



Anglican Parish of  
Christ Church Kilmore  
with  
Broadford, Pyalong and Tallarook



**SUNDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2017**  
**Fourth Sunday After Pentecost**

Welcome to all, especially new comers and visitors. Please introduce yourself to one of our welcomers, who will be able to offer you some help in feeling at home. All the material you will need is in this booklet, and the hymn book. Please join us for coffee after the Eucharist. About Communion: All who are baptized in any Trinitarian Church are Welcome to receive communion with us today!!!

## PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

*As the procession enters the following hymn is sung: 433 "Christ is Our Cornerstone"*

*The president greets the congregation ('+' where marked indicates that you may make the sign of the cross)*

*The President says:*

**President:** Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**People:** Blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever

**President:** The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,  
the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all

**People: and also with you.**

*The following sentence is said by the President.*

We have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to the sphere of this grace in which we stand.

*The President or Communion Minister says: Let us pray*

**Almighty God,  
to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*The following is sung.*

**Lord have mercy  
Christ have mercy  
Lord have mercy**

**Glory to God in the highest  
and peace to God's people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you,  
we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One:  
you alone are the Lord:  
you alone are the Most High,  
+ Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

#### HEARING GOD'S WORD

*The Collect (prayer) is said by the President: Fourth Sunday After Pentecost*

Almighty God,  
your Son has taught us that what we do for the least of his brothers and sisters,  
we do also for him:  
give us the will to serve others  
as he was servant of all,  
who gave up his life and died for us;  
yet lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
One God now and forever.

**People: Amen.**

All sit for the First Reading: (2 Kings 4:8 - 16)

*The Reader says:* A Reading from the Second Book of Kings, Chapter 4, beginning at verse 8

One day Elisha was passing through Shunem, where a wealthy woman lived, who urged him to have a meal. So whenever he passed that way, he would stop there

for a meal. She said to her husband, 'Look, I am sure that this man who regularly passes our way is a holy man of God. Let us make a small roof chamber with walls, and put there for him a bed, a table, a chair, and a lamp, so that he can stay there whenever he comes to us.'

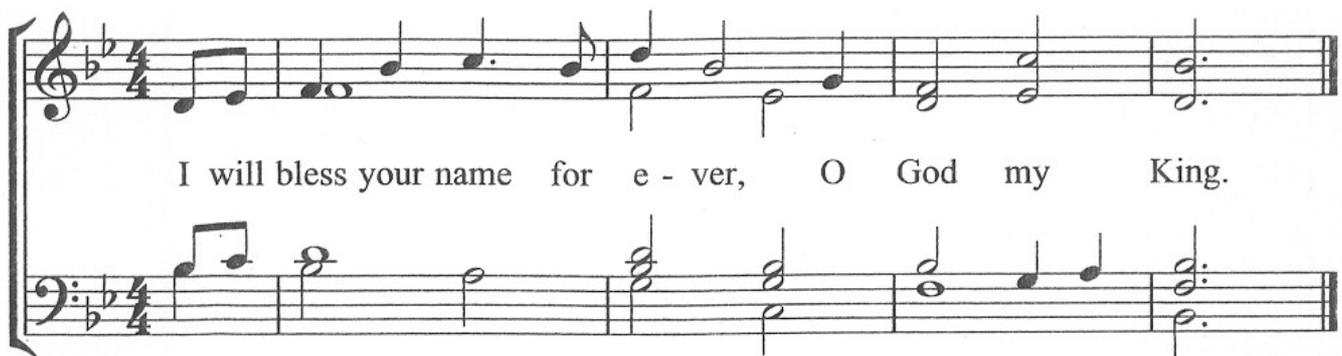
One day when he came there, he went up to the chamber and lay down there. He said, 'What then may be done for her?' Gehazi answered, 'Well, she has no son, and her husband is old.' He said, 'Call her.' When he had called her, she stood at the door. He said, 'At this season, in due time, you shall embrace a son.' She replied, 'No, my lord, O man of God; do not deceive your servant.'

*The reader says*

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 20



**I will bless your name forever, O God my king**

I will give you glory, O God my king, I will bless your name forever  
I will bless you day after day and praise your name forever.

