

St Matthew's Anglican Church, Cheltenham

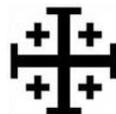
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SERVICE DETAILS

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 (Aug, Oct & Dec)

Parish Breakfast: 5th Sunday of the month (Jul, Sept)

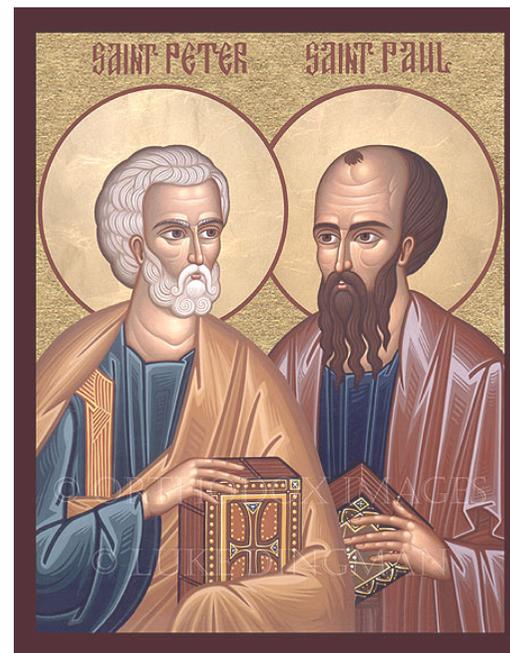
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PETER & PAUL

Sunday
1 July
2018

Welcome to our Service today

10am – Family Service

Sung Eucharist with Baptism & Sunday School

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Ron White

Organist: Mrs Marlene Davies

+ The flowers in the church today are in memory of Lorna Van Cuylenburg +

151 Years of Witness & Service in Cheltenham

OTHER SERVICES DURING THE WEEK

St Matthew's

Wednesday 4 July:
10am Mass – Fr Ron White

Friends of St Francis

Sunday 1 July:
9.30am Mass at CHN Prayer Room – Fr Andre Hassing

TODAY'S ROSTER – 1 JULY

8 AM		10 AM	
Sidespeople:	Julie Johnston Rob Johnston	Sidespeople:	Sandra Cooper Kath Daly
Reader:	Fr Ron	Reader:	Mitch Porter
Chalice:		Chalice:	Phil Whelan
Server:		Server:	Harold Daly
Intercessions:	Fr Ron	Intercessions:	Fr Ron

NEXT SUNDAY'S ROSTER – 8 JULY

8 AM		10 AM	
Sidespeople:	Cliff Simmons Marilyn Simmons	Sidespeople:	
Reader:	Cliff Simmons	Reader:	Lesley Boyd
Chalice:		Chalice:	Harold Daly
Server:	Priscilla van Reesema	Server:	Mitch Porter
Intercessions:	Vicki Hutton	Intercessions:	Alan Fielder

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS – SEA SUNDAY

2 Samuel 5.1-5, 9-10	Psalm 48	2 Corinthians 12.2-10	Mark 6.1-13
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THE HOLY COMMUNION

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Welcome to the family, friends and Godparents of
Elliot as they bring him for baptism.

Introit Hymn: 800 A&M

- The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want.
He makes me lie in pastures green.
He leads me by the still, still waters,
His goodness restores my soul.

Refrain:

*And I will trust in you alone,
And I will trust in you alone,
For your endless mercy follows me,
Your goodness will lead me home.*

- He guides my ways in righteousness,
And he anoints my head with oil,
And my cup, it overflows with joy,
I feast on his pure delights.

Refrain

- And though I walk the darkest path,
I will not fear the evil one,
For you are with me, and your rod and staff
Are the comfort I need to know.

Refrain

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
Blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever.

The priest greets the people

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Words: Stuart Townsend (b. 1963)
based on Psalm 23
Ancient & Modern
Hymns & Songs for Refreshing Worship

Sentence of Scripture

Peter says to Jesus, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.'

John 21.17

**Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy, welcoming sinners and inviting them to the Lord's table.

Silence may be kept

God our Father,
we come to you in sorrow for our sins.

