

HOLY WEEK & EASTER SERVICES

Palm Sunday - 14th April

7:45 & 10am as usual with Procession of the Palms at 10am

8:45am St Martin's

4:30-6:00pm Children and families Passover meal.

Maunday Thursday - 18th April

10am Eucharist with morning tea

6:00-8:00pm Adults Passover meal in the community centre

8:30-10:30pm Vigil in the Chapel

Good Friday - 19th April

8:45am Good Friday Liturgy at St Martin's

9:30am (St Peter's) Liturgy of the Cross with reading of the passion

11:00am Children's Good Friday service

Holy Saturday - 20th April

9.30am Working bee cleaning and decorating the church (please help)

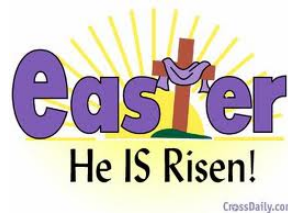
Easter Day - 21st April

6:30am Ecumenical Dawn Service on the Glenelg foreshore

7:45am (St Peter's) Easter Eucharist

8:45am (St Martin's) Easter Eucharist

10:00am (St Peter's) Easter Eucharist with lighting of the Paschal Candle and Easter Eggs (Renewal of Baptismal Vows at all Easter Services.) **NB** Bring a flower for the Easter Cross



Kingsley Oakley, Kel Pittman, Rosalie & Phil Brown, Wendy McIntosh, Nicole Cain, Lorna Weatherill, Karryn Fletcher, Jeremy and Diane Johnson, Tim, Pat Donnelly, Angela, David, Phylis Washington, Sue Button, Dot, Lachlan Sellah, Margaret McLeay and Bishop David McCall

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The Anglican Parish of Glenelg
A vibrant, welcoming and inclusive community
growing in faith and love



FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

31ST MARCH 2019

THEME: REBELLION & RETURNING

Our 7:45 and 8:45 services begin on p.119 of the green prayerbook

Reflection

The Fourth Sunday of Lent (Variously known as Laetare Sunday, Refreshment Sunday and Mothering Sunday) marks the halfway point in Lent. It has traditionally been a day to especially lighten the Lenten disciplines and celebrate, with posies of flowers, Simnel cakes and feasting.

Today our gospel reading is the well-known parable of the Prodigal Son. Although it is often more accurately referred to as the parable of the Loving Father, because the full version of the parable is about how the father loves both his sons - the one who leaves and returns, as well as the one who faithfully stays.

A mother's love is much like the father's in the parable - ready to love unconditionally, to give of herself and to be understanding and forgiving. Parental love at its best, gives us wonderful insights into the unconditional love of God.

This day also celebrates the gift of mother church. As we are well aware, sometimes church communities and individuals within the church fall short of their gospel calling. But the larger universal life-giving role of mother church, in all its aspects, is to offer welcome, sanctuary and salvation to any who seek it.

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Welcome to Worship

Please join us for morning tea after all services today

Today's Services

*The begins on Page 119 of the Prayer Book
Or on the powerpoint screen at 10am service.*

St Peter's

7.45am Holy Eucharist
Celebrant: **Andrew**
Preacher: **Michele**
10.00 am Sung Eucharist
Celebrant: **Julia**
Preacher: **Michele**
5:30pm Lenten Benediction: **Brett**
6:30pm Lenten Cafe Church: **Andrew & Michele**

St Martin's

8.45 am Holy Eucharist
Celebrant: **Brett**
Preacher: **Michele**

Archbishop Geoff's Prayer for the Diocese

*Living God, we thank you for your vision
for the whole creation and that you call us
to share in your mission.*

We pray that you grow your church:

Bring more people to faith in Jesus;

Deepen our trust in you and knowledge of you;

Help us to serve and bless our community;

And strengthen us to be generous with

the money and resources you give us.

May we grow as disciples of Jesus and make

disciples of others for the blessing of the world you love.

In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

Next Sunday: 7th April - JAM

Theme: Knowing Christ (Lent 4)

Isaiah 43:16-21

Psalms 126

Philippians 3:4b-14

John 12:1-8

This week:

Tuesday 2nd April

7.00pm - Speakers Corner with Lorna Fenech.

