

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

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

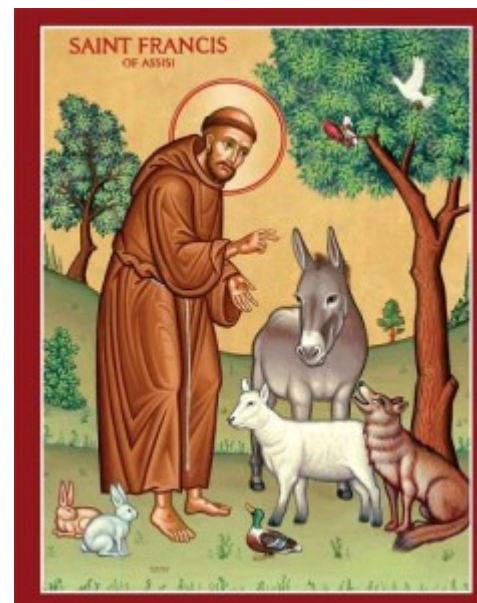
Parish Luncheon: 1st Sunday of every 2nd month (Oct & Dec)

Parish Breakfast: 5th Sunday of the month (Oct)

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**FRANCIS
OF ASSISI:
FRIAR &
PREACHER**

*Sunday
2 October
2016*

Welcome to our Service today

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

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Ron White

Organist: Mrs Marlene Davies

149 Years of Witness & Service in Cheltenham

OTHER SERVICES DURING THE WEEK

St Matthew's

Wednesday 5 October:
10am Mass: William Tyndale – Fr Ron White

Friends of St Francis

Sunday 2 October:
9.30am Mass at CHN Prayer Room – Fr Andre Hassing

TODAY'S ROSTER – 2 OCTOBER

8 AM		10 AM	
Sidespeople:		Sidespeople:	Sandra Cooper Kath Daly
Reader:	Fr Ron	Reader:	Lesley Boyd
Chalice:		Chalice:	Phil Whelan
Server:		Server:	Mitch Porter
Intercessions:	Fr Ron	Intercessions:	Fr Ron

NEXT SUNDAY'S ROSTER – 9 OCTOBER

8 AM		10 AM	
Sidespeople:	Cliff Simmons Marilyn Simmons	Sidespeople:	
Reader:	Marilyn Simmons	Reader:	Sandra Cooper
Chalice:		Chalice:	Mitch Porter
Server:	Priscilla van Reesema	Server:	Phil Whelan
Intercessions:	Priscilla van Reesema	Intercessions:	Harold Daly

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

Jeremiah	Psalms	2 Timothy	Luke
29.1, 4-7	66.1-11	2.8-15	17.11-19

BCP SERVICE – THE HOLY COMMUNION

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Introit Hymn: 263 NEH (vv 1, 2, 4 & 7)

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The Collect for Francis of Assisi

Grant, O merciful God, that as thine holy Apostle Saint Francis, leaving his father and all that he had, was obedient unto the calling of thy Son Jesus Christ, and followed him; so we, forsaking all worldly and carnal affections, may be evermore ready to follow thy holy commandments; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Epistle

The Epistle is written in the sixth Chapter of Paul's Epistle to the Galatians beginning at the fourteenth Verse.

But God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world is crucified unto me, and I unto the world. For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision availeth any thing, nor uncircumcision, but a new creature. And as many as walk according to this rule, peace be on them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God. From henceforth let no man trouble me: for I bear in my body the marks of the Lord Jesus. Brethren, the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit. Amen.

Hear endeth the Epistle.

Gradual Hymn: 265 NEH (omit v 4)

The Gospel Reading

The Holy Gospel is written in the twelfth Chapter of Luke, beginning at the twenty-second Verse.

Gloria to thee Lord Christ.

And he said unto his disciples, Therefore I say unto you, Take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat; neither for the body, what ye shall put on.

The life is more than meat, and the body is more than raiment. Consider the ravens: for they neither sow nor reap; which neither have storehouse nor barn; and God feedeth them: how much more are ye better than the fowls? And which of you with taking thought can add to his stature one cubit? If ye then be not able to do that thing which is least, why take ye thought for the rest?

