



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 –
Encouraging connection between the Divine and the everyday."*

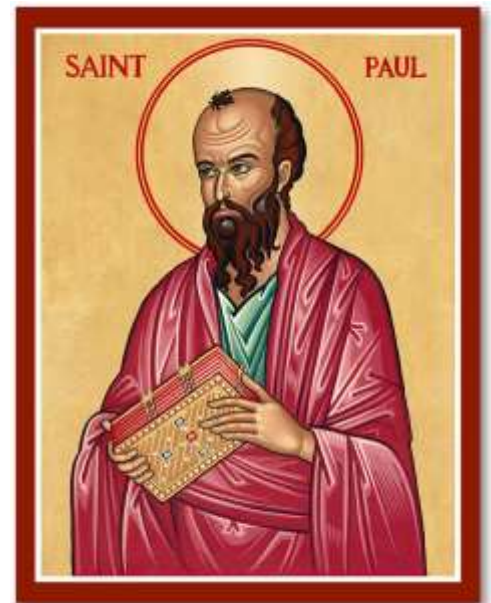
**25th June 2023
St. Paul & Peter**

Sentence of Scripture

'My grace is sufficient for you,' says the Lord,
'for my power is made perfect in weakness.' *2 Corinthians 12.9*

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God,
whose apostles Peter and Paul
glorified you in their deaths as in their lives:
grant that your Church,
inspired by their teaching and example,
and knit together in unity by your Spirit,
may ever stand firm upon the one foundation,
your Son Jesus Christ our Lord;
who lives and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **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**

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

St Mark's Loch Sport 10.30am 4th Sunday of the month

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 Trish Broadbear 0418 104 840

The prayer chain is for anyone in need of prayer

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

A Reading from The Acts of the Apostles

Meanwhile Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, 'Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?' He asked, 'Who are you, Lord?' The reply came, 'I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do.' The men who were travelling with him stood speechless because they heard the voice but saw no one. Saul got up from the ground, and though his eyes were open, he could see nothing; so they led him by the hand and brought him into Damascus. For three days he was without sight, and neither ate nor drank.

Now there was a disciple in Damascus named Ananias. The Lord said to him in a vision, 'Ananias.' He answered, 'Here I am, Lord.' The Lord said to him, 'Get up and go to the street called Straight, and at the house of Judas look for a man of Tarsus named Saul. At this moment he is praying, and he has seen in a vision a man named Ananias come in and lay his hands on him so that he might regain his sight.' But Ananias answered, 'Lord, I have heard from many about this man, how much evil he has done to your saints in Jerusalem; and here he has authority from the chief priests to bind all who invoke your name.' But the Lord said to him, 'Go, for he is an instrument whom I have chosen to bring my name before Gentiles and kings and before the people of Israel; I myself will show him how much he must suffer for the sake of my name.' So Ananias went and entered the house. He laid his hands on Saul and said, 'Brother Saul, the Lord Jesus, who appeared to you on your way here, has sent me so that you may regain your sight and be filled with the Holy Spirit.' And immediately something like scales fell from his eyes, and his sight was restored. Then he got up and was baptized, and after taking some food, he regained his strength.

For several days he was with the disciples in Damascus, and immediately he began to proclaim Jesus in the synagogues, saying, 'He is the Son of God.' All who heard him were amazed and said, 'Is not this the man who made havoc in Jerusalem among those who invoked this name? And has he not come here for the purpose of bringing them bound before the chief priests?' Saul became increasingly more powerful and confounded the Jews who lived in Damascus by proving that Jesus was the Messiah. *Acts 9:1-22*

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

Psalm 87

He has founded it upon a holy hill:
**and the Lord loves the gates of Zion
more than all the dwellings of Jacob.**

Glorious things shall be spoken of you:

O Zion, city of our God.

I might speak of my kindred in Egypt or in Babylon:

in Philistia, Tyre or Nubia, where each was born.

But of Zion it shall be said:

many were born in her,

he that is Most High has established her.

When the Lord draws up the record of the nations:

he shall take note where everyone was born.

And the singers and the dancers together:

shall make their song to your name.

