

# St Matthew's Anglican Church, Cheltenham

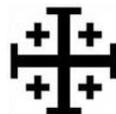
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## SERVICE DETAILS

**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 (Aug, Oct & Dec)

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

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## TRINITY SUNDAY

Sunday  
11 June  
2017

**Welcome to our Services today**

**8am – Holy Communion**

**Celebrant & Preacher:** Fr Ron White

**10am – Sung Eucharist**

followed by Healing Service

**Celebrant & Preacher:** Fr Ron White

**Organist:** Mrs Marlene Davies

150 Years of Witness & Service in Cheltenham

## OTHER SERVICES DURING THE WEEK

### St Matthew's

**Wednesday 14 June:**

10am Mass: Corpus Christi – Fr Ron White

### Friends of St Francis

**Sunday 11 June:**

9.30am Mass at CHN Prayer Room – Fr Andre Hassing

## TODAY'S ROSTER – 11 JUNE

8 AM		10 AM	
<b>Sidespeople:</b>	Cliff Simmons Marilyn Simmons	<b>Sidespeople:</b>	
<b>Reader:</b>	Marilyn Simmons	<b>Reader:</b>	Kath Daly
<b>Chalice:</b>	John Thompson	<b>Chalice:</b>	Mitch Porter
<b>Server:</b>		<b>Server:</b>	Harold Daly
<b>Intercessions:</b>	John Thompson	<b>Intercessions:</b>	Debby Howard

## NEXT SUNDAY'S ROSTER – 18 JUNE

8 AM		10 AM	
<b>Sidespeople:</b>	John Thompson	<b>Sidespeople:</b>	Len Evans Derek Pay
<b>Reader:</b>	Vicki Hutton	<b>Reader:</b>	Barbara Duncan
<b>Chalice:</b>	John Thompson	<b>Chalice:</b>	Len Evans
<b>Server:</b>		<b>Server:</b>	Phil Whelan
<b>Intercessions:</b>		<b>Intercessions:</b>	Mitch Porter

## NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS – SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Genesis 18.1-15	Psalm 116.1-2, 11-18	Romans 5.1-11	Matthew 9.35-10.8
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# THE HOLY COMMUNION

## GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

*Introit Hymn: 146 NEH (10am only)*

- Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;  
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty!  
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!
- Holy, Holy, Holy! All the saints adore thee,  
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
Cherubim and Seraphim falling down before thee,  
Which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.
- Holy, Holy, Holy! Though the darkness hide thee,  
Though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,  
Only thou art holy, there is none beside thee  
Perfect in power, in love, and purity.
- Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!  
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth, and sky, and sea;  
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty!  
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Words: Reginald Heber 1783-1826  
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*

God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, 'Abba! Father!'

Galatians 4.6b

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*

Almighty and everlasting God,  
you have given to us your servants grace  
by the confession of a true faith  
to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity,  
and in the power of the divine majesty  
to worship the Unity:  
keep us steadfast in this faith,  
and evermore defend us from all adversities,  
for you live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

*A Reading from the Book of Exodus*

The Lord said to Moses, 'Cut two tablets of stone like the former ones, and I will write on the tablets the words that were on the former tablets, which you broke. Be ready in the morning, and come up in the morning to Mount Sinai and present yourself there to me, on the top of the mountain. No one shall come up with you, and do not let anyone be seen throughout all the mountain; and do not let flocks or herds graze in front of that mountain.' So Moses cut two tablets of stone like the former ones; and he rose early in the morning and went up on Mount Sinai, as the Lord had commanded him, and took in his hand the two tablets of stone. The Lord descended in the cloud and stood with him there, and proclaimed the name, 'The Lord'. The Lord passed before him, and proclaimed, 'The Lord, the Lord, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for the thousandth generation,

forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin,  
yet by no means clearing the guilty,  
but visiting the iniquity of the parents  
upon the children  
and the children's children,  
to the third and the fourth generation.'  
And Moses quickly bowed his head towards the earth, and worshipped.

Exodus 34.1-8

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

*Song of the 3 Young Men (said antiphonally)*

29. Blessed are you, the God of our forebears:  
worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.
30. **Blessed is your holy and glorious name:  
worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.**
31. Blessed are you, glorious in your holy temple:  
worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.
32. **Blessed are you who behold the depths:  
worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.**
33. Blessed are you on the throne of your kingdom:  
worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.
34. **Blessed are you in the heights of heaven:  
worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.**

*A Reading from Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians*

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

2 Corinthians 13.11-13

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

*Gradual Hymn: 298 NEH (10am only)*

1. May the grace of Christ our Saviour,  
And the Father's boundless love,  
With the Holy Spirit's favour,  
Rest upon us from above.
2. Thus may we abide in union  
With each other and the Lord,  
And possess in sweet communion,  
Joys which earth cannot afford.
3. To the God whose wisdom made us,  
To the Son who set us free,  
To the sanctifying Spirit,  
Glory, endless glory, be!

Words: John Newton 1725-1807 and Editors  
The New English Hymnal

*Remain standing for the Gospel Reading*

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Matthew  
chapter 28 beginning at verse 16  
**Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

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

'Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty.'  
We long for the fire of God's cleansing  
to touch our unclean lips,  
for our guilt to be removed and our sin wiped out.

