

# Mullum Mullum Anglican Parish



## St Paul's Church

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24th February 2019

7th Sunday after Epiphany

Welcome to the Service today.

We hope you will feel at home with us.

### Sentence

Love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return. You will be children of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. *Luke 6.35*

### Prayer of the Day

God of compassion,  
keep before us the love you have revealed in your Son,  
who prayed even for his enemies.

In our words and deeds help us to be like him,  
through whom we pray,

Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour. Amen

### Our Vision:

**We are a visible, active and relevant sign of God's love and presence in the world.**

*Our Mission:* Rejoicing in God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit,  
we dedicate ourselves to worship, spiritual formation and pastoral care  
within the church community, local community and the world.

<p>24th February 7th Sunday after Epiphany</p> <p>Prayers: 8am Ros West 10 am Max Impey</p> <p>Musicians: 8am Margaret Carter Carol Baxter</p> <p>Servers: 8am Douglas Browning 10am Emi Martin</p> <p>Communion Assistants: 8am Roger West Margaret Scanlon 10am David Waterson Eivion Williams</p> <p>Morning Tea: Jenny Stafford Judith Macpherson</p>	<p>Readers: 8am Douglas Browning Roger West 10am Ellen Liersch Michael Fawssett</p> <p>Readings: Esther 3. 1-15 (NIV) (8am &amp;10am) Psalm 37.1-11, 40-41 page 258 (8am) 1 Corinthians 15. 35-50 (8am) Luke 6. 27-38 (8am &amp;10am)</p> <p>Stewards: 8am Peter Le Get &amp; Una Williams 10am Max Impey, Beryl James &amp; Eivion Williams</p> <p>Sunday School: Kathryn Forrest</p> <p>Power Point Operator: 8.00am Shirley Van Der Toorren 10.00am Beulah McCulloch</p> <p>Breakfast: Frank and Toni Thornton</p>
<p>Wednesday 27th February 10.30am</p> <p>Readings: Sirach 4. 11-19 Psalm 119. 161-168 Page: 358 Mark 9. 38-40</p>	<p>Communion Assistant: Norm Hennessy Reader: Denis Wright Server Musician: Margaret Carter</p>
<p>3rd March Last Sunday after Epiphany- Transfiguration</p> <p>Prayers: 8am Maria 10 am All Age</p> <p>Musicians: 8am Carol Baxter Carol Baxter</p> <p>Servers: 8am Lloyd Smiley 10am Ken Ogden</p> <p>Communion Assistants: 8am Frank Thornton Peter Le Get 10am Max Impey David Deck</p> <p>Morning Tea: Apeness and Forrest Families</p>	<p>Readers: 8am Elizabeth Thompson Lloyd Smiley 10am All Age</p> <p>Readings: Esther 4. 1-17 (NIV) (8am &amp;10am) Psalm 99. page 258 (8am) 2 Corinthians 3. 12-4.2 (8am) Luke 9. 28-36 (8am &amp;10am)</p> <p>Stewards: 8am <b>Mark Unger &amp; Helen O'Brien</b> 10am David Waterson, Sue Hepburn &amp; Stewart Reid</p> <p>Sunday School: Kathryn Forrest</p> <p>Power Point Operator: 8.00am 10.00am John Greenslade</p> <p>Breakfast: Alex McPherson &amp; Wendy Thomas</p>

**If you are unable to do your rostered day, please arrange a swap and let the office know.**

**The next working bee is on Saturday 2nd March 9am - 12.**

**All welcome come for whatever time you can spare.**



**Tasks:** Weeding - Mowing - Maintain pews and chairs  
Clean filter on rainwater tank - Clean roof gutters  
Reinstate TV aerial on vicarage - Position concrete barrier units along the south boundary of lower car park

### **St Paul's Players**

We are now preparing for our major production for 2019

**“Seek and ye shall find”**

We invite ANYBODY who may be interested in being part of this production in anyway [both on and off stage] to attend a meeting at 2.00pm today in the Parish Lounge.

Details of songs, roles and heaps of other information will be covered at this time.

If you need further info, please talk to Naomi or Gary Short.

### **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER**

**10.00am Friday 1st March**

**Salvation Army Church, 53 Wantirna Road Ringwood**

**All welcome**

**This year's service has been prepared by the women of Slovenia.**

### **PARISH DIRECTORY**

We are planning to update the Parish Directory.

This is to enable parishioners to readily contact each other. All information is to be used only for parish purposes and pastoral contact between members.

If you would like to be included or need your information changed, **please fill out the form on the stewards' desk and return to the office or place it in Elaine Longford's pigeon hole near the office door.**

### **MONDAY 'DROP IN' LUNCH**

We'd love to hear from you if you are available to help with this important ministry, 3 hours one Monday a month.

**Gary Short, Co-ordinator**

**Ladies' Social Lunch**  
Tuesday 12th March from 12noon  
The Ringwood Club  
corner of Maroondah Highway and Oban Road

Please put your name on the list outside the office and we look forward to seeing you.

Contact the office



**Parish Project fundraiser!!**

Start planning for when the drought ends!!

Beautiful bulbs for your spring garden.

See Catalogues on the Stewards table together with order forms. The Parish Project [an ambulance for Chibobo] will benefit from all sales.

mainly music



Meet 10am on Thursdays - during school term.

This is a fun music group for young children and their carers. Contact Carol Bates or any team member.

