



St Paul's Cathedral, Sale / Wayput

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.*

**13th July
Pentecost 5**

Sentence of Scripture

Do to others as you would have them do to you. Love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return. *Luke 6.31, 35*

Prayer of the day

Eternal God,
you have taught us through Christ
that love is the fulfilment of the law:
help us to love you with all our heart,
with all our soul, with all our mind, and with
all our strength,
and our neighbour as ourself;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy
Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Hope 25

God of hope,
you fill those who trust in you
with peace and joy:
give us the gift of your Spirit
so that we may overflow
with the hope we have in Jesus,
shine with his presence,
and share the good news with
others. 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 *No Services*

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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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.

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 Will Kepolo at Newton College PNG.

A Reading from the Book of Amos

This is what he showed me: the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb-line, with a plumb-line in his hand.

And the Lord said to me, 'Amos, what do you see?' And I said, 'A plumb-line.' Then the Lord said,

'See, I am setting a plumb-line

in the midst of my people Israel;

I will never again pass them by;

the high places of Isaac shall be made desolate,

and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste,

and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword.'

Then Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, sent to King Jeroboam of Israel, saying, 'Amos has conspired against you in the very centre of the house of Israel; the land is not able to bear all his words.

For thus Amos has said,

"Jeroboam shall die by the sword,

and Israel must go into exile

away from his land." '

And Amaziah said to Amos, 'O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, earn your bread there, and prophesy there;

but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king's sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom.'

Then Amos answered Amaziah, 'I am no prophet, nor a prophet's son; but I am a herdsman, and a dresser of sycomore trees,

and the Lord took me from following the flock, and the Lord said to me, “Go, prophesy to my people Israel.”

‘Now therefore hear the word of the Lord .

You say, “Do not prophesy against Israel,
and do not preach against the house of Isaac.”

Therefore, thus says the Lord :

“Your wife shall become a prostitute in the city,
and your sons and your daughters shall fall by the sword,
and your land shall be parcelled out by line;
you yourself shall die in an unclean land,
and Israel shall surely go into exile away from its land.” ’

Amos 7.7-17

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

Psalm 82

God has stood up in the council of heaven:

in the midst of the gods he gives judgement.

‘How long will you judge unjustly:

and favour the cause of the wicked?

‘Judge for the poor and fatherless:

vindicate the afflicted and oppressed.

‘Rescue the poor and needy:

and save them from the hands of the wicked.

‘They do not know, they do not understand,
they walk about in darkness:

all the foundations of the earth are shaken.

‘Therefore I say, “Though you are gods:

and all of you children of the Most High,

““Nevertheless you shall die like a mortal:

and fall like one of the princes.””

Arise, O God, and judge the earth:

for you shall take all nations as your possession.

A Reading from The Letter to the Colossians

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow-servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made

known to us your love in the Spirit. For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. *Colossians 1.1-14*
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.

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.' And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.' But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'

Luke 10.25-37

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

Reflection

It must have been an outrage to the Jewish authorities to hear that a despised Samaritan was being held up as a role model, rather than a priest or a Levite. Levites were members of the tribe of Levi, and their primary role was to serve as assistants to the priests in religious rituals and Temple services. They were responsible for tasks like maintaining the temple, singing during services, and keeping watch over the Tabernacle. Jesus was saying that the entire religious leadership of his day was morally bankrupt.

- Lord, help me always to help others when they need it, no matter what their religious background. Protect me from moral bankruptcy.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Episcopal Church of Jerusalem and the Middle East and for that of Church of the Holy Sepulchre in the Old City.

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Dean's Desk

On Monday this week I went out to the Bairnsdale campus of Gippsland Grammar for the first time, and had a personal tour from Virginia, the head of campus. Such a beautiful site, looking over the river, with lots of potential for growth. It was good to hear Virginia's vision for the campus and how it fits with the overall vision for the school.

On Wednesday William McEwan, Margaret's grandson, was baptised. We usually wouldn't do baptisms midweek - baptisms properly belong in a congregational service. But with special circumstances, we had a special service, made more so because William is six and able to answer for himself.

Thanks to all of you who helped with the catering for the wake on Thursday; always a big effort, but such a wonderful ministry of hospitality for our wider community.

And thanks to all who came to support Kate and Brenda Carter's family at her funeral on Friday. I was sorry not to be there; from what I've heard it was a testimony to the incredible number of lives Brenda touched for the better that not only was the church full, but the congregation spilled over into the hall. May Brenda rest in peace and rise in glory.

Thanks to Christine and Nancy and Karl for tidying up the rose garden in preparation for the funeral, and to Lyn who continued the work in the garden of reflection. This work has become necessary owing to our security situation, and has opened the space up.

What's the big thing coming up next Saturday? Yes! The Soiree! 4pm! Do bring your friends and family and spread the word throughout the community. Our cathedral musicians have been practicing diligently and it's promising to be a fabulous concert.

I'm an apology for today, as I've managed to come down with a lurgy. I'll be holding you all in my prayers as Gabby and I pray under the blankets!

Keren

Next Sunday we will be having a special farewell and morning tea after the 10am service for Jan Lear, please come.

Sunday 27th July at noon is our next **Church Lunch**. This will be held at the Rainbow Chinese Restaurant in Raymond St. Sign up sheet in Foyer.