*Silence may be kept*

So we meet Father, Son and Holy Spirit  
with repentance in our hearts.

**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*

God has made us one in Christ.

**He has set his seal upon us as a pledge of what is to come,**

He has given the Spirit to dwell in our hearts.

**Alleluia, Alleluia.**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**And also with you.**

*All may exchange a sign of peace*

*Offertory Hymn: 433 NEH (10am only)*

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| 1. O worship the King,<br>All glorious above;<br>O gratefully sing<br>His power and his love:<br>Our Shield and Defender,<br>The Ancient of days,<br>Pavilioned in splendour,<br>And girded with praise.           | 3. This earth, with its store<br>Of wonders untold,<br>Almighty, thy power<br>Hath founded of old:<br>Hath stablished it fast<br>By a changeless decree,<br>And round it hath cast,<br>Like a mantle, the sea. |
| 2. O tell of his might,<br>O sing of his grace,<br>Whose robe is the light,<br>Whose canopy space.<br>His chariots of wrath<br>The deep thunder-clouds form,<br>And dark is his path<br>On the wings of the storm. | 4. Frail children of dust,<br>And feeble as frail,<br>In thee do we trust,<br>Nor find thee to fail;<br>Thy mercies, how tender!<br>How firm to the end!<br>Our Maker, Defender,<br>Redeemer, and Friend.      |

Words: Robert Grant  
1779-1838  
The New English Hymnal

*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.

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.

Through him, you have revealed to us your glory  
in the community of your love,  
three persons, one God,  
ever to be worshipped and adored.

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, after which the  
communicant responds **Amen***

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

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

*Post Communion Hymn: 274 A&M (10am only) (please kneel if possible)*

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| 1. Father, we adore you,<br>Lay our lives before you:<br>How we love you! | 2. Jesus, we adore you,<br>Lay our lives before you:<br>How we love you! |
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3. Spirit, we adore you,  
Lay our lives before you:  
How we love you!

Words: Terrye Coelho 1952-  
Ancient & Modern  
Hymns and Songs for Refreshing Worship

## THE SENDING OUT OF GOD'S PEOPLE

*The priest says*

Almighty and eternal God,  
may we who have received this sacrament  
of your Son's body and blood  
worship you in all we do,  
proclaim your word to all the world,  
and live in the power of your Spirit.

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: 272 A&M (10am only)*

1. Father, Lord of earth and heaven,  
King to whom all gifts belong,  
Give your greatest Gift, your Spirit,  
God the Holy, God the Strong.
2. Son of God, enthroned in glory,  
Send your promised Gift of grace,  
Make your Church Your Holy Temple,  
God the Spirit's dwelling place.
3. Spirit, come, in peace descending  
As at Jordan, heav'nly Dove,  
Seal Your Church as God's anointed,  
Set our hearts on fire with love.

4. Stay among us God the Father,  
Stay among us God the Son,  
Stay among us Holy Spirit:  
Dwell within us, make us one.

Words: James Quinn SJ 1919-2010  
Hymns Ancient & Modern

*The priest says*

God the Father,  
who first loved us and made us accepted in the beloved Son,  
bless you. **Amen.**

God the Son,  
who loved us and washed us from our sins in his own blood,  
bless you. **Amen.**

God the Holy Spirit,  
who sheds abroad the love of God in our hearts,  
bless you. **Amen.**

The blessing of the one true God,  
to whom be all love and all glory for time and for eternity,  
come down 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.**

From a Prayer Book for Australia.  
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You are welcome to stay and enjoy a cuppa  
and a chat in the Hall after the 10am service!

### PARISH ANNIVERSARIES DURING THE WEEK

*Happy Birthday!* Piper van der Hilst – 13 June





## The Melbourne Anglican (TMA)

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

This edition includes articles on:



- The world seems to be on the 'precipice of a new tyranny' Archbishop Freier reflects in his first Conversation with the Archbishop for 2017, with Barry Jones AC, Fiona McLeod and John Cleary; and an interview with Barry Jones about epiphanies, our moral challenges and Donald Trump;
- Memorial service for the victims of the recent Manchester bombing; and a viewpoint relating to the killing of Coptic Christians;
- How Christians can survive the World's 'perfect storm' of global unrest;
- Church agencies respond to the Federal and Victorian Budgets;
- Lou Richards' gratitude for life recalled at St Paul's State Funeral;
- Ecumenical body condemns latest 'shaming' of asylum seekers;
- Christians sign climate petition; and a viewpoint, 'Adani coal mine would intensify climate crisis';
- Viewpoints 'Making a stand for truth in a post-truth era', and 'Challenging the prevailing secularist narrative';
- Bishop Brad Billings reflects on his Holy Week Pilgrimage in the Holy Land;
- St Paul's Cathedral Melbourne appeals to Anglicans for financial support.

### Working Bee!

Our next working bee to tidy the gardens around the Church will be held on Saturday 24 June at gam (weather permitting!).



Helpers are needed so please come and join us! Morning tea provided.

### On the road to 150...

As a lead-up to our 150th celebrations we will revisit some services on the last Sunday of the months as we move towards September.

Our next special service will be held on Sunday 25 June – From the Deposited Prayer Book of 1928.

## The Great Commission

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." Matthew 28:19-20 (NIV)

Based on Matthew 28:16-20

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