



ANGLICAN PARISH OF BOX HILL

19 June 2022

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Parish
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Reverend Anne writes...

Welcome to The Anglican Parish of Box Hill. We hope you will enjoy your visit, whether it be in person, on-line, or browsing the Web!

After our celebrations of Easter and the Easter Season, the Feast of the Ascension, Pentecost Sunday and finally Trinity Sunday last week, we now enter the long 'green' season of Sundays after Pentecost.

Green is the colour of growth and renewal, and as we hear the words of the Gospel of St Luke we will come face-to-face with many of the stories Jesus told to teach the principles of our Christian faith.

We'll learn about the people Jesus met, how those personal confrontations with God's Son changed the lives of so many individuals, and we'll also come to understand the cost of discipleship. The words of Luke have been heard throughout two millennia – can they still relate to us today in our busy world of speed, materialism and technology? I think they are a wonderful reminder of the need for listening and responding to those who are seeking compassion, care, and love in our communities.

So, join us, wherever you are, to learn about Jesus Christ, and how he continues to change the world, and us, as people of God, surrounded by the Holy Spirit!



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4th Sunday of the month: retiring collection for parish outreach

Sentence: God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; and he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. Acts 10.38

Prayer of the Day

Pour out upon us, O God, the power and wisdom of your Spirit, so that we, who have been baptised into Christ and made your children through faith, may know your Son's power to heal, and, being made one in him, may overcome all barriers that divide us; through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

First Reading: 1 Kings 19.1-4, 19.8-15 a

¹ Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done, and how he had killed all the prophets with the sword. ² Then Jezebel sent a messenger to Elijah, saying, 'So may the gods do to me, and more also, if I do not make your life like the life of one of them by this time tomorrow.' ³ Then he was afraid; he got up and fled for his life, and came to Beer-sheba, which belongs to Judah; he left his servant there. ⁴ But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die: 'It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors.' ⁸ He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food for forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God. ⁹ At that place he came to a cave, and spent the night there. Then the word of the Lord came to him, saying, 'What are you doing here, Elijah?' ¹⁰ He answered, 'I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.' ¹¹ He said, 'Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by.' Now there was a great wind, so strong that it was splitting mountains and breaking rocks in pieces before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind; and after the wind an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake; ¹² and after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire; and after the fire a sound of sheer silence. ¹³ When Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his mantle and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. Then there came a voice to him that said, 'What are you doing here, Elijah?' ¹⁴ He answered, 'I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.' ¹⁵ Then the Lord said to him, 'Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram.'

For the word of the Lord, **thanks be to God**

Psalm: 42; 43

¹ As a deer longs for the running brooks: **so longs my soul for you, O God.**

² My soul is thirsty for God, thirsty for the living God:
when shall I come and see his face?

- ³ My tears have been my food day and night:
while they ask me all day long ‘Where now is your God?’
- ⁴ As I pour out my soul by myself, I remember this:
how I went to the house of the Mighty One, into the temple of God,
- ⁵ To the shouts and songs of thanksgiving: **a multitude keeping high festival.**
- ⁶ Why are you so full of heaviness, my soul: **and why so unquiet within me?**
- ⁷ O put your trust in God:
for I will praise him yet, who is my deliverer and my God.
- ⁸ My soul is heavy within me:
therefore I will remember you from the land of Jordan,
from Mizar among the hills of Hermon.
- ⁹ Deep calls to deep in the roar of your waters:
all your waves and breakers have gone over me.
- ¹⁰ Surely the Lord will grant his loving mercy in the day-time:
and in the night his song will be with me, a prayer to the God of my life.
- ¹¹ I will say to God, my rock, ‘Why have you forgotten me:
why must I go like a mourner because the enemy oppresses me?’
- ¹² Like a sword through my bones, my enemies have mocked me:
while they ask me all day long ‘Where now is your God?’
- ¹³ Why are you so full of heaviness, my soul: **and why so unquiet within me?**
- ¹⁴ O put your trust in God:
for I will praise him yet, who is my deliverer and my God.

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- ¹ Give judgement for me, O God, take up my cause against an ungodly people:
deliver me from the deceitful and unjust.
- ² For you are God my refuge – why have you turned me away:
why must I go like a mourner because the enemy oppresses me?
- ³ O send out your light and your truth, and let them lead me:
let them guide me to your holy hill and to your dwelling.
- ⁴ Then I shall go to the altar of God, to God my joy and my delight:
and to the harp I shall sing your praises, O God, my God.
- ⁵ Why are you so full of heaviness, my soul: **and why so unquiet within me?**
- ⁶ O put your trust in God:
for I will praise him yet, who is my deliverer and my God.

