

## St Matthew's Anglican Church, Cheltenham

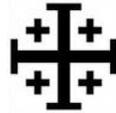
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### SERVICE DETAILS

**Sunday 8am:** Holy Communion

**Sunday 10am:** Sung Eucharist

**Wednesday 10am:** Said Eucharist

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

**1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month 8am:** Book of  
Common Prayer (BCP)

**1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month 10am:** Family Service  
with Sunday School

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month:** Healing Service  
follows the 10am Mass

### PARISH EVENTS

**Morning Tea:** After the 10am service every Sunday

**Parish Luncheon:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of every 2<sup>nd</sup> month (Apr, Jun, Aug, Oct & Dec)

**Parish Breakfast:** 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month (Apr, Jul, Oct)

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**LOVE  
YOUR ENEMIES  
AND PRAY  
FOR THOSE WHO PERSECUTE YOU.  
MATTHEW 5:44**

**SEVENTH  
SUNDAY  
AFTER  
EPIPHANY  
SEXAGESIMA**

**Sunday  
19 February  
2017**

**Welcome to our Services today**

**8am – Holy Communion**

**10am – Sung Eucharist**

**Celebrant & Preacher:** Fr Ron White

**Organist:** Mr Robert Heatley

**149 Years of Witness & Service in Cheltenham**

## OTHER SERVICES DURING THE WEEK

### St Matthew's

Wednesday 22 February:

10am Mass: Matthias, Apostle & Martyr – Fr Ron White

### Friends of St Francis

Sunday 19 February:

9.30am Mass at CHN Prayer Room – Fr Andre Hassing

## TODAY'S ROSTER – 19 FEBRUARY

8 AM		10 AM	
<b>Sidespeople:</b>		<b>Sidespeople:</b>	Len Evans
			Derek Pay
<b>Reader:</b>	Priscilla van Reesema	<b>Reader:</b>	Debby Howard
<b>Chalice:</b>		<b>Chalice:</b>	Len Evans
<b>Server:</b>		<b>Server:</b>	Harold Daly
<b>Intercessions:</b>	Priscilla van Reesema	<b>Intercessions:</b>	Mitch Porter

## NEXT SUNDAY'S ROSTER – 26 FEBRUARY

8 AM		10 AM	
<b>Sidespeople:</b>		<b>Sidespeople:</b>	Val Fielder
			Mitch Porter
<b>Reader:</b>		<b>Reader:</b>	Joan Leslie
<b>Chalice:</b>		<b>Chalice:</b>	Mitch Porter
<b>Server:</b>	Priscilla van Reesema	<b>Server:</b>	Patrick Scully
<b>Intercessions:</b>		<b>Intercessions:</b>	Val Fielder

## NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS – EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Isaiah	Psalm	1 Corinthians	Matthew
49.8-16a	131	3.18 – 4.5	6.22-34

# THE HOLY COMMUNION

## GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

*Introit Hymn: 427 NEH*

- O praise ye the Lord!  
Praise him in the height;  
Rejoice in his word,  
Ye angels of light;  
Ye heavens adore him  
By whom ye were made,  
And worship before him,  
In brightness arrayed.
- O praise ye the Lord!  
Praise him upon earth,  
In tuneful accord,  
Ye sons of new birth;  
Praise him who hath brought you  
His grace from above,  
Praise him who hath taught you  
To sing of his love.
- O praise ye the Lord!  
All things that give sound;  
Each jubilant chord,  
Re-echo around;  
Loud organs, his glory  
Forth tell in deep tone,  
And sweet harp, the story  
Of what he hath done.
- O praise ye the Lord!  
Thanksgiving and song  
To him be outpoured  
All ages along:  
For love in creation,  
For heaven restored,  
For grace of salvation,  
O praise ye the Lord!

Words: Henry Williams Baker 1821-77  
The New English Hymnal

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.**

*Sentence of Scripture*

You shall be holy, for the Lord your God is holy. You shall love your neighbour as yourself.

Leviticus 19.2, 18

**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.

*The two Great Commandments*

'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' Jesus said: 'This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: you shall love your neighbour as yourself.'

*'Lord, have mercy' (8am only)*

Lord, have mercy; **Christ, have mercy;** Lord, have mercy.