A Reading from The Second letter of Paul to Timothy

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory for ever and ever. Amen. *2 Timothy 4.6-8, 17-18*

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The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, ‘Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?’ He said to him, ‘Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.’ Jesus said to him, ‘Feed my lambs.’ A second time he said to him, ‘Simon son of John, do you love me?’ He said to him, ‘Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.’ Jesus said to him, ‘Tend my sheep.’ He said to him the third time, ‘Simon son of John, do you love me?’ Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, ‘Do you love me?’ And he said to him, ‘Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.’ Jesus said to him, ‘Feed my sheep. Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.’ (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, ‘Follow me.’ Peter turned and saw the disciple whom Jesus loved following them; he was the one who had reclined next to Jesus at the supper and had said, ‘Lord, who is it that is going to betray you?’ When Peter saw him, he said to Jesus, ‘Lord, what about him?’ Jesus said to him, ‘If it is my will that he remain until I come, what is that to you? Follow me!’ *John 21.15-22*

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

Reflection: (by members of St Paul’s during May – July)

(reflecting on Acts 12.1-11 which we swapped for an Acts reading about Paul)

To quote William Cowper ‘God moves in a mysterious way / His wonders to perform’. How true this is when we consider Peter, bound and heavily guarded, being led by an angel of the Lord from his prison cell and Herod’s tyranny to freedom. Do you think Peter was praying for a miracle? A.M. Hunter says, ‘True prayer and anxious care cannot co-exist: the way to be anxious about nothing is to be prayerful about everything’.

- Pray that we ask with child-like faith for his direction, knowing that the God of Love hears us.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea.

Text: Trish B St Paul’s Cathedral, Sale

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Our love and prayers are with Vivienne Martin and all family and friends of John Martin. John’s funeral will be held at St Paul’s on Tuesday We are catering for his wake.

Congratulations to Chloe Hollonds and Brian Lambourn as they celebrate their wedding today. They have shared their special flowers with us this morning as well.

Free Educational **Webinar** for Gippsland Anglicans - **Yarning About The Referendum**. Guest speaker, The Revd Canon Associate Professor Uncle Glenn Loughrey will join Bishop Richard Treloar, The Revd Canon Aunty Phyllis Andy and The Revd Kathy Dalton to discuss some perspectives on the upcoming Referendum 2023 that will ask the question, "A Proposed Law: to alter the Constitution to recognise the First Peoples of Australia by establishing an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Voice. Do you approve this proposed alteration?" Tuesday, 4th July, 7:30-9:00 PM on Zoom. Visit www.gippslandanglicans.org.au to register. This webinar is supports the Diocesan Vision 2021-2024.

Free Educational **Webinar** for Gippsland Anglicans - **Practical pro-climate action for homes**. You are invited to join in a free educational webinar Practical pro-climate action for homes. Guest presenters, Richard Connelly and Dr Ann Miller will discuss sustainable changes they have made to their homes in Gippsland that support a healthier climate. Wednesday, 19th July, 7-8 PM on Zoom. Visit www.gippslandanglicans.org.au to register. This webinar is brought to you by ACTinG and supports the Diocesan Vision 2021-2024.

25th June 2023 Today's hymns are brought to you by...		
Hymn	Name	It's my favourite because...
Lord of all hopefulness	Rob Smith	The words and music in combination evoke quite an emotional response in me (almost teary), the message is most comforting.
All for Jesus	Trish Broadbear	This hymn is from John Stainer's Crucifixion, which is very dear to me.
Come as you are	Marion Hector Lorraine Glover Alan Rowe	It says I'm ready when you are, Lord. Great encouragement to me. I feel the presence of the Lord when singing this hymn.
Who would true valour see	Cynthia Grove Jeremy Stokoe	A song of strength in times of trouble. Masculine spirituality by John Bunyan (rare in today's church)

Meetings:

2nd July at 9.30pm for everyone on the roster for **Breakfast and Morning Tea**.
If you have any questions please speak with Keren or Lyn W.

Safe Ministry and the Child Safe Standards Wednesday 28th June at 2pm

Children's Ministry Meeting Saturday 1st July at 3pm

Art Show 2pm & Property team 3.30pm Monday 3rd July

Pastoral Care Wednesday 12th July

Events at St Paul's:

An Art Show from 19th August to 1st September.

Plant Sale on 14th October.

Quiet Days will be held on October 21st; December 2nd

Month of June Mission: Mission to Seafarers

We are collecting beanies, gloves and warm socks. Knitting patterns available, even wool!

Victoria: <https://missiontoseafarers.com.au/> Australia: <https://www.mts.org.au/>

Plant Sale 14th October. We are looking for potted plants, seedlings, both vegetable and flowers, ornaments, hanging baskets, garden tools, pots and potting mix. It's time to start getting these things ready through the next months. For further details contact Nancy 0417554435 or Jan Lear 0421605461. We will also be looking for volunteers to help on the day.

