be to God who has called us and daily defends us,
Who with the Son and the Spirit unchanging befriends us;
Now in that name,
Jesus for ever the same,
Forth to his service he sends us.

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Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith b. 1926
Hymns Ancient & Modern
Hymns & Songs for Refreshing Worship

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Postlude: Elegy (George Thalben-Ball)

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD....

Wed 6 Nov	10am	Mass
Thurs 7 Nov	10am	Aged Care Ministry, Cheltenham Manor – Fr Geoff
	10am	Day of Prayer & Reflection, CHN
Sun 10 Nov		<u>Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost</u>
	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Sung Eucharist

NOTICES & UPCOMING EVENTS

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Notice of Annual Meeting</u></p> <p>The Annual General Meeting of St Matthew’s Anglican Church will be held on <u>Sunday 17 November at 11.30am.</u></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Parish Group Reports for AGM</p> <p>All reports for the Annual Meeting are due <u>today</u>, please hand in to the Parish Office or leave on the desk in the Vestry.</p>
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Nomination & Electoral Roll Forms

If you would like to nominate someone for Parish Council or Churchwarden please fill out the nomination form.

If you are currently not on the Electoral Roll and would like to be please fill out the ‘Application for enrolment on Church Electoral Roll’ form.

Forms are available in the Narthex. All forms must be handed into the Parish Office by Tuesday 12 November.

Electoral Roll

As a requirement of the Parish Governance Act, a list with names of Parishioners who are on the Electoral Roll needs to be displayed before the Annual General Meeting. This list is in the Narthex for your perusal.

Working Bee thank you!

A big thank you to those who helped yesterday at our working bee. Your efforts of tidying, replanting and pruning are much appreciated!



2020 Lectionaries – last chance!

This is your last chance to order a 2020 Lectionary. Please put \$15 inside a named envelope marked ‘2020 Lectionary’ and either place in the plate during the offertory or hand it in at the Parish Office.

Last calendar orders!

This is your last chance to order an Australian Anglican Church Calendar for 2020. Please consider buying one for home, office or as a gift (an excellent Christmas present!). Put \$15 into a named envelope marked ‘Calendar 2020’ and drop it into the Parish Office or place in the plate during the offertory.

Empty Christmas Tree



A reminder to start buying gifts and Christmas food for our Empty Christmas Tree which will be up on Sunday 17 November. Please see the list in the Narthex and Hall for ideas. We require gifts etc by Sunday 1 December for distribution to Dixon House.