For turning away from you,
and ignoring your will for our lives;
Father, forgive us: **save us and help us.**

For behaving just as we wish,
without thinking of you;
Father, forgive us: **save us and help us.**

For failing you by what we do,
and think and say;
Father, forgive us: **save us and help us.**

For letting ourselves be drawn away from you
by temptations in the world about us;
Father, forgive us: **save us and help us.**

For living as if we were ashamed
to belong to your Son;
Father, forgive us: **save us and help us.**

The Absolution. The priest says

Almighty God,
who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith:
pardon you and set you free from all your sins,
strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Hymn of Praise, Gloria in excelsis

**Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to God's people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

The Collect of the Day

Almighty God,
whose apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their deaths as in their lives:
grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example,
and knit together in unity by your Spirit,
may ever stand firm upon the one foundation,
your Son Jesus Christ our Lord;
who lives and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Collect for the Coming of the Light

Almighty God,
you have given to the people of the Islands
of the Torres Strait
the glorious light of the gospel of Christ:
mercifully grant that we may always walk
in the light of his love,
and give us the strength and unifying power
of your Holy Spirit to spread that light
and enlarge your kingdom in the hearts of all people.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

A Reading from the Book of Ezekiel

For thus says the Lord God : I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God . I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

Ezekiel 34.11-16

Hear the Word of the Lord,
Thanks be to God.

Hymn: 389 A&M

Refrain:

*Spirit of God, unseen as the wind,
Gentle as is the dove:
Teach us the truth and help us believe,
Show us the Saviour's love.*

1. You spoke to us long, long ago,
Gave us the written word;
We read it still, needing its truth,
Through it God's voice is heard.
2. Without your help we fail our Lord,
We cannot live his way;
We need your power, we need your strength,
Following Christ each day.

Refrain

A Reading from Paul's Second Letter to Timothy

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

2 Timothy 4.6-8, 17-18

Hear the Word of the Lord,
Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn: 579 A&M

1. I vow to thee, my country, all earthly things above,
Entire and whole and perfect, the service of my love:
The love that asks no question, the love that stands the test,

Words: Margaret V. Old 1932-2001
Hymns Ancient & Modern
Hymns & Songs for Refreshing Worship

That lays upon the altar the dearest and the best;
The love that never falters, the love that pays the price,
The love that makes undaunted the final sacrifice.

2. And there's another country, I've heard of long ago,
Most dear to them that love her, most great to them that know;
We may not count her armies, we may not see her King;
Her fortress is a faithful heart, her pride is suffering;
And soul by soul and silently her shining bounds increase,
And her ways are ways of gentleness and all her paths are peace.

Words: Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice 1859-1918
Ancient & Modern
Hymns & Songs for Refreshing Worship

Remain standing for the Gospel Reading

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John
chapter 21 beginning at verse 15
Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Tend my sheep.' He said to him the third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, 'Do you love me?' And he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep. Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.' (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, 'Follow me.' Peter turned and saw the disciple whom Jesus loved following them; he was the one who had reclined next to Jesus at the supper and had said, 'Lord, who is it that is going to betray you?' When Peter saw him, he said to Jesus, 'Lord, what about him?' Jesus said to him, 'If it is my will that he remain until I come, what is that to you? Follow me!'

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

THE SERVICE OF HOLY BAPTISM

Our Lord, Jesus Christ, said, Go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. (Matthew 28.19-20)

Our Lord Jesus Christ said, Let the children come to me; do not hinder them; for to such belongs the kingdom of God. (Mark 10.14)

Children are baptised on the understanding that they will be brought up as faithful members of the Church, to follow Christ and to fight against evil; and that they will come before the bishop to be confirmed by him, when they are of age to take upon themselves the promises you are about to make on their behalf.

As they grow up they need encouragement, teaching, and the help of a good example, so that they may learn to worship God, to pray to him, to put their faith and trust in him, and to take their place in the life of the Church. Parents and Godparents, this child depends chiefly on you for the help and encouragement *he* needs. Are you willing to give *him* this help and encouragement by every means in your power?

The parents and Godparents answer

I am willing.

God is creator of all things, and he gives to parents the work and joy of bringing children to birth and nurturing them. Yet, Jesus tells us, those who are born of human parents need to be born anew. 'What is born of flesh, ' he says, 'is flesh; and what is born of the Spirit is spirit.'" and again he says, 'Unless one is born from above they cannot see the kingdom of God.' Because of our sinfulness, God calls us to a new birth and life in union with himself. Baptism is the sign and seal of this new birth. Jesus commanded his disciples to preach the gospel to all nations and to baptise those who believe. They obeyed this command, and we read of Saint Peter preaching in these words, 'Repent, and be baptised in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

For the promise is to you and to your children and to all that are afar off, every one whom the Lord our God calls to him.'