**I will bless your name forever, O God my king**

The Lord is kind and full of compassion, slow to anger and abounding in love.  
How good is the Lord to all, compassionate to all his creatures

**I will bless your name forever, O God my king**

All your creatures shall thank you O Lord, and your friends shall repeat their  
blessing  
They shall speak of the glory of your reign and declare your might O God.

**I will bless your name forever, O God my king**

The Lord is faithful in all his words and loving in all his deeds.  
The Lord supports all who fall and raises all who are bowed down.

## I will bless your name forever, O God my king

The Reading from the Epistles. (Romans 6:3 - 11)

*The Reader Says:* A reading from the letter to the Romans, Chapter 6 beginning at verse 3.

Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

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*Gospel Hymn 583 "Take Up Your Cross"*

Gospel Alleluia All sing together

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Our saviour Jesus Christ destroyed death  
And brought life to light through the gospel.

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*The President says:*

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew Chapter 10, beginning at verse 24. (Matthew 10:27 - 42)

**People: Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. 'Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.'

*The President says:* For the Gospel of the Lord

**People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

*The People sing 'Alleluia' as for greeting the Gospel. (See above).*

The Sermon (Sit)

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD  
[CREED AND INTERCESSION]

*The Communion Minister says: Let us affirm our faith in the Words of the Creed*

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is,  
seen and unseen.  
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,**

of one Being with the Father;  
through whom all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and was made truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit  
the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
+ and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## INTERCESSIONS

*The Communion Minister or President says:*

Let us pray for the world and for the Church (the people sit or kneel)

*Response to the intercession:*

Intercessor: God of Grace, in your mercy,

**People: hear our prayer**

*The intercessor says:* Almighty God, you have promised to hear our prayers

**People: Grant that what we have asked in faith  
we may, by your grace receive  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## PREPARATION FOR THE EUCHARIST

*The Communion Minister or President says:*

God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy,  
Welcoming sinners and inviting them to the Lord's table

*A time of silence for examination of our lives is kept.*

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, confident in God's forgiveness

**People: Merciful God, our maker and our judge,  
we have sinned against you,  
in thought, and word, and deed,  
and in what we have failed to do:  
we have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbour as ourselves;  
We repent and are sorry for all our sins.  
Father forgive us.  
Strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life;  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord**

*The President says:*

Almighty God,  
who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to Him in faith  
+ pardon you and set you free from all your sins,  
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness  
and by the power of the Holy Spirit, keep you in eternal life,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**People: Amen.**

*The President Says: We are the Body of Christ*

**People: His Spirit is with us**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People: and also with you.**

Let us greet one another with the sign of God's peace.

*The members of the congregation greet one another with a sign of peace.*

## THE EUCHARIST

*[\*Note: As God's Priestly people, feel free to remain standing throughout the whole of the Thanksgiving Prayer]*

*Offertory Hymn: 339 "O Sacred Head Sore Wounded"*

*The gifts of the people and bread and wine are brought to the altar.  
The President continues with prayers over the bread, wine and gifts of money. After each prayer, the people respond with*

**People: Blessed be God forever**

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All thanks and praise, glory and honour,  
Be yours at all times, in every place  
Holy Father, true and living God.  
We praise you that through your eternal Word  
You brought the universe into being  
And made us in your own image.  
You have given us this earth to care for and delight in,  
And with its bounty you preserve our life.  
We thank you that you bound yourself to the human race  
With the promises of a gracious covenant  
And called us to serve you in love and peace.  
Above all, we give you thanks for your Son,  
Our Saviour Jesus Christ:  
Born as one of us, he lived our common life  
And offered his life to you in perfect obedience and trust.  
By his death he delivered us from sin, brought us new life,  
And reconciled us to one another.  
Therefore with angels and archangels,  
with apostles, and prophets,

with holy men and women of every age,  
we proclaim your great and glorious name  
forever praising you and singing

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth  
are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
+ Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest!**

Merciful God,  
we thank you for these gifts of your creation,  
this bread and this wine,  
and we pray that by your Word, and Holy Spirit  
we who eat and drink them  
may be partakers of his body and his blood.