Consider the lilies how they grow: they toil not, they spin not; and yet I say unto you, that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. If then God so clothe the grass, which is to day in the field, and to morrow is cast into the oven; how much more will he clothe you, O ye of little faith? And seek not ye what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink, neither be ye of doubtful mind.

For all these things do the nations of the world seek after: and your Father knoweth that ye have need of these things. But rather seek ye the kingdom of God; and all these things shall be added unto you. Fear not, little flock; for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. Sell that ye have, and give alms; provide yourselves bags which wax not old, a treasure in the heavens that faileth not, where no thief approacheth, neither moth corrupteth. For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

Praise to thee Lord Christ.

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The Sermon

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Offertory Hymn: 264 NEH (omit v 5)

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Post Communion Hymn: 298 NEH (vv 1 & 3) (please kneel if possible)

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Dismissal Hymn: 285 NEH (omit vv 3 & 4)

PARISH ANNIVERSARIES DURING THE WEEK



Happy Birthday!

Audrey Whiting – 3 October

+ Year's Mind

Ron Giesemann – 2 October; Ivy McEwan – 3 October;
Gladys Fielder – 5 October; Lesley Fraser – 7 October



CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD....

Sun 2 Oct	12 noon	Blessing of the Animals followed by lunch in the Hall
Wed 5 Oct	10am	Mass: William Tyndale
Thurs 6 Oct	10am	Day of Prayer & Reflection, CHN
	5.10pm	Evensong, St Paul's Cathedral
Fri 7 Oct	10am	Aged Care Ministry, Cheltenham Manor
Sun 9 Oct		<u>Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost</u>
	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Sung Eucharist
	11.15am	Healing Service

NOTICES & UPCOMING EVENTS

Blessing of the Animals!

All pets great & small are welcome!

Service today at 12 noon

followed by lunch in the Hall.

Each animal will receive a blessing and a special medallion.

All animals must be brought in carriers or on leashes.

Tell your neighbours and friends!



Parish BBQ Today

Don't forget our Parish BBQ is being held **TODAY** in the Hall **after** our Blessing of the Animals service.

Gold coin donation.

Remember that we will be hosting visitors from the Blessing of the Animals service so please make them (and their pets!) feel welcome.



Working Bee

Our next working bee to tidy the gardens around the Church will be held on Saturday 15 October at gam

(weather permitting!).

Helpers are needed so please come and join us!



2017 Lectionaries

If you would like to purchase a lectionary please put \$13 inside a named envelope marked '2017 Lectionary' and either place in the plate during the offertory or hand it in at the Parish Office.



Random Acts of Kindness

To keep us in mind of the 150th, Pat Ashton has devised a system of recording 'acts of kindness'. If you are a recipient of such an act or if you have been able to carry out such an act, please write it down on a sheet from the box in the Narthex, put it into the receiving box on the table and it will be taken to at the Altar as part of the Offertory.

CHN Day of Prayer & Reflection

The Sisters of the Community of the Holy Name invite you to a Day of Prayer & Reflection this Thursday, 6 October, at the Community House, 40 Cavanagh Street, Cheltenham. 10am – 3pm, BYO lunch (tea and coffee provided).



Parish Breakfast

Our last Parish Breakfast for the year will be held on Sunday 30 October at approx gam in the Hall. Come and enjoy a scrumptious breakfast and enjoy good company! Gold coin donation. All welcome!.



St Francis of Assisi

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- BEG
- BELL
- BIRDS
- CAVE
- CHAPEL
- CHURCHES
- CLOTHES
- DEACON
- DREAM
- FATHER
- FOOD
- FRANCIS
- FRENCH
- GOD
- GOLD
- GOSPIL
- HORSE
- HYMNS
- KNIGHT
- LOVE
- PARTIES
- PEACEFUL
- PLEASURE
- POOR
- PREACH
- REBUILT
- SERVICE
- WEALTHY
- WOLF

The Australian Anglican Church Calendar 2017

We are now taking orders for the Australian Anglican Church Calendar 2017. Please consider buying one for home, office or as a gift (an excellent Christmas present!). Put \$15 into a named envelope marked 'Calendar 2017' and place in the plate during the offertory.



St Francis Patronal Festival!

Congratulations to the Friends of St Francis as they celebrate their Patronal Festival today!

The Melbourne Anglican (TMA)



The October edition of TMA is now available in the Narthex. Don't forget to pick up your copy!