*'Lord, have mercy' (10am only)*

**Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.  
Christ, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Christ, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.**

*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*

Hidden God,  
whose wisdom compels our love  
and unsettles all our values:  
fill us with desire to search for her truth,  
that we may transform the world,  
becoming fools for her sake,  
through Jesus Christ,  
your Word and Wisdom made flesh,  
to whom be glory for ever. **Amen.**

## THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

*A Reading from the Book of Leviticus*

The Lord spoke to Moses, saying:

Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them: You shall be holy, for I the Lord your God am holy.

When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap to the very edges of your field, or gather the gleanings of your harvest. You shall not strip your vineyard bare, or gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard; you shall leave them for the poor and the alien: I am the Lord your God. You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; and you shall not lie to one another. And you shall not swear falsely by my name, profaning the name of your God: I am the Lord.

You shall not defraud your neighbour; you shall not steal; and you shall not keep for yourself the wages of a labourer until morning. You shall not revile the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind; you shall fear your God: I am the Lord.

You shall not render an unjust judgment; you shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great: with justice you shall judge your neighbour. You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not profit by the blood of your neighbour: I am the Lord.

You shall not hate in your heart anyone of your kin; you shall reprove your neighbour, or you will incur guilt yourself. You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against any of your people, but you shall love your neighbour as yourself: I am the Lord.

Leviticus 19.1-2, 9-18

Hear the Word of the Lord,

**Thanks be to God.**

*Psalm 119.33-40 (said antiphonally)*

33. Teach me, O Lord, the way of your statutes:  
and I will honour it to the end.
34. **Give me understanding, that I may keep your law:  
that I may keep it with my whole heart.**
35. Guide me in the path of your commandments:  
for therein is my delight.
36. **Incline my heart to your commands:  
and not to selfish gain.**
37. Turn away my eyes from looking on vanities:  
as I walk in your way give me life.
38. **Make good your promise to your servant:  
the promise that endures for all who revere you.**
39. Turn aside the taunts that I dread:  
for your judgements are very good.
40. **Lord, I long for your precepts:  
in your righteousness give me life.**

*A Reading from Paul's first letter to the Corinthians*

According to the grace of God given to me, like a skilled master builder I laid a foundation, and someone else is building on it. Each builder must choose with care how to build on it. For no one can lay any foundation other than the one that has been laid; that foundation is Jesus Christ. Now if anyone builds on the foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw— the work of each builder will become visible, for the Day will disclose it, because it will be revealed with fire, and the fire will test what sort of work each has done. If what has been built on the foundation survives, the builder will receive a reward. If the work is burned, the builder will suffer loss; the builder will be saved, but only as through fire. Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you? If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy that person. For God's temple is holy, and you are that temple.

1 Corinthians 3.10-17

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

*Gradual Hymn: 366 NEH*

1. God of mercy, God of grace,  
Show the brightness of thy face:  
Shine upon us, Saviour, shine,  
Fill thy Church with light divine;  
And thy saving health extend  
Unto earth's remotest end.
2. Let the people praise thee, Lord;  
Be by all that live adored:  
Let the nations shout and sing,  
Glory to their Saviour King;  
At thy feet their tribute pay,  
And thy holy will obey.
3. Let the people praise thee, Lord;  
Earth shall then her fruits afford;  
God to man his blessing give,  
Man to God devoted live;  
All below, and all above,  
One in joy, and light, and love.

Words: H.F. Lyte 1793-1847  
The New English Hymnal

*Remain standing for the Gospel Reading*

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Matthew  
chapter 5 beginning at verse 38  
**Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

'You have heard that it was said, "An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth."  
But I say to you, Do not resist an evildoer. But if anyone strikes you on the right  
cheek, turn the other also; and if anyone wants to sue you and take your coat,  
give your cloak as well; and if anyone forces you to go one mile, go also the  
second mile. Give to everyone who begs from you, and do not refuse anyone  
who wants to borrow from you.

'You have heard that it was said, "You shall love your neighbour and hate your  
enemy." But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute  
you, so that you may be children of your Father in heaven; for he makes his sun  
rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the righteous and on the  
unrighteous. For if you love those who love you, what reward do you have? Do  
not even the tax-collectors do the same? And if you greet only your brothers

and sisters, what more are you doing than others? Do not even the Gentiles do the same? Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect.

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

*The Sermon*

*Silence may follow*

*The Nicene Creed*

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church.

