

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

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
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**EIGHTH
SUNDAY
AFTER
PENTECOST**

**Sunday
4 August
2019**

Welcome to our Service today

8am – Book of Common Prayer (BCP)

Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Geoff Cheong

Organist: Mr Edwin Kwong

+ The flowers in the church today are in memory of Ann Ohlmus +

152 Years of Witness & Service in Cheltenham

OTHER SERVICES DURING THE WEEK

St Matthew's

Wednesday 7 August:
10am Mass – Fr Geoff Cheong

Friends of St Francis

Sunday 4 August:
9.30am Mass at CHN Prayer Room – Fr Andre Hassing

TODAY'S ROSTER – 4 AUGUST

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

NEXT SUNDAY'S ROSTER – 11 AUGUST

8 AM		10 AM	
Sidespeople:	Cliff Simmons Marilyn Simmons	Sidespeople:	
Reader:	Marilyn Simmons	Reader:	Lesley Boyd
Chalice:		Chalice:	
Server:	Priscilla van Reesema	Server:	Harold Daly
Intercessions:	Priscilla van Reesema	Intercessions:	Kath Daly

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS – NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Isaiah	Psalm	Hebrews	Luke
1.1, 10-20	50.1-8, 23-24	11.1-3, 8-16	12.32-40

BCP SERVICE – THE HOLY COMMUNION

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude: Prélude from 24 Pièces en Style Libre (Louis Vierne)

Introit Hymn: 377 NEH vv 1 & 4

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The Collect of the Day

Living God, Judge of us all,
you have placed in our hands the wealth we call our own:
through your Spirit give us wisdom,
that our possessions may not be a curse,
but a means of blessing in our lives.
Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Epistle

The Epistle is written in the third chapter of Paul's Letter to the Colossians beginning at the first verse.

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things – anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal

there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Hear endeth the Epistle.

Gradual Hymn: 297 NEH vv 1 & 4

The Gospel

The Holy Gospel is written in the twelfth chapter of Luke, beginning at the thirteenth verse.

Glory to thee Lord Christ.

Someone in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me." But he said to him, "Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?" And he said to them, "Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions." Then he told them a parable: "The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, 'What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?' Then he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, 'Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.' But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God."

Praise to thee Lord Christ.

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The Sermon

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Offertory Hymn: 355 NEH

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Music during Communion: Choral Phrygien (Jehan Alain)

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Notices and invitations

Dismissal Hymn: 675 TIS

1. Lord, the light of your love is shining,
In the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us,
Set us free by the truth you now bring us —
Shine on me, shine on me.

Refrain:

*Shine, Jesus, shine,
Fill this land with the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow,
Flood the nations with grace and mercy;
Send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.*

2. Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
From the shadows into your radiance;
By your blood I may enter your brightness:
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness —
Shine on me, shine on me.

Refrain

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Postlude: Vater Unser im Himmelreich (Our Father in Heaven) (Georg Böhm)

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Together In Song

PARISH ANNIVERSARIES DURING THE WEEK

+ Year's Mind



May Aulich – 5 August; Ann Ohlmus – 5 August
Florence Pay – 5 August; Rosemary Lewis – 7 August
Max Whiting – 7 August; Tom Scully – 10 August

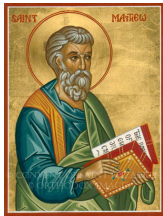
CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD....

Sun 4 Aug	12pm	Parish Lunch, Tudor Inn
Wed 7 Aug	10am	Mass
Sun 11 Aug		<u>Ninth Sunday after Pentecost</u>
	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Sung Eucharist

NOTICES & UPCOMING EVENTS

Parish Lunch at the Tudor Inn today!

REMEMBER there will be no Parish Lunch in the Hall today but we will meet at the Tudor Inn at 12pm. People will be responsible for the payment of their own meals and drinks and the Tudor Inn 'Shop A Docket' is a considerable saving so if you are not a couple – pair up!!



Patronal Festival

We will celebrate our Patronal Festival,
The Feast of St Matthew,
Apostle, Evangelist & Martyr

on Sunday 22 September at 10am

(there is only **one** service on this day – **no** 8am service)

Fr Russell Joyce will be taking the service as Fr Geoff will be away on leave.

The special preacher for the day will be The Right Reverend Dr Mark Burton, Sometime Naval Chaplain, Assistant Bishop in Perth, Dean of Melbourne.

Please make this service widely known, bring friends and neighbours, invite those who have not been to their church for a while. Use this service to show

St Matthew's is not just a building but a vibrant worshipping community.

Bishop Burton is well worth hearing, and is highly approachable with a wonderful pastoral heart to his ministries and to his theology.

Further details from Fr Russell Joyce on 0412 680 019.



The Melbourne Anglican (TMA)

The August edition of TMA is now available in the Narthex.

Don't forget to pick up your copy, read it and pass it on.



The Next Roster

Please write on the list in the Narthex if you will be away on any Sunday during the September – November period for roster duties.

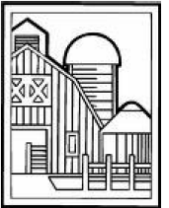
If you are currently not on the roster but would like to be, please write this on the list or contact the Parish Office.

The Parable of the Rich Fool

Then he said, "Beware! Guard against every kind of greed. Life is not measured by how much you own."
Luke 12:15 (NLT)

Based on Luke 12:13-21

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