Soiree on Saturday 19th July at 4pm. A variety of talent, mostly Cathedral musicians, that can't be missed. Tickets \$25 / \$20 All funds raised go to the St Paul's Music Foundation Trust. Sign in sheet in foyer

Wanderers: Cuppa and Chat at Shirley's this Thursday 10am

We are holding a **piano concert on Sunday 28th September** with pianist Zachary Dunbar who is an international recitalist and chamber musician. All funds raised will be in aid of the *Asylum Seeker Resource Centre* in Melbourne. More info soon, but save the date! Theme of JOY

Today is Sea Sunday, International Day of Prayer for Seafarers.

Monetary donations can also be made by placing funds in an envelope marked Mission to Seafarers and putting in the collection bag at church.

Huge thanks to all those who have knitted beanies, or are still knitting. The Mission to Seafarers gives out hundreds of these, all year round, so they are very much appreciated. (Must be cold on those ships!)

Michael will deliver the beanies, but not immediately, so if people are in the middle of knitting one, there will be time to finish it.



**Caring for seafarers
around the world**

The Mission to Seafarers is an international mission of the Anglican Church that cares for the practical and spiritual welfare of seafarers of all nationalities and faiths. There are 230 Mission sites around the world. At our four centres in Victoria – Melbourne, Portland, Geelong and Hastings – work is carried out by a small number of staff, chaplains and volunteers who give freely of their time 365 days of the year.

The Mission to Seafarers Victoria (MtSV) has been caring for seafarers in Melbourne since 1857 and operated from its heritage-listed building in Melbourne's Docklands since 1917. Serving a special place in the life and community of those who live and work at sea, the dedicated team of staff and volunteers provide comfort, a friendly face, and a sense of community to the thousands of seafarers who visit the Port of Melbourne annually.

90% of everything we use, from food and medication to cars and household furnishings, reaches us via the sea. Being a seafarer is tough. Crews can spend months away working long hours with little respite or contact with home. On top of the daily pressures, the threat of piracy, shipwreck and abandonment are ever present for the men and women who serve us at sea.

Amid these challenges, MtSV has been a constant source of practical support and reassurance, playing a vital role alongside our colleagues in 200 ports worldwide, collectively supporting the 1.5 million unseen keyworkers who have helped to keep the economy afloat and transport the essentials we need to survive.

Seafarers Prayer

Heavenly Father, we commend to you all seafarers. Guard and protect them in danger and temptation; sustain them in loneliness; and support them in sickness and anxiety. Bless all who minister to them. Watch over those who are near and dear to them, and grant them the blessing of your presence. These things we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Mission of the Month Gippsland Aboriginal Ministry

NAIDOC Week Service TODAY at Lake Tyers!

Everyone is invited and warmly welcome to join with Auntie Phyllis Andy and the Reverend Kathy Dalton at St John's at Lake Tyers Aboriginal Trust **TODAY**, 13 July, for a NAIDOC Week service at 2pm.

In July we are praying for, learning about and supporting Aboriginal Ministry in Gippsland. See the notice board display.

Our two Aboriginal priests, the Rev'd Canon Auntie Phyllis Andy and the Rev'd Kathy Dalton, minister to Aboriginal people across Gippsland, and sometimes interstate.

Please pray for their ministry and its continuation. If you wish to make a donation, please put in an envelope marked Aboriginal Ministry and place in the offertory bag at church. For more information or to donate online, go to:

<https://www.gippslandanglicans.org.au/aboriginalministry>



**THE NEXT
GENERATION:
STRENGTH,
VISION &
LEGACY**
6-13 JULY 2025

NAIDOC Week, celebrating the history and culture of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, runs from 6th–13th July. This year marks 50 years of NAIDOC Week. The 2025 theme celebrates 'not only the achievements of the past but the bright future ahead, empowered by the strength of our young

leaders, the vision of our communities, and the legacy of our ancestors.'

See: www.naidoc.org.au/about/naidoc-theme

You might also be interested in the free art exhibition at the East Gippsland Art Gallery in Bairnsdale until 2nd August: 'South East NOW'. For more information, see noticeboard, and find details here: <https://www.eastgippslandartgallery.org.au/south-east-now-2025>

Craft mornings Thursdays 10 - 1

Come and join us for a cuppa and chat while doing your craft work. Things to do are knitting beanies for the seamen, making your own birthday/ Christmas card, sewing and any other craft. Share your ideas or learn from others. No experience needed help is always on hand..

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Flowers: Julie Mielke/Lyn Ruff **Craft group:** Jenny Wilson

Opening church / lunches: Kathy Jackiw

Rosters, Hall hire, Book Fair, PA/AV, Emergency food Sunday Bulletin

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4pm
Saturday
19th July
2025

Soiree

**Featuring Cathedral Musicians
and friends**

*Music for voice, harp, clarinet, organ,
piano and more...*

Tickets available at the door: \$25, \$20
concession, or via Trybooking:
<https://www.trybooking.com/DCZSP>

Or phone: 03 51442020



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*This concert is a fundraiser for the St Paul's
Music Foundation Trust, to support music
at the Cathedral. All donations to the Trust
over \$2 are tax deductible.*