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit  
and the virgin Mary  
and became truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge  
the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son  
is worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the  
forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## 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.**

## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Christ the Son of God has been revealed as a light to the nations.

*Silence may be kept*

Let us bring our darkness to his light, confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

**Merciful God,  
our maker and our judge,  
we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,  
and in what we have failed to do:  
we have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves;  
we repent, and are sorry for all our sins.  
Father, forgive us.  
Strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*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 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: 154 TIS*

1. Great is your faithfulness, O God my Father,  
In you no shadow of turning we see;  
You never fail and your love is unchanging:  
As you have been you for ever will be.

*Refrain:*

*Great is your faithfulness,  
Great is your faithfulness,  
Morning by morning new mercies we see;  
All we have needed your hand has provided:  
Great is your faithfulness, Lord God, to me.*

2. Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,  
Join with all nature in unspoken witness  
To your great faithfulness, mercy and love.

*Refrain*

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that's enduring,  
Your living presence to cheer and to guide,  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow  
These are the blessings your love will provide.

*Refrain*

*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.**

All glory and honour be yours always and everywhere,  
mighty Creator, everliving God.

We give you thanks and praise for your Son,  
our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who by the power of your Spirit was born of Mary  
and lived as one of us.

You anointed him as Messiah,  
the light of the nations,  
and revealed him as the hope  
of all who thirst for righteousness and peace.

By his death on the cross  
and rising to new life,  
he offered the one true sacrifice for sin  
and obtained an eternal deliverance for his people.

Therefore with angels and archangels,  
and with all the company of heaven,

we proclaim your great and glorious name,  
for ever praising you and saying / 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.**

Merciful God, we thank you  
for these gifts of your creation,  
this bread and wine,  
and we pray that by your Word and Holy Spirit,  
we who eat and drink them  
may be partakers of Christ's body and blood.  
On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread;  
and when he had given you thanks  
he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying,  
'Take, eat. This is my body given for you.  
Do this in remembrance of me.'  
After supper, he took the cup,  
and again giving you thanks  
he gave it to his disciples, saying,  
'Drink from this, all of you.  
This is my blood of the new covenant  
shed for you and for many  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

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

Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded:  
proclaiming his offering of himself  
made once for all upon the cross,  
his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension,  
and looking for his coming again,  
we celebrate, with this bread and this cup,  
his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice  
for the sins of the whole world.

Renew us by your Holy Spirit,  
unite us in the body of your Son,  
and bring us with all your people  
into the joy of your eternal kingdom;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
with whom, and in whom,  
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
we worship you, Father,  
in songs of never-ending praise:

**Blessing and honour and glory and power  
are 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.**

*Post Communion Hymn: 306 NEH (please kneel if possible)*

1. Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands  
That holy things have taken;  
Let ears that now have heard thy songs  
To clamour never waken.
2. Lord, may the tongues which 'Holy' sang  
Keep free from all deceiving;  
The eyes which saw thy love be bright,  
Thy blessed hope perceiving.
3. The feet that tread thy holy courts  
From light do thou not banish;  
The bodies by thy Body fed  
With thy new life replenish.

Words: Syrian, 4th Century  
Tr. C.W. Humphreys 1840-1921 and  
Percy Dearmer 1867-1936  
The New English Hymnal

## THE SENDING OUT OF GOD'S PEOPLE

*The priest says*

God of the nations,  
we thank you for nourishing us with this holy sacrament.  
Guide us by your presence,  
that we may bring your light to those who dwell in darkness,  
and establish your justice in the earth.

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: 52 NEH*

1. O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness!  
Bow down before him, his glory proclaim;  
With gold of obedience, and incense of lowliness,  
Kneel and adore him, the Lord is his name!
2. Low at his feet lay thy burden of carefulness,  
High on his heart he will bear it for thee,  
Comfort thy sorrows, and answer thy prayerfulness,  
Guiding thy steps as may best for thee be.
3. Fear not to enter his courts in the slenderness  
Of the poor wealth thou wouldst reckon as thine:  
Truth in its beauty, and love in its tenderness,  
These are the offerings to lay on his shrine.
4. These, though we bring them in trembling and fearfulness,  
He will accept for the name that is dear;  
Mornings of joy give for evenings of tearfulness,  
Trust for our trembling and hope for our fear.
5. O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness!  
Bow down before him, his glory proclaim;  
With gold of obedience, and incense of lowliness,  
Kneel and adore him, the Lord is his name!