On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread;  
and when he had given you thanks  
he broke it, And gave it to his disciples, saying,  
" Take eat, this is my body given for you.  
Do this in remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup,  
and again giving thanks  
he gave it to his disciples, saying,

"Drink from this all of you.  
This is my blood of the new covenant  
shed for you and for many  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded:  
proclaiming his offering of himself  
made once for all upon the cross;  
we proclaim his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension;  
and looking for his coming again,  
we celebrate with this bread and this cup  
his one perfect sacrifice

for the sins of the whole world.

Great is the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died;  
Christ is risen;  
Christ will come again.**

+ Renew us by your Holy Spirit,  
unite us in the body of your Son,  
and bring us with all your people,  
into the joy of your eternal kingdom;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord  
with whom and in whom  
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit  
we worship you, Father,  
in songs of never ending praise:

**Blessing and honour and glory and power  
are yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

*The Lord's Prayer is said*

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray.

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done on earth as in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours  
now and for ever. Amen.**

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

*The President says*

As this broken bread was many grains  
which have been gathered together and made one bread

**People: so may your Church be gathered  
from the ends of the earth into your kingdom**

**Jesus Lamb of God, have mercy on us.  
Jesus bearer of our Sins, have mercy on us.  
Jesus redeemer of the world, grant us your peace.**

Rocks melt like wax at his presence and mountains are shaken to their depths yet  
in these holy mysteries we come near to the uttermost depths of God.  
Take these gifts knowing that Christ died for you, and now, risen from the dead  
gives himself to you, and feed on him with all your heart. Come!

*All who are baptized or have been able to receive communion in any Trinitarian  
Church are warmly invited to receive it with us today.*

*The minister gives the bread and says;*

The body of Christ the bread of heaven.  
The minister gives the cup and says  
The blood of Christ the cup of salvation.  
The communicant responds each time. **Amen.**

## RESPONDING TO THE EUCHARIST

*The following sentence is said.*

Jesus says: No one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the  
Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him

*The President says the following prayer:*

Bountiful God  
At this table you graciously feed us  
With the bread of life  
And the cup of eternal salvation.  
May we who have reached out our hands  
to receive this sacrament  
Be strengthened for your service;

We who have sung your praises  
Tell of your glory and your truth in our lives;  
We who have seen the greatness of your love  
See you face to face in your kingdom  
And come to worship you with all your saints for ever.

**People: Father,  
we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice  
through Jesus Christ, our Lord.  
Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
to live and work to your praise and Glory. Amen.**

*Post Communion Hymn is Sung 439 "What Shall We Offer Our Good Lord"  
The Announcements are made.*

*The President pronounces the blessing.*

*The People stand.*

The peace of God, which passes all understanding,  
Keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God  
and of God's son, Jesus Christ our Lord;  
and the + blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit be among  
you and remain with you always.

**People: Amen.**

*The President or Communion minister says:*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord

**People: In the name of Christ. Amen.**

#### INFORMATION FOR WORSHIP LEADERS AND INTERCESSORS:

**Prayer for the World:** Pray for the discussions on Climate Change in Australia.  
Those in detention on Naru and Manus Island. Those involved in conflict, especially  
in the middle East and in the Philippines.

**Prayer Requests for those in Need:** the family of Joan Hiscock, Karen Goodger,  
Jean Evans, Belinda Shannon, Jenny Curry, Seth Gunter, Tom Scrivens, Mark  
Bennets, Fay Muddyman, Rob Muddyman, Elaine Haddock, Joy Rowe, Francis

Piva, Sharron de Battista, Iris Haywood, Tania Morgan (Norman & Ann's Daughter), Kathleen Taylor (preparing for surgery).]

### **Faithful Departed:**

Communion of Saints: 6<sup>th</sup> July. John Fisher and Thomas

More [Scholars and martyrs for conscience's sake]

Year's Mind: Chris Schafer, Fr. Chris St. John [Priest], Jack Byrne, Hilda Kirby, Ian Robertson, Margaret Burns, Robert Lang, John Williamson, Charles Hutchinson, Thomas Pierce, Jean Creusot, Sydney Bennet, Jack Dess, Ron Margeson, Claudine Tuttle, Norman Winnell, Philip Strong [Archbishop], Roy Cam, Mary Dean, Kerry Lozanovsky, Lucy Carroll, Royden Cooper, Mary Xuereb.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Mitchell Shire Suicide Prevention Network.**

The theme of this meeting is to be BULLYING--AT ALL LEVELS.