In obedience to that same command we ourselves were baptised and now bring this child to baptism.

The priest continues

Let us pray to God through our Lord Jesus Christ, that he will grant to this child that which by nature *he* cannot have; that *he* may be baptised with water and the Holy Spirit, received into Christ's holy Church, and made a living member of the same.

All join the priest in saying

**Heavenly Father,
we thank you that in your great love
you have called us to know you
and trust in you.
Increase this knowledge and strengthen our faith.
Give your Holy Spirit to this child
that he may be born again
and may inherit your eternal Kingdom.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

THE DECISION

The Godparents and parents stand, and the priest says to them

Those who bring young children to be baptised must declare, on behalf of the children, allegiance to Christ and rejection of all that is evil: the devil and all his works, the empty display and false values of the world, and the sinful desires of the flesh.

Therefore I ask you to answer on behalf of this child,
Do you turn to Christ?

The Godparents and parents answer

I turn to Christ.

Do you repent of your sins?

I repent of my sins.

Do you renounce evil?

I renounce evil.

Almighty God deliver you from the powers of darkness, and lead you in the light of Christ to his everlasting kingdom. **Amen.**

THE BAPTISM

The parents and Godparents accompany the priest to the baptistry during the singing of the following hymn

Baptismal Hymn: 386 TIS

Refrain:

*By your kingly power, O risen Lord,
All that Adam lost is now restored:
In your resurrection be adored.*

1. Sing the joyful Easter cry,
Sound it to the souls in prison,
Shout our triumph to the sky:
Sing Christ risen, sing Christ risen.

Refrain

2. Sing the joyful Easter cry,
Let all times and peoples listen:
Death has no more victory,
Sing Christ risen, sing Christ risen.

Refrain

3. Death has lost and life has won;
Every newborn soul we christen
Has the Father's child become:
Sing Christ risen, sing Christ risen.

Refrain

The priest blesses the water

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ was baptised in the River Jordan, we thank you for the gift of water to cleanse and revive us: we thank you that you delivered your people from slavery and led them through the waters of the Red Sea to freedom in the promised land; we thank you that you brought your Son through the deep waters of death and raised him to life in triumph. Hear now the prayers of your faithful people; sanctify this water for the mystical washing away of sin, that your servant who is to be baptised in it may be made one in Christ in his

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Together In Song

death and in his resurrection;
send your Holy Spirit upon *him*
to bring *him* to new birth in the family of your Church,
and raise *him* with Christ to full and eternal life.
For all might, majesty, authority, and power are yours,
now and for ever. **Amen.**

The priest says

This child has been brought for baptism. Let us all now profess the faith into which *he* is to be baptised and in which *he* is to be brought up.

All join in saying the Apostles Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he shall come judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit;
the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

This is the faith of the Church.
This our faith: we believe in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

The priest says to the Godparents and parents

I now ask you to answer in the name of this child,
Do you profess this faith?

The Godparents and parents answer

I do.

Do you ask for baptism in this faith?

I do.

Will you, with God's help, strive to keep his holy will and commandments
and serve him faithfully throughout your life?

I will.

Elliot Ronald, I baptise you in the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

The priest continues

God has called you into his Church.
**We therefore receive and welcome you
as a fellow member of the body of Christ,
as a child of the same heavenly Father,
and as an inheritor with us of the kingdom of God.**

The priest makes a cross on the child's forehead and says to him

I sign you with the sign of the cross
to show that you are to be true to Christ crucified
and that you are not to be ashamed
to confess your faith in him.