Second Reading: Galatians 3.10-14, 3.23-29

- ¹⁰ For all who rely on the works of the law are under a curse; for it is written, ‘Cursed is everyone who does not observe and obey all the things written in the book of the law.’ ¹¹ Now it is evident that no one is justified before God by the law; for ‘The one who is righteous will live by faith.’ ¹² But the law does not rest on faith; on the contrary, ‘Whoever does the works of the law will live by them.’ ¹³ Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us – for it is written, ‘Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree’ – ¹⁴ in order that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith. ²³ Now before faith came, we were imprisoned

and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed.²⁴ Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith.²⁵ But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian,²⁶ for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith.²⁷ As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.²⁸ There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus.²⁹ And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

For the word of the Lord, **thanks be to God**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Luke, Chapter 26, beginning at Verse 26

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

²⁶ Then they arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee.²⁷ As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs.²⁸ When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, 'What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me' –²⁹ for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.)³⁰ Jesus then asked him, 'What is your name?' He said, 'Legion'; for many demons had entered him.³¹ They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss.³² Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission.³³ Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.³⁴ When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country.³⁵ Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid.³⁶ Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed.³⁷ Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned.³⁸ The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying,³⁹ 'Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you.' So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

For the Gospel of our Lord, **praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**

Prayer of the Week

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and give more than either we desire or deserve: pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is

afraid, and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask, save through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ, your Son our Lord. Amen.

Years Mind

Ottlie Shepherd, Kathleen Westrup, Dorothy Beattie, Harry Hillas, Mae Williams, Eldred Eveleigh, George Gledhill, Dorothy Bartlett, and Mary McPherson whose anniversaries occur at this time.



Prayer Points

The Church: Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan (Abp Justin Badi Arama, Primate); The Anglican Church of Australia (Primate Abp Geoffrey Smith, General Secretary Anne Hywood, the General Synod & the Standing Committee); Chaplain to Anglican Centre staff (Heather Cetrangolo); City on a Hill Surf Coast (Louis Glazebrook); St Agnes Glen Huntly – Pastoral Service (Bp Genieve Blackwell); St James' Ivanhoe – Confirmation Service (Bp Genieve Blackwell); Yarraville Parish - Pastoral Visit (Bp Kate Prowd).

The Parish: Give thanks for our clergy and the work they do.

The World: Pray for all those working for peace in Ukraine, Syria and Sudan

The Nation: Pray for the healing of those with mental illness and for their families.

Daily Readings

Monday	2 Kings 17.1-18	Ps 60	Matthew 7.1-5
Tuesday	2 Kings 19.8-20, 29-36	Ps 48.1-8	Matthew 7.6, 12-14
Wednesday	2 Kings 22.8-13, 23.1-3	Ps 119.33-40	Matthew 7.15-20
Thursday	2 Kings 24.8-17	Ps 79.1-9	Matthew 7.21-19
Friday	2 Kings 25.1-12	Ps 137.1-6	Matthew 8.1-4
Saturday	Lamentations 2.1-10	Ps 74.1-11	Matthew 8.5-17



If you have anything you would like included in the Parish Link Notices, please let Cecilia know in writing before Thursday at anglicans.boxhill@bigpond.com



GREEN TIP OF THE WEEK

Disposable food containers and cups made from expanded polystyrene can't be readily recycled and, after only a few minutes' use, will end up piling up in landfills.

COMMUNITY FAIR, ST PAUL'S CANTERBURY

St Peter's will be having a collectibles stall at this fair. See Hilary for more details.
Where: Church St, Canterbury
When: July 2, 10.am – 2.00pm

ST PETER'S PATRONAL FESTIVAL

Our patronal festival is on **July 3**. The 11.00am service will be the only service in the parish on that day and there will be a guest preacher, Bishop Alison Taylor, with lunch in the hall afterwards.

The next edition of "**The Good News**" is being prepared and you are invited to submit articles, reviews or other material to Rev'd Anne before the end of June.

FASHION PARADE *this week!*

Just when you thought things were looking a little bleak, along comes Blume's Fashion Parade to cheer you up!

Lots of Specials available!

Undercroft, 1.30pm on **Wednesday, June 22**.

Enquiries : Jan Gunst (See notice on board at the back of the church.)