Words: John Samuel Bewley Mansell, 1832-75  
The New English Hymnal

*The priest says*

May Christ the Son of God be manifest to you,  
that your lives may be a light to the world;  
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.**



You are welcome to stay and enjoy a cuppa and a chat in the Hall after the 10am service!



We give thanks for the life, work and witness of Alan Ferres commend him to God and uphold his family in prayer.



### PARISH ANNIVERSARIES DURING THE WEEK

*Happy Birthday!*

Vivienne Evans – 20 February



*Happy Anniversary!*

Don & Joan Leslie – 19 February



+ *Year's Mind* Muriel Dickson – 23 February



### CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD....

Wed 22 Feb 10am Mass: Matthias, Apostle & Martyr  
Mothers' Union after the 10am Mass

Fri 24 Feb 11am Aged Care Ministry, Autumdale Lodge

Sun 26 Feb Eighth Sunday after Epiphany  
8am Holy Communion  
9am Pancakes, Hall  
10am Sung Eucharist

### NOTICES & UPCOMING EVENTS



#### Pancakes next Sunday!



We will enjoy pancakes next Sunday, 26 February, at around gam in the Hall in recognition of Shrove Tuesday.

If you would like to make a donation towards our celebration please put the money in a envelope marked 'Pancakes' and place it in the Offertory Plate.

We hope you can join us!



#### Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday is 1 March, please bring your palm crosses in time to be burnt.

Services on Ash Wednesday will be held at 10am and 6pm – Mass with Blessing and Imposition of Ashes.

#### Mothers' Union



Mothers' Union will meet this Wednesday, 22 February, for the 10am Mass.  
Catch up & Chat and Planning meeting.

Subs due: \$35.

New members welcome.

Contact Sandra on 9515 3381.

#### Friends of St Francis

The Friends of St Francis Fellowship Group will hold their first meeting for the year on Monday 27 February at 1.30pm at the home of Shirley Marriott, 8 Ramsay Court, Cheltenham.  
All very welcome.

#### St Valentine's morning tea

The Valentine's Day morning tea and special effort, which was held last Sunday, raised \$164 towards the 150th Anniversary funds.

Prizes and winners of the special effort:  
Wine – Rosa, Chocolates – Dell, Flowers – Claire.



Thanks to Marlene for baking the delicious scones and to all who supported and helped make this a special morning.

## Lenten Bible Study

To assist in your planning and as a preparation for Easter there will be a mini bible study following the Wednesday 10am Mass in Lent.

## The Melbourne Anglican (TMA)



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

## Help with Ministry

Four of the local nursing homes in Cheltenham are visited on respective Fridays each month. The parish is seeking volunteers who could give an hour of their time on a Friday (even once a month) to assist in this important ministry.

Please speak to Fr Ron if you feel the call to this important and rewarding task.

1st Friday of the month: Cheltenham Manor, 10-12 Bendigo Street, at 10am

2nd Friday of the month: Sandfield, 161a Centre Dandenong Road, at 11am

3rd Friday of the month: St James Terrace, 296 Warrigal Road, at 11am

4th Friday of the month: Autumdale Lodge, 13 England Road, at 11am

5th Friday of the month: no visit



## World Day of Prayer

Philippines – 'Am I being unfair to you?'

Friday 3 March at 10.30am

Southern Community Church of Christ,  
Cheltenham.

All parishioners, friends  
and neighbours welcome.



## The Next Roster

If you will be away on any Sunday during the March – May period for roster duties please fill in the list in the Narthex.

If you are not on the roster but would like to be, please write on the list.

## CHN Day of Prayer & Reflection



The Sisters of the Community of the Holy Name invite you to a Day of Prayer & Reflection on Thursday 2 March at the Community House, 40 Cavanagh Street, Cheltenham.  
10am – 3pm, BYO lunch (tea and coffee provided)

## Turn the Other Cheek

"You have heard that it was said, 'Eye for eye, and tooth for tooth.' But I tell you, do not resist an evil person. If anyone slaps you on the right cheek, turn to them the other cheek also." Matthew 5:38-39 (NIV)

Search the puzzle to find the hidden words.

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