Ministry with Children and Families

Loving God,

We come to you seeking your guidance and wisdom as we embark in the children's ministry. Please grant us clarity of purpose and direction and help us to discern the right path to take. Bless our efforts and may our work be a source of joy and inspiration to the families we seek to serve. **Amen**

Safe ministry training

A number of parishioners need to update their safe ministry training as it has expired or is about to.

This can be done online at <https://adg.smo.org.au/training>. Or at the face to face workshops which are taking place in various locations: **booking through trybooking only. ENQUIRIES ONLY TO REGISTRY.**

Drouin. Christ Church Anglican Church Date: Friday 7th July. 2pm - 5pm

Book at <https://www.trybooking.com/CGDLM> Booking closes Wed 5th July

SALE. ST.PAUL'S CATHEDRAL.(Refresher)

FRID 11TH AUGUST 5PM - 8PM

BOOK AT <https://www.trybooking.com/CGDLQ> Booking closes Wed 9 August

Please talk to me on 0427 445866 or tarkaan@bigpond.com Ann Miller

Reminder if you wish to volunteer at the Plant Fair or Book Fair, you need to have completed this training as well as all other safe ministry requirements.

Coming soon at the Abbey



Enneagram Retreat July 14th – 16th 2023. Facilitator – Julia Fullarton

Abbey Feast Saturday 26th August

August 4th – 6th Yoga and Meditation Retreat 11th – 13th Circle dancing retreat

July 21st – 23rd – Celtic spirituality retreat

Facilitator: Dr Cath Connelly

Drawing on connections to nature, a passion for learning, prayer, soul friends, music, art, poetry and pilgrimage, Celtic spirituality offers a deeply engaging way of relating to God. Abbey Director, spiritual director, retreat leader and professional Celtic harpist, Cath Connelly is well qualified to lead us through a weekend of exploring the major themes of this form of spirituality. The retreat will be reflective, experiential and informative. It will include harp music, meditation, input sessions and time for personal reflection.

Residential Single Accommodation including all meals and program - \$495pp

Residential Shared Accommodation including all meals and program - \$375pp

Non-Residential full weekend including all meals and program - \$160pp

Saturday only including all meals and Saturday program - \$95pp

5pm Friday to after lunch Sunday. Please RSVP by Friday 7th July.

Anglican Hospital Chaplaincy – Central Gippsland Hospital Sale

If you would like to have the Hospital Chaplain visit you, a family member or a friend please contact the Revd Heather Toms, Hospital Chaplain on 0400 512 217’.

The (10am) service each week is live streamed. (Search *St Paul’s Cathedral Sale when in* YouTube)

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCrLG94vHT28kEG4Ghd80PhQ/videos?view=57>

Internet Bank Transfer: Cathedral’s ministry and mission and SOLAR

BSB 013-795 Account no: 4962-98866 Ref: Offering etc.

Internet Bank Transfer: St Paul’s Building Fund (‘Fill the gap’)

BSB 705 077 Acc no: 000 409 69 NO reference needed

Sunday Bulletin / Web/Facebook contact:

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As we celebrate Saint Paul, some history on the 2 St Paul's in Sale!

The **first St Paul's** was built as a parish church for Sale, in Raymond Street in 1858, on the current site of St Anne's Campus of Gippsland Grammar School.

The Rev'd P K Simmons was the first rector of a very large parish which extended from Bairnsdale in the east to what is now Morwell in the west.

The second St Paul's was built here in Cunninghame Street when the original church became too small for the congregation. The land was purchased in 1882.



The **current St Paul's** building opened in 1884. It was designed by Nathaniel Billing with a Gothic interior, characterised by the pointed arches. The roof buttressing is made from oregon and resembles the upside-down keel of a boat – a common architectural feature in churches.

The symbolism of the ship comes from many Bible stories, including Noah's Ark, in which the people and animals were saved from the flood, and the Gospel stories of Christ stilling the storm on the lake, when he was out in a boat with his disciples. Thus the boat came to be an early Christian symbol for the church. The '**nave**' of the church, where the congregation sits, comes from the Latin 'navis', meaning ship.



When Gippsland was constituted a diocese in 1902, the parish church of St Paul became a pro- or temporary cathedral. Bishop Arthur Wellesley Pain was appointed the first Bishop of Gippsland and the building became the official Cathedral Church of St Paul on 1st November, 1929.

Photo pre 1921, before Organ was moved from the now entrance to the lady Chapel.