

St Paul's Cathedral, Sale

St Alban's Kilmany, St Anne's Golden Beach & St Mark's Loch Sport

We acknowledge the Gunaikurnai people as the original custodians of this region. All churches of the parish stand on the lands of the Gunaikurnai people.

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Cathedral Parish Vision: People of Christian faith –

14th April 2024

Encouraging connection between the Divine and the everyday.

Easter 3

Sentence of Scripture

Turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord. *Acts 3.19–20*

Prayer of the Day

Lord of life,

by submitting to death, you conquered the grave;
by being lifted upon the cross, you draw all peoples to you;
by being raised from the dead,
you restore to humanity all that was lost through sin:
be with us in your risen power,
that in word and deed we may proclaim
the marvellous mystery of death and resurrection.
For all praise is yours, now and throughout eternity

Amen

Holy Communion Services at St Paul's:

Sundays - 8.00am and 10.00am Wednesdays - 10.00am in the Lady Chapel

Sunday Evenings 3rd Sunday of the month @ 5pm Contemplative Service

Morning prayer 9am on Fridays

Outcentre Services:

St Anne's Golden Beach 10.30am 1st Sunday & 3rd Sunday of the month

St Alban's Kilmany 2.00pm 3rd Sunday of the month (Not in December or January)

St Mark's Loch Sport Services only at Easter and Christmas

Zoom Links: Evening Prayer: Daily at 5.30pm - 6.00pm

Meeting ID: 879 3927 8803 Passcode: Prayer

Meditation: Weekdays: silent Christian Meditation, 8.15am-8.45am

Meeting ID: 809 497 711 Passcode: 600361

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Cathedral Prayer Chain Requests
Please contact Rev'd Kate Campbell 0402514829
The prayer chain is for anyone in need of prayer

Our parish is committed to ensuring our centres of worship and outreach are safe places for all, especially children and vulnerable people. We have a duty of care to protect all who participate in the life of the church from abuse. We have zero tolerance for abuse of any kind.

If you are concerned about your own or somebody else's safety, or have witnessed behaviour that makes you feel uncomfortable you can contact the Deputy Director of Professional Standards in the Gippsland Diocese, Julie Reilly Mobile: 0456 572 589 Email: julie@kooyoora.org.au You may also like to talk to the Dean or the Lay Canons, or if this is a really serious matter, go directly to the police, and then to the above.

Please pray for our supported student Moses Baiduduga at Newton College PNG.

A Reading from The Acts of the Apostles

When Peter saw it, he addressed the people, 'You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you. 'And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, and that he may send the Messiah appointed for you, that is, Jesus, Acts 3.12-20

Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Psalm 4

Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness:

when I was hard-pressed you set me free;

be gracious to me now and hear my prayer.

Children of earth, how long will you turn my glory to my shame:

how long will you love what is worthless and seek after lies?

Know that the Lord has shown me his wonderful kindness:

when I call to the Lord he will hear me.

Tremble, and do no sin:

commune with your own heart upon your bed and be still.

Offer the sacrifices that are right:

and put your trust in the Lord.

There are many who say 'Who will show us any good?:

the light of your countenance, O Lord, has gone from us.'

Yet you have given my heart more gladness:

that they have when their corn, wine and oil increase.

In peace I will lie down and sleep:

for you alone, Lord, make me dwell in safety.

A Reading from The First Letter of John

Do not love the world or the things in the world. The love of the Father is not in those who love the world; for all that is in the world—the desire of the flesh, the desire of the eyes, the pride in riches—comes not from the Father but from the world. And the world and its desire are passing away, but those who do the will of God live for ever. See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure. Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him.

1 John 2.15-17; 3.1-6

Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

While they were talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, 'Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.' And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, 'Have you anything here to eat?' They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence. Then he said to them, 'These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.' Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, 'Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. Luke 24.36b-48

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

Reflection:

The Psalmist assures us that knowing Christ's presence takes away shame and brings refreshing, gladness and peace. Today we are reminded that Jesus stood among his disciples and helped them to see his truth. As his witnesses, we stand among others who are disbelieving and still wondering and we show them the presence of the risen Jesus in the world through our transformed lives.

