



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 –* **1st October 2023**
Encouraging connection between the Divine and the everyday." **Michael & All Angels**

Sentence of Scripture

And all the angels sang, 'Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be to our God for ever and ever! Amen.'

Revelation 7.12

Prayer of the Day

Everlasting God,
you have ordained and constituted in a wonderful order
the ministries of angels and mortals:
grant that, as your holy angels stand before you in heaven,
so at your command
they may help and defend us here on earth;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and 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 *Services during certain holidays*

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

Associate Priest/Hospital Chaplain: Rev'd Heather Toms 0400 512 217

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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

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.

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

Mission Prayer for Anglicare

Almighty God and heavenly Father,

your Son Jesus Christ shared at Nazareth the life of an earthly home.

We thank you for the work of Anglicare throughout Gippsland supporting families.

We pray for their work helping parents learn parenting skills;

supporting foster parents; helping men dealing with violent and anti-social

behaviours; supporting children and teenagers; and providing financial counselling to families.

We pray particularly for the work of the Rev'd Rich Lanham and give him all the strength, comfort and wisdom he needs.

May your reconciliation, love and blessing be poured out through all of the work Anglicare undertakes. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, **Amen.**

A Reading from the Book of Daniel

As I watched,

thrones were set in place,

and an Ancient One took his throne;

his clothing was white as snow,

and the hair of his head like pure wool;

his throne was fiery flames,

and its wheels were burning fire.

A stream of fire issued

and flowed out from his presence.

A thousand thousand served him,

and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him.

The court sat in judgement,
and the books were opened.
As I watched in the night visions,
I saw one like a human being
coming with the clouds of heaven.
And he came to the Ancient One
and was presented before him.
To him was given dominion
and glory and kingship,
that all peoples, nations, and languages
should serve him.
His dominion is an everlasting dominion
that shall not pass away,
and his kingship is one
that shall never be destroyed.

Daniel 7.9-10, 7.13-14

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

Psalm 138

I will give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart:

even before the gods will I sing your praises.

I will bow down toward your holy temple

and give thanks to your name:

because of your faithfulness and your loving-kindness,

for you have made your name and your word

supreme over all things.

At a time when I called to you, you gave me answer:

and put new strength within my soul.

All the kings of the earth shall praise you, O Lord:

for they have heard the words of your mouth;

And they shall sing of the ways of the Lord:

that the glory of the Lord is great.

For though the Lord is exalted, he looks upon the lowly:

and he comprehends the proud from afar.

Though I walk in the midst of danger,

yet will you preserve my life:

you will stretch out your hand against the fury of my

enemies, and your right hand shall save me.

The Lord will complete his purpose for me:

your loving-kindness, O Lord, endures for ever;

do not forsake the work of your own hands.

A Reading from the Book of Revelation

And war broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels fought against the dragon. The dragon and his angels fought back, but they were defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. The great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him.

Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming,
‘Now have come the salvation and the power
and the kingdom of our God
and the authority of his Messiah,
for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down,
who accuses them day and night before our God.
But they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb
and by the word of their testimony,
for they did not cling to life even in the face of death.
Rejoice then, you heavens
and those who dwell in them!
But woe to the earth and the sea,
for the devil has come down to you
with great wrath,
because he knows that his time is short!’

Revelation 12.7-12a

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The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Philip found Nathanael and said to him, ‘We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth.’ Nathanael said to him, ‘Can anything good come out of Nazareth?’ Philip said to him, ‘Come and see.’ When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, ‘Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!’ Nathanael asked him, ‘Where did you come to know me?’ Jesus answered, ‘I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.’ Nathanael replied, ‘Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!’ Jesus answered, ‘Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.’ And he said to him, ‘Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.’

John 1.45-51

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

Reflection:

The Psalmist speaks of God, saying: ‘At a time when I called to you, you gave me answer: and put new strength within my soul’. This is because, we are told later, ‘For though the Lord is exalted, he looks upon the lowly’. We have a God who not

only listens, but who answers. We have a God who can renew our strength in testing times. Today we celebrate the feast of St Michael and all Angels, the messengers of God. We give thanks for all the ways that we receive God's messages to us – Scripture, divine inspiration, messages from others, and so on.

• Lord, help me to discern your messages to me, messages of love and comfort, messages of direction and correction. Thank you for looking upon the lowly ones, such as me.

• Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Central Africa.

Text: Robert McLean

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Our Mission of the Month for October is Anglicare.

Anglicare is one of Victoria's most experienced child and family welfare agencies. It helps families make positive change: whether it be a helping hand in a time of crisis, or providing longer-term support and care. Anglicare operates from more than 45 sites across Victoria, as well as delivering assistance online, at home and in the community. In Gippsland, the Rev'd Rich Lanham is the Anglicare worker and is based in Sale.



The **Visiting Steam Train** is having one hour trips next Saturday. If you would like to join Christine on the 2pm trip to Munro return, let her know **today**. If we book together, we can sit together! Bookings via Christine or <https://www.facebook.com/steamrail> or <https://www.trybooking.com/CKDXY>

The
Blessing
of the
Pets



**Sunday 8th October at 10am Service.
Please bring your pets for a blessing.**

Please note all animals to be restrained or contained.

Ladies, **“From Pieces to Peace”**

CWCI invites you to hear Jenny Jeffree discuss this patchwork topic.