The congregation joins the priest in saying

**Fight bravely under his banner
against sin, the world, and the devil,
and continue Christ's faithful soldier and servant
to your life's end.**

After presenting a candle the priest says

God has called you out of darkness into his marvellous light.
**Shine as a light in the world
To the glory of God the Father.**

Prayers for the parents and Godparents

Lord God our Father, maker of heaven and earth, we thank you that you have been pleased to give this child new birth with your Holy Spirit, to adopt *him* for your own, and to receive *him* into the fellowship of your Church. Being buried with Christ in his death, may *he* die to sin, walk in newness of life, and be united with Christ in his resurrection. May *he* grow in the faith into which *he has* been baptised, and come to profess it for *himself*; and may all things belonging to the Spirit live and grow in *him*. **Amen.**

Heavenly Father, we pray for the parents of this child; give them the spirit of wisdom and love. May their children grow up to love and reverence you and their home share in the joy of your eternal kingdom. **Amen.**

God of truth and love, we pray for the Godparents of *him* whom we have baptised in your name, that they may desire to share with their Godchild what you have revealed to us in your holy gospel. We ask this in the name of our Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

The priest and people say

**The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. Amen.**

The priest returns to the sanctuary and the baptism party to their seats

The Sermon

Silence may follow

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The priest says

Let us pray for the world and for the Church.

The prayers may conclude with

Almighty God, you have promised to hear our prayers.

**Grant that what we have asked in faith
we may by your grace receive,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

THE GREETING OF PEACE

All stand. The Greeting of Peace is introduced

We are the body of Christ.

His Spirit is with us.

The priest says

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

All may exchange a sign of peace

Offertory Hymn: 295 NEH

1. Let all mortal flesh keep silence
And with fear and trembling stand;
Ponder nothing earthly-minded,
For with blessing in his hand
Christ our God to earth descendeth,
Our full homage to demand.
2. King of kings, yet born of Mary,
As of old on earth he stood,
Lord of lords, in human vesture,
In the body and the blood:
He will give to all the faithful
His own self for heavenly food.
3. Rank on rank the host of heaven
Spreads its vanguard on the way,
As the Light of light descendeth
From the realms of endless day,
That the powers of hell may vanish
As the darkness clears away.
4. At his feet the six-winged seraph;
Cherubim with sleepless eye,
Veil their faces to the Presence,
As with ceaseless voice they cry,
Alleluya, Alleluya!
Alleluya, Lord most high!

The gifts of the people having been brought to the Altar:

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation.
Through your goodness we have these gifts to share.
Accept and use our offerings for your glory
and for the service of your kingdom.

Blessed be God for ever.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

[The Lord be with you.

And also with you.]

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Loving God,
we thank you for this world of wonder and delight.
You have given it to us to care for,
so that all your creatures may enjoy its bounty.
Lord our God,
we give you thanks and praise.

We thank you that when we turned away from you,
you sent Jesus to live and work as one of us,
and bring us back to you.
He showed us how to love you
and set us free to love and serve one another.
Lord our God,
we give you thanks and praise.

We thank you that on the cross
Jesus took away our sin,
all that keeps us from each other and from you.
He frees us from hate and fear,
from all that destroys love and trust.
Lord our God,
we give you thanks and praise.

And now we give you thanks because
you have called us into the fellowship of Peter, Paul and

all your saints,
and set before us the example of their witness
and the fruit of your Spirit in their lives.

Therefore with angels and archangels,
and with all the company of heaven,
we proclaim your great and glorious name,
for ever praising you and singing:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

And now we thank you
for these gifts of bread and wine;
may we who receive them,
as Jesus said,
share his body and his blood.

On the night he was betrayed, he took bread
and gave you thanks.

He broke the bread and gave it to his friends, and said,
'Take and eat. This is my body given for you.
Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper he took the cup
and gave you thanks.
He shared the cup with them and said,
'This is my blood poured out
so that sins may be forgiven.
Do this in remembrance of me.'

**Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.**

You have gathered us together
to feed on Christ
and to remember all he has done for us:
Fill us with your Spirit
that we may follow Jesus

in all we do and say,
working for justice and bringing your peace
to this world that you have made.

Accept our prayers through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Blessing and honour and glory and power
be yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray,

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done
on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours
now and forever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND THE COMMUNION

We who are many are one body in Christ,
for we all share in the one bread.

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us your peace.

The invitation to receive Holy Communion

Come let us take this holy sacrament of the body and blood of Christ in remembrance that he died for us, and feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

The sacrament is given with the following words

The body of Christ keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The blood of Christ keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

THE SENDING OUT OF GOD'S PEOPLE

The priest says

God, the source of all holiness:
may we who have shared at this table
as strangers and pilgrims on earth
be welcomed with Peter, Paul and all your saints
to the heavenly feast in your kingdom.