This meeting will be under auspices of the Mitchell Shire Suicide Prevention Network and our mentor organisation, Wesley Mission.

The speaker will be from Bully Zero Australia:-

Date: Thursday 13 July 2017

Time: 6.30pm with an expectancy to be finished by 8.00pm subject to the extent of a

Q & A session.

Venue: Golden Reign Room

Kilmore Trackside ( part of Kilmore Racing Club complex)

East Street, Kilmore.

Any enquiries to Bruce Radford-0466 974 061. <bradford@vtown.com.au>

**Parish BBQ (Winter Lunch):** Next Week at Caroliner Burge's place: 20 Chrystobel Way. Kilmore

**Chris Schafer's Memorial Service:** 14<sup>th</sup> July, Christ Church. Private Family interment of Chris' ashes before memorial. Time to be announced.

**Preparation for Fete:** Plants really need to be potted now so as you are cutting back or digging up or moving plants or bulbs please pot and label them.

Barbara Radford

**Parish BBQ:** Due to the winter, this month's Parish 'BBQ' will be in the form of a bring and share 'hot food' luncheon. The next dates are July 9<sup>th</sup>, August 13<sup>th</sup>, September 10<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to offer your place, please contact Caroline Burge or Fr. Paul.

**Kids Church:** Following some Baptism Requests, Fr. Paul has committed himself to holding a "Kids Church" on the last Saturday in each month, at 5.00pm, beginning on 22<sup>nd</sup> July. He will need a lot of help. If there are some people called to help with this ministry, please speak to Fr. Paul soon! Watch this space for a time to meet and plan the first one!

**Parish Council Meeting** - 7.30pm Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July at Bradford. If you have items for the agenda, please send them to John Patterson <johndpatterson@yahoo.com.au>

**Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser:** Our next Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser will be held on **Saturday July 15<sup>th</sup>** (note correct date). Please contact Robyn Whitehouse if you can help. With enough helpers, rostered times will be 1 - 2 hours.

**Watch This Space:** BBQ of information of welcome for students from the international school.

**Exhibition: Wangaratta Cathedral:** "Once Upon A Time" Theatre costume Display

**Direct Debit /EFT Offerings** - Account details: BENDIGO BANK - Account Name 'Anglican Parish of Kilmore'; BSB 633-000; Account Number 158946921.

Parishioners using direct debit or electronic funds transfer please use these bank details when making offerings.

PARISH DIARY

**1st Wed of the month:** Property Committee Meeting 7.30pm (venue TBA)

**2nd Sun of the month:** Parish BBQ - 12.30pm. See Notices for details

**3rd Tues of the month:** St Matthew's Friendship Group. Gavan Hall 1.30pm  
contact Edie Simpson ph. 5784 1246 for details.

**3rd Wed of the month:** Parish Council Meeting, 7.30 pm venue Bradford

Parish life this week

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup>      10.00am    Eucharist - St Matthew's  
                          11.30 am  
                          10.00am    Eucharist - Blue Cross  
                          4.00pm      Eucharist - Dianella

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July    10.00am - 4.00pm Op Shop Church House

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July      10.00am - 12.00pm Op Shop Church House

Next Sunday: FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Readings: Hosea 11:1 – 4; Psalm 145:1 – 7; Romans 8:9 – 17; Matthew 11:25 - 30		
Christ Church	9am	Holy Eucharist
St Matthew's	11am	Morning Prayer
St Stephen's	11am	Holy Eucharist

**Parish Clergy:**

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**Special Note:**

From now on, could you please send information for the pew sheet to Fr. Paul at the above e.mail address. Thanks to Caroline for doing the pew sheet during the transition!

*Parishioners and visitors are advised that photographs may be taken of activities in the Parish from time to time for use on Parish website, Facebook and for publication in the Advocate. If you do not wish to be included in a photo please stand clear of the group at the time. Photos are never taken without a warning.*