Venue Sale Baptist Hall. **Date** October 14th **Time** 1.45pm See Trish or Ro

Meetings at St Paul's:

Music Foundation Visioning Follow up day 28th October

Chapter Meeting 12th October

Quiet Days: October 21st at St Paul's At the Abbey Nov 25th

Serving refresher Sunday 22nd October at 11.30am. A refresher on what we do as servers/crucifers and LA's, and for people to raise any questions they may have. Please speak to Dean Keren or Lyn Williams for further details.

Harvest Festival: Sunday 29th October. An occasion to celebrate the fruits of our veggie gardens, fruit trees and more. Please bring any contributions of home-grown produce on the day. For more information please speak with Jan Down, Kathy Jackiw or Lyn Williams.

Lunch gets local flavour!

A Locavore Lunch will be held the week after Harvest Festival on 5th November. 5th November will be our usual monthly St Paul's First Sunday Lunch – with a difference. We will be including some locally produced food. So if you are growing some vegetables or fruit this spring, please consider bringing some of your produce to the harvest festival. Some of that produce will be used in cooking lunch for the 5th November and the remainder will be donated to a local worthy cause (to be decided).

Or perhaps you have made something (e.g. tomato relish from last summer's tomatoes) with your own produce that could be included in the meal? More details will be provided closer to the date, or if you want further information now, talk to Rev Lyn, Jan Down, Kathy Jackiw or Cynthia Grove.

Why are we doing this? To have some fun! And to learn about where our food is grown, how far it travels, and what it means for the earth... stay tuned, more to come!

Back to Church Sunday 12th November

AGM 19th November. As we are nearly at the end of the Church financial year, reports are now due, please email to Christine.

Evensong 26th November plus supper

The Cathedral solar installation has been fully paid between donations and the grant; praise God for generous givers! Thank you to all who contributed.

So far the solar has produced 10.61MWh, saved 5.62 CO₂ Tons, the same as flying a jet 140km, 144 trees or a car driving 22570 KM



Plant Sale 14th October.

We have sufficient empty plastic pots, thanks!

Only 2 weeks to go.. get your potted plants, seedlings, hanging baskets, ornaments etc ready. Let's make this a great success like last year.

Plants can be left now on the decking on Sundays and between 2-4pm Wednesday to Saturday. For further details or help transporting contact Nancy 0417554435

We need volunteers in the day leave your name and time details on the sheet in foyer please.(must have safe ministry compliance)



Calling all bakers and makers, preservers and kitchen whizzes! We are, once again having a **cake and preserve stall** alongside the **plant sale on October 14th**.

Let's see if we can make this one even better than last year...

If you like making cakes, biscuits, slices, jams, jellies or chutney (or anything else edible that people might like to buy) please start doing that now. Most baked goods can be frozen, and room could be found in the freezer in the food cupboard!

All items for sale **must** be labelled as to ingredients, and **PLEASE** do this **before** bringing your contributions in.

Labels, paper plates, wrapping and ties are available.

Also need people to serve on the day. Please put your name and what you can do on the sheet in the foyer please.

Thank you in advance for your support! *Ann Miller*

Wanderers: Wanderers lunch Fri 6th Oct 12-30 at Legends. Cuppa and chat 13th Oct 10am at Raymond Cafe(next to Bendigo bank) Wanderers lunch Fri 20th Oct 12-30 at Raymond cafe.

If you need picking up let me know. Everyone welcome, RSVP me. Jan Lear.
0421605461

Life FM radio readings and book club

Pick a topic and join the discussion when you like! The chapters are independent.

Next topic: Chapter 5 – Giving: living with an open hand

Hear the chapter on **Life FM, 103.9** at 7.30 pm, Wednesday 4th October

Join the discussion via Zoom, 6pm to 7pm on Thursday 5th October:

See: <https://www.gippslandanglicans.org.au/calendar/accessible-book-club>

The book: *Coming Home – Discipleship, Ecology and Everyday Economics*, by Jonathan Cornford 'takes seriously the ways in which the shape of our household economy – our work, leisure, consumption, investment and use of time – impact our relations with others, with the earth, and with God.'

Coming chapter topics and discussion dates: (radio readings the day before)

6pm Thursdays:

5 October: Giving 12 October: Savings and Investment 19 October: Debt

26 October: How do these things affect our relations with others, the Earth and God?

Envelopes are available for donations towards covering the cost of TGA – The Gippsland Anglican. Please take a copy, even if you can't donate, there's fantastic articles to read!

Safe Ministry training.

FREE Online Safe Church Workshop Instructions at

<https://www.gippslandanglicans.org.au/resources/safe-ministry>

Scroll down to “General” then to “Safe Church Workshop Instructions”.

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At the Abbey



Nothing in October, No ferry!

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

Internet Bank Transfer: Cathedral’s ministry and mission

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

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SPIRITUALITY OF THE SEASONS

Spring Quiet Day

You are invited to come and explore
the spirituality of **SPRING**
with Jenny Batten and Cath Connelly

Saturday 21 October 2023 @ St Paul’s Cathedral
10am – 3.30pm

Morning Tea, tea and coffee provided, BYO lunch \$20

RSVP katec@gippsanglican.org.au 0402 514 829

Last Quiet Days for 2023.....

Summer: Saturday 25 November @ The Abbey