

Parish Prayers

Praise God with **Scripture Union** that this year's annual budget has been covered. Pray for **Leanne Palmer** [engagement and equipping] as she connects with local churches encouraging and equipping them as they work with their young people.

For **S**, for concentration and energy as she does intensive professional training.

Please pray for **Sam** who is travelling in Tanzania. She will be visiting the Barbara May Foundation hospital, climbing Mt Kilimanjaro and opening a new hospital in Ethiopia.

Pray for the staff team at **Ridley College** who work in online and outreach activities as they seek to provide relevant and engaging programs.

Pray for **BCA and Barneys Anglican Church, Launceston** as they provide support for people from many countries. Pray for the Victorian regional branch, for Rev. Adrian Lane and Bob Barclay, and for the Sale affiliates, the Lanham family and their ministry at Gippsland Grammar.

Please keep **Shirley**, all her family and carers in your prayers; at 93 she has many health issues and is trying to balance medications for her needs.

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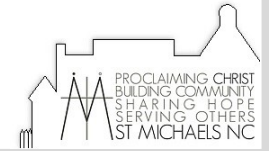
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This Week

July 16



Creating Margins - Time for celebration

When I was asked to talk about creating time for celebration it seemed logical that we needed to do that in our Sunday worship on this day. The Bible shows us that celebration - recognising, valuing and marking happenings and relationships - matters to God and to us. So, welcome to St Michael's mid-winter celebrations as we break our fast together on the way to the 10am service and share dinner during the 5.30pm service.



10am Holy Communion Service

Leading: Melanie
Speaking: Dianne
Deut 16:1-12 Marilyn
Luke 5:27-32 Tony
Music: Steve
Prayers: Dianne
Welcome: Peter
Kids' Church: School Holidays

5:30pm Prayer and Praise Service

Leading: Hannah
Speaking: Dianne
Deut 16:1-12 Lachlan
Luke 5:27-32 Catherine
Prayers: Catherine
Music: Graham
Welcome: Steve
Afternoon Tea: Fred and Catherine
Powerpoint: Su-Hsien

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For Your Diary

July 22 | Evangelical Women in Academia conference for women | 9-4pm, Ridley
 September 11 | BCA event with David and Crystal Fell | 6pm, St Jude's
 October 21 | Annual Community Concert | 6.30pm & 8.30pm, St Michael's
More information about these events can be found on the website

Knitting for Asylum Seekers

Thank you for all your knitting so far! Our knitting project is continuing! You can find wool, patterns and needles in the bag at the back of the church. We have several winter months ahead of us yet, so please keep knitting!

Asylum Seeker Resource Centre

During winter, donations to the ASRC reduce. You can help by donating Coles brand Comfybot nappies (in all sizes), unscented baby wipes, and gift cards (to buy heaters and other winter essentials!). Please also continue your regular donations in the tubs in the foyer.

NOTE: We do not accept donations of clothing for the ASRC, please do not leave any items of clothing in the foyer.

July TMA

This month's issue includes articles about: Mullum Mullum Anglicans in Ringwood, rejoicing in their revitalised church; the Church being criticised over treatment of women and denying them equality with men; and the Anglican Church embracing the Uluru Statement.



Hello from Kylie

She has just emerged from the crazy end of financial year working for an accountancy firm. She continues to enjoy the peace and rest of re-entry to her home world. She finds the cold very hard but this will be relieved by a late July visit to Darwin to see her parents.

Sgt Pepper's Lonely Hearts

It's been 10 years since our first annual community live music concert when a band of St Michael's members played the great hits of The Beatles to a crowd of about 200 people and raised money for TEAR Australia. It just so happens that it is also 50 years since The Beatles released one of their most famous albums, Sgt Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band. So this year, we will stage two concerts in the church space on October 21 at 6.30pm and 8.30pm, and the band will perform that great album from start to finish for you and your friends to enjoy. The ticket arrangements will be announced this Sunday. Stay tuned!



Conversations that make a difference

Is it still possible to talk about religion in public? How do we engage our religious convictions while listening to each other?

Andrew West (ABC Radio National), and Janet McCalman (UniMelb) will be discussing the place of religion in public discussions on Friday July 21 at 7.00pm at the Church of All Nations, Carlton. Tickets are \$20 waged/\$10 unwaged, available at thinkfaith.blog or on the door.

Parish Council Highlights

The recent meeting of parish council reports the following:

- next stages of vision/action plan implementation include i) prayers for healing and help during services in Term 4; ii) learning what "proclaiming Christ" should look like in our context
- a new annual ministry budget for October 1 has been drafted for decisions at the August meeting.
- Wardens and Vicar will look at new Professional Standards laws and regulations to ensure we implement best practice for a child-safe environment.
- a project team for replacement of the perimeter fence will be formed this month to see the fence replaced in September this year.
- The Rev'd Greg Davies will be the acting Vicar during Steve's long service leave from 16 August to 20 September.

10am	July 23	July 30
Leader	Greg D	Di A
Speaker	Chris A	Steve W
Front of House	Dianne S Shelley K	Noelene H Bill T
Welcome	Suzy D	Melanie M
OT Reading	N/A	N/A
NT Reading	Melanie M	N/A
Gospel	Suzy D	N/A
Prayers	Dianne S	Sam A
Music	Janette A	Hutchinsons
Flowers	Maryann L	Cindy S
Lawn	Su-Hsien K	Su-Hsien K
Kid's Church	Hannah C	Shelley K
Morning Tea	Di A Gillian B Audrey L	Sharyn Y Jacqui W Lorraine T

5:30pm	July 23	July 30
Leader	Jacob E	Ann-Michel G
Speaker	Chris A	Steve W
Welcome	Chris W	Su-Hsien
Reading 1	Julian Mc	N/A
Reading 2	Diana S	N/A
Prayers	Su-Hsien K	Catherine M
Music	Sam E	TBA
Afternoon Tea	Penne W Cathy W	Rhonda E
PowerPoint	Micah E	Catherine W