Wednesday 3rd April

10.00 am Playgroup for 0 to 4 year olds in the
Community Centre

2.15pm - Allambi Aged Care eucharist

6.30pm - Men's Group Lawn Bowls evening

Thursday 4th April

10.00 am Eucharist followed by Morning Tea

2.00pm - Charles Young Aged Care eucharist

Friday 5th April

3:00pm Cotter/Inkster Wedding

Sunday 7th April

5:30pm Lenten Benediction

6:30pm Lenten Café Church #3

Diary Dates - 2019

Tue 9th April

2:00pm - Murray Mudge Aged Care

Wed 10th April

2:15pm - Kapara Aged Care

4:00pm - Finance Committee

Thu 11th April

10:00am - Eucharist

2:30pm - BUPA Aged Care

Friday 12th April

6.30pm - Youth Group at St Peter's

PALM SUNDAY AND HOLY WEEK SERVICES

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NOTES AND NEWS

BENEDICTION AND EVENSONG—5:30PM

Tonight's benediction will focus on meditating with icons, images and pictures. Please be aware that incense will be used. Attendees are welcome to stay for cafe church dinner after, or you are free to come just for the service.

LENTEN CAFÉ CHURCH NO.2 —6:30PM

this evening immediately after Benediction.

Tonight's theme will be **Compassion & Sacrifice**. Next Sunday the final theme is **Hope & Love**. A range of table talk discussion starters mean each table can choose their own topics and decide how deep they go. It will all be wrapped up with fellowship, music and prayer. **Even if you missed last week you can still come along tonight.**

TUESDAY FELLOWSHIP MORNINGS

Will be postponed for now and re-started sometime after Easter. Stay tuned for details.

SPEAKERS CORNER

Our first Speakers Corner evening for 2019 will be held on **Tuesday this week, 2nd April** at 7.00pm in the St Peter's Community Centre. The guest speaker will be St Peter's member, **Lorna Fenech**. **Please add your name to the attendance sheet if you are able to come along. We ask for a donation of \$5.**

GLENELG MEN'S GROUP

The Men's group will be playing Lawn Bowls on **Wednesday, this week, 3rd April** at the Holdfast Bay Bowling Club, cnr Anzac Hwy and Tapleys Hill Rd, starting at 6.30pm for a BBQ tea. There will be a cost of \$10 to cover the catering. Details available from Henry Schafing, 0431 297 529. A sign up sheet is located at the Parish Office.

ABM FOCUS NEXT SUNDAY

Next week we will feature prayers for ABM and its a great chance to bring ABM Lenten Envelopes back or make an extra donation to support the work of ABM.

HOLY WEEK PASSOVER MEALS

Like last year we will hold two Passover meals in the St Peter's Community Centre.

- (1) **Families and Children's Passover meal**—4:30-6:00pm Sunday 14th April .
- (2) **Adult's Passover meal**—6:00-8:00pm Maundy Thursday 18th April.

We will be changing proceedings this year, there will not be a separate Maundy Thursday Eucharist in the evening but we will include a Foot Washing demonstration and stripping of the church followed by the vigil as part of the one celebration beginning with the Passover Meal. **Please sign up on the sheets provided.**

BUSH CHURCH AID

Have you forgotten to return your BCA money box? Last chance this week. Please return them to the Parish Office, Joyleen Brougham or Pat Beggs. Thank You.

CONGRATULATIONS to those appointed to official roles in the parish at our recent Annual Vestry Meeting:

Wardens: St Peter's — *Mr Steve Ludlam and Mr Henry Schafing*; St Martin's — *Mrs Rosalind Mortimer and Mrs Margaret Sambrooks*

Parish Council Members:

The Rev'd Andrew Mintern (Chair), The Rev'd Michele Yuen, The Rev'd Julia Denny-Dimitriou (SPW Chaplain), Mr Martyn Anderson, Mrs Sandy Anderson Ms Catherine Beer, Mr Andrew Cockington, Mrs Janice Doyle, Mrs Emma Harron, Appointed: Mr Terry Leane, Ms Jayne Taylor (Treasurer), Mrs Wendy Davis (Secretary)

Nomination Committee:

Mrs Pat Beggs, Ms Emma Riggs (Patiniott) and all four Wardens

New Liturgical Assistants:

Mr Rhys Williams & Dr Diana Williams (St Peter's)

Synod Representatives:

Mr Rob Croser, Mrs Anne Greaves, Mrs Heather Pittman, Ms Emma Riggs (Patiniott) & Mrs Wendy Davis (reserve)

Transport to and from St Peter's or St Martin's is available by private vehicles. If you can assist with transportation by bringing someone to church please contact the Parish Office.