Father,
**we offer ourselves to you
as a living sacrifice
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Send us out in the power of your Spirit
to live and work to your praise and glory.**

Notices and invitations

Dismissal Hymn: 147 TIS

1. To God be the glory, great things he has done!
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
Who yielded his life in atonement for sin
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Refrain:

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!

Let the earth hear his voice!

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!

Let the people rejoice!

*O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,
And give him the glory! great things he has done!*

2. O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,
To every believer the promise of God!
And every offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Refrain

3. Great things he has taught us, great things he has done,
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;
But purer, and higher, and greater will be
Our wonder, our rapture, when Jesus we see.

Refrain:

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!

Let the earth hear his voice!

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!

Let the people rejoice!

O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,

And give him the glory! great things he has done!

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Together In Song

The priest says

God give you grace to follow Peter, Paul and all the saints
in faith and hope and love;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be upon you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

The priest or deacon says

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

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You are welcome to stay and enjoy a cuppa
and a chat in the Hall after the service!

PARISH ANNIVERSARIES DURING THE WEEK

Happy Anniversary!

Deborah Polites & Patrick Scully – 3 July

† Year's Mind

David John Lewis – 4 July

Lorna Van Cuylenburg – 7 July



CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD....

Wed 4 Jul	10am	Mass
	7.30pm	Parish Council, Parish Office
Thurs 5 Jul	10am	Day of Prayer & Reflection, CHN
Fri 6 Jul	10am	Aged Care Ministry, Cheltenham Manor
Sun 8 Jul		<u>Sea Sunday</u>
	8am	Holy Communion – Fr Andre Hassing
	10am	Sung Eucharist – Fr Andre Hassing

NOTICES & UPCOMING EVENTS



Offering Envelopes

New offering envelopes are now available in the Narthex
and have been placed in alphabetical order.
Please note that the number on your new envelopes may
have changed from the previous year.
If you don't use envelopes but would like to do so
please contact the Parish Office.

Sea Sunday – 8 July



On Sea Sunday churches all over the world come together
to remember seafarers and pray for them, their families and
those who support them. The Mission to Seafarers needs
your prayers and support for all merchant crews and their
families on this day.

Parish Council

The next Parish Council meeting
will be held this Wednesday, 4 July,
at 7.30pm at the Parish Office.
Please note change of date.

Parish Breakfast



Don't forget our next
Parish Breakfast will be
held on Sunday 30 July
at approx 9am in the Hall.

CHN Day of Prayer & Reflection



The Sisters of the Community of the Holy Name invite you to a Day of Prayer & Reflection this Thursday, 5 July, at the Community House, 40 Cavanagh Street, Cheltenham. 10am – 3pm, BYO lunch (tea and coffee provided).

Please note...

Fr Ron is on leave from Friday 6 July to Tuesday 24 July (inc). If you require a priest during this time please contact Fr Andre Hassing or one of the Wardens. Fr Andre will be taking the services on Sundays and Wednesdays during this time.

The Melbourne Anglican (TMA)

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

This edition includes articles on:

- A report on the Queen’s Birthday Honours, in which a number of Anglicans have been recognised.
- An interview with the Revd Dr Rico Villanueva, an Old Testament scholar and author from the Philippines, who presented on Laments at the Jumbunna and Marmingatha Episcopate ministry conferences.
- “Clergy urged to ensure ‘regular pulse checks’ in parishes”:
- A report on the appointment of the Revd Dr Chris Mulherin, director of Christian science organisation ISCAST, to advise Archbishop Philip Freier on Science-Faith Education and Social Media.
- An interview with Fijian Anglican the Revd Amy Chambers on some of the challenges facing her country.
- Articles on nurturing faith in children and young people.
- A viewpoint by Baptist minister the Revd Dr Rowland Croucher on key ingredients of a healthy church.
- “Stolen land and stolen lives demand repentance”: a viewpoint by the Rev’d Dr Canon Peter Adam on the horrific massacre at Myall Creek in 1838.



Feed My Sheep



The third time he said to him, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” Peter was hurt because Jesus asked him the third time, “Do you love me?” He said, “Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you.” Jesus said, “Feed my sheep. John 21:17 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on John 21:15-19

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