

St Matthew's Anglican Church, Cheltenham

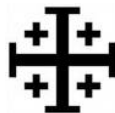
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SERVICE DETAILS

Sunday 8am: Holy Communion

Sunday 10am: Sung Eucharist

Wednesday 10am: Said Eucharist

Baptisms, First Communions,
Confirmations, Weddings and
Funerals by arrangement

1st Sunday of the month 8am: Book of
Common Prayer (BCP)

1st Sunday of the month 10am: Family Service
with Sunday School

2nd Sunday of the month: Healing Service
follows the 10am Mass

PARISH EVENTS

Morning Tea: After the 10am service every Sunday

Parish Luncheon: 1st Sunday of every 2nd month (Dec)

Parish Breakfast: 5th Sunday of the month

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Cheltenham, Victoria, 3192
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ALL SAINTS

Sunday
5 November
2017

Welcome to our Service today

**8am – Book of Common Prayer (BCP)
Holy Communion**

Celebrant: Fr Ron White

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

150 Years of Witness & Service in Cheltenham

OTHER SERVICES DURING THE WEEK

St Matthew's

Wednesday 8 November:

10am Mass: Saints, Martyrs, Missionaries & Teachers – Fr Ron White

Friends of St Francis

Sunday 5 November:

9.30am Mass at CHN Prayer Room – Fr Andre Hassing

TODAY'S ROSTER – 5 NOVEMBER

8 AM		10 AM	
Sidespeople:	Julie Johnston Rob Johnston	Sidespeople:	Kath Daly
Reader:	Fr Ron	Reader:	Kath Daly
Chalice:		Chalice:	Phil Whelan
Server:		Server:	Harold Daly
Intercessions:	N/A	Intercessions:	N/A

NEXT SUNDAY'S ROSTER – 12 NOVEMBER

8 AM		10 AM	
Sidespeople:	Cliff Simmons Marilyn Simmons	Sidespeople:	
Reader:	Cliff Simmons	Reader:	Barbara Duncan
Chalice:		Chalice:	Mitch Porter
Server:	Priscilla van Reesema	Server:	Phil Whelan
Intercessions:	Vicki Hutton	Intercessions:	Pat Rossely

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS – TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Joshua 24.1-3a, 14-25	Psalms 78.1-7	1 Thessalonians 4.9-18	Matthew 25.1-13
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BCP SERVICE – THE HOLY COMMUNION

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

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The Collect for All Saints

O Almighty God,
who hast knit together thine elect
in one communion and fellowship,
in the mystical body of thy Son Christ our Lord:
Grant us grace so to follow thy blessed Saints
in all virtuous and Godly living,
that we may come to those unspeakable joys,
which thou hast prepared for them that unfeignedly love thee;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Epistle

The Epistle is written in the third Chapter of the first Epistle according to John beginning at the first Verse.

Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God: therefore the world knoweth us not, because it knew him not. Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is. And every man that hath this hope in him purifieth himself, even as he is pure.

Hear endeth the Epistle

The Gospel Reading

The Holy Gospel is written in the fifth Chapter of Matthew, beginning at the first Verse.

Glory to thee Lord Christ.

And seeing the multitudes, he went up into a mountain: and when he was set, his disciples came unto him:
And he opened his mouth, and taught them, saying,
Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted.
 Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth.
 Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled.
 Blessed are the merciful: for they shall obtain mercy.
 Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God.
 Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God.
 Blessed are they which are persecuted for righteousness' sake: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
 Blessed are ye, when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake.
 Rejoice, and be exceeding glad: for great is your reward in heaven: for so persecuted they the prophets which were before you.

Praise to thee Lord Christ.

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Commemoration of All Souls – the names of the faithful departed as we remember before God those who have died yet live with him

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.

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PARISH ANNIVERSARIES DURING THE WEEK

+ Year's Mind

Joy Head – 5 Nov; Jan Daff – 6 Nov; Renee Sampson – 10 Nov



CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD....

Wed 8 Nov	10am	Mass: Saints, Martyrs, Missionaries & Teachers
	7.30pm	Parish Council, Parish Office
Fri 10 Nov	11am	Aged Care Ministry, Sandfield
Sun 12 Nov		<u>Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost</u>
	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Sung Eucharist
	11.15am	Healing Service

NOTICES & UPCOMING EVENTS

Nomination & Electoral Roll Forms

If you would like to nominate someone for Parish Council, Churchwarden or Incumbency Committee 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 and need to be handed into the Parish Office or to Fr Ron by Tuesday 21 November.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of St Matthew's Anglican Church will be held on Sunday 26 November at 11.30am.

Parish Group Reports for AGM

All reports for the Annual Meeting need to be received by next Sunday, 12 November, please hand in to the Parish Office.

Parish Breakfast – Thank you!!

Thank you to those who attended our final Parish Breakfast for the year last Sunday! It was a happy bunch that sat down to enjoy breakfast and a chat. A big thank you to those who made our Breakfast possible.

Last calendar orders!

This is your last chance to order an Australian Anglican Church Calendar for 2018. Please consider buying one for home, office or as a gift (an excellent Christmas present!). Put \$15 into a named envelope marked 'Calendar 2018' and place in the plate during the offertory.



The Next Roster

Please write on the list in the Narthex if you will be away on any Sunday during the December – February period for roster duties. If you are currently not on the roster and would like to be, please write the duty / duties that you would like to do.

The Melbourne Anglican (TMA)

Due to the Melbourne Synod, which was held from 17-21 October, the November edition of TMA will be available from next Sunday.

Parish Council

The next Parish Council meeting will be held this Wednesday, 8 November at 7.30pm in the Parish Office.

A Vessel Special Effort!

The regilding and repairs of the Altar vessels is now underway as was projected during the celebrations of the 150th. These will be rededicated on Advent Sunday, 3 December, and as part of that celebration we are conducting a Special Effort. Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5 and are available after both services.

St Matthew's 150th Bags

St Matthew's 150th Anniversary Bags filled with offers of discounts from various Cheltenham shops. \$10 each. Available from the Parish Office or after the services.

2018 Lectionaries – last chance!

This is your last chance to order a 2017 Lectionary. Please put \$14 inside a named envelope marked '2018 Lectionary' and either place in the plate during the offertory or hand it in at the Parish Office.

Empty Christmas Tree



A reminder to start buying gifts (unwrapped) and Christmas food so that they can be placed under our Empty Christmas Tree which will be up on Sunday 26 November.

Toys are needed for children aged 5 – 12 yrs. For teenagers please consider gift vouchers so they can choose their own gifts. Please see the full list in the Narthex and Hall.

Dixon House requires them by Friday 8 December for distribution.

The Beatitudes

"Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me."

Matthew 5:11 (NIV)

Based on Matthew 5:1-12 (NIV)

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