Thank you to people who bake for mainly music. Just a reminder - **when baking please don't use any NUTS** as we have some with allergies.



## ALMS BASKET

We need your help

Please remember those of our community  
who are in desperate need of food:

HICH clients and Asylum Seekers

Just add something extra to your shopping basket.

Some Ideas: Tins of Tomatoes, Baked Beans, Spaghetti,

Tuna or Fruit, Toilet paper,

Jam, Peanut Butter or Vegemite,

Pasta, Rice, Breakfast Cereal, Pasta Sauce, Long life Milk.



## MORNING PRAYER

This prayer book service is held every Tuesday  
in the Chapel - starting at 10.15am  
followed by Tea/Coffee.

A simple, short service lead by parishioners.

All welcome.

## CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER

**We still need people to volunteer to go onto the church  
cleaning roster.**

**If you are able and available, please add your name to  
the list in the foyer.**



Mentors needed for

Mullum Primary

Are you interested? Training available.

KIDS HOPE AUS One-to-one:

One child, one hour, one church, one school.

Speak to Maria.

PLEASE NOTE: Should it be needed, we have a Defibrillator available in the Narthex [next to the Office door]. Instructions are recorded on the Defibrillator which will guide you through its use. The First Aid Kit is available in the Narthex.



## DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am	Holy Communion
	10.00am	Holy Communion
	[1.00pm	Tongan Service]
	2.00pm	<b>Parish Players' meeting</b> [Lounge]
	[2.00pm	Crossways Service [Church]]
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup>	[9.00am	Octec Employment Service] [Lounge]
	12noon	Monday Lunch
	7.30pm	Life Group [Lounge]
	7.30pm	Bible Study - East Ringwood
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	10.15am	Morning Prayer
	10.30am	Service at Greenway Gardens
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup>	[9.00am	Crossways EAL [MPR] ]
	10.30am	Holy Communion
	1.30pm	Service at Donwood
	7.30pm	Parish Council meeting
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	mainly music
	[5.00pm	TOWN]
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> World Day of Prayer	9.30am	Parish Prayer group [Chapel]
	7.00pm	Youth Group
Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	8.30am	Working Bee
	[6.00pm	Home Church –The Collective]
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	8.00am	Holy Communion
	10.00am	Holy Communion
	[1.00pm	Tongan Service]
	[2.00pm	Crossways Service [Church]]

### **Sunday School**

Songs, stories and activities for children over 4 years of age.  
This is held during 10am service [not School Holidays].  
Children are welcome in church at all times.

<u>Vicar</u>	<b>The Rev'd Maria Brand</b>	0423 093 967
<u>Assistant Curate</u>	<b>The Rev'd Karen Winsemius</b>	0408 340 351
<u>Hon. Associate Priest</u>	<b>The Rev'd Brian Audsley</b>	9870 7501
<u>Youth Intern</u>	Kathryn Forrest	Contact the office
<u>Caretaker</u>	Adam Fairbrother	0438 556 782
<u>Office</u>	Open 9-12noon Monday - Friday	9870 2093 office@mullumanglicanparish.org
<u>Prayer Circle</u>	Joy Braybrook	Contact the office
<u>Pew Sheet</u>	Judith Macpherson	office@mullumanglicanparish.org
<u>Parish News</u>	Elaine Longford	office@mullumanglicanparish.org
<u>Parish Website</u>		www.mullumanglicanparishringwood.org

Parish Council Members

**Vicar's Warden** David Deck  
Wardens John Greenslade and Rob Forrest

Parish Council Members: Peter Longford, Jess Liersch, Michael Fawsssett, Toni Thornton, Emi Martin, Deb Newton, Eivion Williams and Lloyd Smiley

**If you wish to make a donation or your weekly freewill offering by direct debit, the Parish account is through Westpac BSB 033 349 A/c # 387659 in the name of Mullum Mullum Anglican Parish.**

**Epray app available - see notice board for details. You can view the daily morning and evening prayers with the relevant bible readings. This is free! Download the app and use access code 7423.**

# 😊 Congratulations!

We ask God's blessings for Heather Mason [24/2], Milena Hovjacky [25/2], Beryl James [26/2], Wendy Thomas [1/3] and Laura Hewitson and Nga Nguyen [2/3] on their birthday.

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Weekly Walking Groups  
Tuesdays 9.30am - Meet by the new playground  
opposite the bridge crossing Ringwood Lake -  
Contact the office  
We meet for coffee after the walk at Jamaica Blue  
on the second floor opposite Peter Jackson Menswear.



Wednesdays 9.00am **with St Stephen's** -  
Contact the office.

## Mission of the Month – UNHCR (Middle East).



Created in the 1950's to aid displaced and homeless people following the second World War, the organisation still has a major role in today's world.

The United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees main work is in Africa, Asia and the Middle East. Amongst other assistance, much of the tasks are to provide protection, food, shelter and health care to people who have been displaced by natural disasters, conflict, persecution or any other cause. The UNHCR helps to resettle refugees either back to their homeland (when possible) or to other countries.



The Mission of the Month focus is the Middle Eastern Refugees. The ongoing conflicts in Syria and Yemen is having a big impact on the populations there. Millions of Yemeni people are affected by violence, lack of shelter, food and water. Years of war in Syria mean many people are displaced or live in dangerous and poverty struck conditions. How to help: by donation (every little bit helps); stay informed; pray. More information at [www.unhcr.org/en-au/](http://www.unhcr.org/en-au/)