- Lord, help us to welcome your transforming presence in our lives and give us the courage to make you visible to a suffering world.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Primate of the Anglican Church of Australia, the Most Rev Geoff Smith

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Welcome to Lachlan Redd

This morning we welcome Lachlan Redd, sub-organist at St Paul's Cathedral, Melbourne, who is on very generous loan to us one weekend a month. Lachlan has extensive experience teaching piano and organ across Melbourne, and will be offering organ lessons here! Please make him welcome!

St Paul's Hymnlovers

After last year's great success, we're once again inviting everyone to fill out your favourite hymn choices on the slips provided and return them to Keren. Your favourite hymns will be scheduled Sunday by Sunday from July.

Iain Miller Memorial Service is at 3pm on the 19th April. This will be livestreamed via our usual St Paul livestream, or via this link: https://youtube.com/live/6EjG-KquBPM

Beryl Morris' (Christine's mother) funeral held last week is also on line, https://www.nielsenfunerals.com.au/berylmorris, a very unique but fitting service for a 98 yr old who fitted an incredible lot into her life.

Chapter news

Chapter began discussing the First of the Five Marks of MIssion of the Anglican Communion - "To proclaim the Good News of the Kingdom"

The **Dean's Scholarships** have been given to Jessica and Caroline Martin for 2024. We congratulate them and look forward to hearing them sing and play instruments.

The **Music Foundation** will have their official launch with a **Saturday Soiree** on **Saturday 4**th **May** at 5pm. The program will feature a range of music, harp, organ, voice and piano followed by drinks and nibbles. Tickets are \$20, \$15 concession on https://trybooking.com/CQUIH

On **Sunday 5th May** @ 2.30pm Lachlan Redd sub-organist from St. Paul's Cathedral Melbourne will perform a **short concert showcasing our organ**. Free entry so invite your family and friends.

Mavis Jennings recently passed away and we will be holding a memorial service for her and Bill on 11th May at 3pm.

This year marks the **140th anniversary of St. Paul's Cathedral** and we will have a special service on 13th October.

Cathedral Prayer Chain Requests Please contact Rev'd Kate Campbell 0402514829 until the end of April.

Wanderers: Wanderers are meeting for lunch at the Berry Farm Maffra at 12noon on Friday 19th April. All welcome. Contact Jan on 0421605461.

Mission of the Month: ACTinG

ACTinG (Acting on Climate Together in Gippsland) is a small group with a big purpose:

to inspire, encourage and equip Gippsland Anglicans as we: learn about climate change;

- study the theology of creation;
- reduce our emissions in households, churches, schools and agencies;
- and act and pray for the good of Earth and all creatures.'

On our web pages, find book titles on the theology of creation and a Christian response to climate change; links to helpful websites; prayers; and practical tips for homes and churches. Go to gippslandanglicans.org.au and click on the 'Acting on Climate' tab. Paper brochures about ACTinG, including practical tips, are also available from the table as you enter the church.

Please wear your namebadge, to the services as well as to morning tea, so we can all get to know your names. If you don't have one, see Christine.

Morning prayer

Please join Dean Keren in the Cathedral for Morning Prayer every Friday at 9am. We'll pray for our parish and diocese, and any other concerns pray-ers may have!

The (10am) service each week is live streamed. (Search St Paul's Cathedral Sale when in YouTube) https://www.youtube.com/@stpaulscathedralsale/streams

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Our new projector has finally been installed. Some of the technical side yet to be sorted, but it is in!! The lead from it had to go through the top of the pole it is attached to, the men were on their tippy toes with the lift on maximin height to do this – not a job for the faint hearted! Then the cable has been run directly to the back corner, so we are plugging directly to the projector with an updated system. You will be able to SEE photos on the screen now!

Next week we hope the internet will arrive in the hall.

Gippsland Grammar are performing the musical "Catch Me If You Can"

at Gippsland Grammar Garnsey Hall on 18th, 19th and 20th April at 7pm and a 2pm matinee on Saturday 20th April.

Tickets can be purchased on Trybooking. trybooking.com/COATP
Let's support these students, and our wonderful musicians by attending.