ROSTERS

It is time to put together the July-December, 2022 roster so Michele would appreciate if you could let her know ASAP whether you are willing to participate in any of the nominated areas i.e. Flowers, Sidespersons, Readers, Counting, and Morning Tea. Alternatively, if you no longer wish to participate on a roster, could you let Michele know. In addition, Sophia has offered to continue her turn with the intercessions; if someone will offer to read them at the service she will put them together.

Please let Michele know by the end of today about the roster.

TO MAKE YOU SMILE...

Bill Gates dies and goes to heaven, where Saint Peter gives him a nice, modern six-bedroom house with a pretty garden and a tennis court. Pleased with his lot, Bill quickly settles into the afterlife.

One day he is out walking when he bumps into a man wearing a fine tailored suit. "That's really nice," says Bill. "Where did you get it?"

"Actually," says the man, "I was given 50 of these, plus two mansions, a yacht, a golf course and four Rolls-Royces."

"Wow, were you a pope or a doctor healing the terminally ill?" asks Bill.

"No, I was the captain of the Titanic."

Bill storms off to see Saint Peter. "How come the captain of a sunken ship gets all that while I, the inventor of the Windows Operating System gets a crummy little house?" he asks.

Saint Peter replies, "The Titanic only crashed once."

Week Ahead

SUNDAY 19.6.22

8.00am Eucharist, **9.30am** Eucharist
11.30am Mandarin service
2.30pm Dinka service
2.30-4.30pm Prayers in Mandarin, *St Aidan's*
5.00am Farsi Service, *St Aidan's*

MON 20.6.22

9.30-10.30am Tai Chi *hall*
6.30-8.30pm Tai Chi *hall*

TUES 21.06.22

8.30am-12.30pm Office open
9.00-1.00pm Men at Work
6.00-8.00pm Bellydancing, *hall*

WED 22.06.22

10.30am NO MORNING SERVICE
10-11.30am Tai Chi *hall*
1.30pm Blume's Fashion Parade and sales
8.00-9.00pm Choir practice, *Undercroft*

THU 23.06.22

9.00am-1.00pm Office open
1.30pm Blume's Fashion Parade
6.30-9.30pm Crossways ESL, *hall*

FRI 24.06.22

7.30am Eucharist
5.30-9.30pm Mandarin Prayer Group

SAT 25.06.21

10.30am-1.30pm Saturday School, *hall* and *Undercroft*

SUNDAY 26.06.22

8.00am Eucharist, **9.30am** Eucharist
11.30am Mandarin service
2.30pm Dinka service
2.30-4.30pm Prayers in Mandarin, *St Aidan's*
5.00pm Farsi Service, *St Aidan's*

For the Diary

June 22

Blume's Fashion Parade and sales,
Undercroft 1.30pm

July 2

Community Fair, St Paul's Canterbury

July 3

Patronal Festival
Combined service 11.00am

July 9

Piano set up and concert 4.30-8.30pm

July 23

Bumblebee set up and concert 1.30-4.30pm

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OUR INFORMATION

FIRST AID KIT – Located in the office and kitchen.

TOILETS – Located in the Church Hall and in the church building through the church doors front right.

WHEELCHAIR – Located in the toilet for the disabled upstairs.

FIRE & EMERGENCY – Please make yourself aware of the nearest escape route in the event of an emergency or fire.

OH&S – Please ensure that any incidents/accidents are reported to the Vicar or Wardens and incident report completed.



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Tues 8.30am – 12.30pm

Thu 9.00am – 1.00pm

Mission Statement

Sharing the Good News

Telling the story afresh

Expressing God's love

Serving the community

Nurturing and sharing faith

Equipping to serve

Vision

To ensure that there continues to be a living, committed, communal Anglican presence of liturgical celebration, nurture and outreach in Box Hill.

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Roster for 9.30am service

	Today 19.6.22	Next week 26.6.22
SIDESPEOPLE	Michele M, Barbara P	Elizabeth B, Rosemary S
SERVERS	Rosemary S, Elizabeth B, <i>Kim C</i>	Michele M, Rosemary S, <i>Kim C</i>
READERS	Keith W, <i>Kim C</i>	Hilary B, Jan G
INTERCESSOR	Michele M	Keith W
COUNTING	Ken McD, Charles B	Lyn B, Ted G
MORNING TEA	Cecilia , Margaret R, Jan G, Jennifer F	Barbara P, Michele M, Keith W, Dianne A,

Reporting Child Abuse

All child safety concerns must be reported to

Kooyoora Professional Standards

1800 135 246

St Peter's is part of the Anglican Church of Australia and the worldwide Anglican Communion.
St Peter's church is on the land of the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin nation and we acknowledge them as the traditional custodians of this land.