

Anglican Parish of Gisborne



Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

St John's, Riddells Creek Saturday September 14th, 5.30 pm

Fr Jeff Berger

St Paul's, Gisborne September 15th, 9 am

Church of the Resurrection September 15th, 10.30 am

Fr David McMillan

*The Parish of Gisborne acknowledges the traditional custodians of the land,
the peoples of the Kulin Nations,
and we pay our respects to their elders, living, past and emerging.*

Welcome

We extend a very warm welcome to everyone who joins us for worship. Whether you are a visitor or a regular parishioner of the Anglican Church, you are invited to join us in Holy Communion. Please make yourself known to us and if you would like more information about our community and ministry, then please take a copy of our welcome brochure, visit our website or ask one of our sidespersons.

Today's worship:



ANGLICAN BOARD OF MISSION
Working for Love, Hope & Justice

Ordinary Sunday 24 [Pentecost 14] – Sunday 15 September 2019

- Jeremiah 4.11-12, 22-28; Psalm 14;
either 1 Timothy 1.1-2, 12-19a or 1 Timothy 1;
Luke 15.1-10

Paul and Jesus are on message: in Paul's words, 'Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, not condemn them. The readings warn us that the 'foolishness' of persisting in 'doing evil' and ignoring God's way of love and doing good can only end in disaster, for individuals and for the local and wider community and for the earth itself.

- Pray that 'you may fight the good fight, having faith and a good conscience'.
- Give thanks for the Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui, the Anglican Church of Hong Kong, giving thanks for their work and witness

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This Sunday: Pentecost 14C	Jeremiah 4.11-12,22-28 1 Timothy 1.12-17	Psalm 14 Luke 15.1-10
Next Sunday: Matthew	Proverbs 3.13-18 2 Corinthians 4.1-6	Psalm 119.65-72 Matthew 9.9-13

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Gathering of the People

Introit Hymn

TiS 179 Praise with joy the world's Creator

Blessed be God: ✠ Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Blessed be God's kingdom now and for ever!

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

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.**

Confession and Absolution

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

Silence may be kept.

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith,
with a sincere and a true heart.

You have revealed yourself as the way to the Father.
Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

You have poured upon us the Spirit of truth.
Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

You are the Shepherd of eternal life:
Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

The Absolution. Standing, the priest 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,
strengthen you in all goodness
and keep you in eternal life,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Gloria

**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.**

The Collect

Patient God,
whose angels rejoice
over the repentant sinner,
remember your covenant of mercy
and stir up among us on earth
a desire to share the gladness of heaven,
so that your Church may be a place of welcome
for all who turn from sin
to seek your tender love.
We ask this through Jesus Christ,
who intercedes for us now and always,
for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Ministry of the Word

As we prepare to hear God's Holy Word through the scriptures,
open our hearts and minds, Lord. Amen.

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah

Jeremiah 4.11-12,22-28

At the end of the reading:

May your word live in us
and bear much fruit to your glory.

Psalm 14 (NPCW)



The fool has said in his heart, 'There is no God,'
Corrupt are they, and abominable in their wickedness;
there is no one that does good.

The Lord has looked down from heaven upon the children of earth,
to see if there is anyone who is wise and seeks after God *Response*

The Lord is the refuge of the poor.

But everyone has turned back; all alike have become corrupt:
there is none that does good; no, not one.
Have they no knowledge, those evildoers,
who eat up my people as if they ate bread and do not call upon the Lord?
Response

There shall they be in great fear;
for God is in the company of the righteous.
Though they would confound the counsel of the poor,
yet the Lord shall be their refuge. *Response*

O that Israel's salvation would come out of Zion!
When the Lord restores the fortunes of his people,
then will Jacob rejoice
and Israel be glad. *Response*

A reading from the first letter to Timothy

I Timothy 1.12-17

At the end of the reading:

May your word live in us
and bear much fruit to your glory.

The Gospel

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

I am the way, the truth and the life, says the Lord.

No-one comes to the Father except by me.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Luke 15.1-10

At the end of the Gospel, the reader says:

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Breaking open the Word

After a period of reflection, we all stand:

The Nicene 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 him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit
and the virgin Mary
and became 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.**

The Prayers of the People

Let us pray for the Church and the world.

The response to the bidding is hear our prayer

As the intercession folder is placed on the altar, we pray together:

**Almighty God,
you call your Church to witness
that you have reconciled all things in Christ.
Help us so to proclaim the good news of your love
that all who hear it may turn to you.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Greeting of Peace

We are the body of Christ.

His Spirit is with us.,

The peace of God be always with you.

And also with you.

We offer one another a sign of peace and reconciliation.

The Offertory

During the singing of the hymn, the collection is received, and bread and wine are prepared for the communion of all people.

Hymn

TiS 145 The king of love my shepherd is

The Offertory Prayers

With this bread that we bring
we shall remember Jesus.

With this wine that we bring
we shall remember Jesus.

Bread for his body,
wine for his blood,
gifts from God to his table we bring.

Holy God,
grant that as we are reconciled at this table,
so we may seek wholeness for our broken world.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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 glory and honour, be yours now and always,
mighty Creator, everliving God.
We give you thanks and praise for our Saviour Jesus Christ,
who by the power of your Spirit was born of Mary
and lived as one of us.

By his death on the cross
and rising to new life,
he offered the one true sacrifice for sin
and obtained an eternal deliverance for his people.
Therefore with angels and archangels,
and with all the company of heaven,
we proclaim your great and glorious name,
for ever praising you and saying:

**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 wine,
and we pray that by your Word and Holy Spirit,
we who eat and drink them
may be partakers of Christ's body and 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, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Let us proclaim the Mystery of Faith

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

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

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 so we pray:

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

The Breaking of the Bread and Communion

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

**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.**

The invitation to communion is given in these words.

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.

10 Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word and I shall be healed.**

Come, this is the table, not of the Church, but of the Lord.
All are welcome at his supper.

Anthem at the Church of the Resurrection
Ave verum corpus, Elgar

The Sending out of God's People

Jesus said, "I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

Almighty God,
through this sacrament
take possession of us, body and soul,
so that our lives may respond
not to our own will,
but to the working of these holy gifts.

**Most loving God,
you send us into the world you love.
Give us grace to go thankfully and with courage
in the power of your Spirit.**

Post Communion Hymn
TiS 233 I will sing the wondrous story

The Blessing and Dismissal

The peace of God which passes all understanding
keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God,
and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord;
and the blessing of God almighty,
✠ the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with
you always. Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ.

Postlude at Church of the Resurrection
Toccata in G, Dubois

This week in the Parish

Sunday September 15th Pentecost 14C

9.00 am	Holy Communion	St Paul's, Gisborne
10.30 am	Sung Eucharist	Church of the Resurrection, Macedon

Monday September 16th

9.30 am	Play Group	Parish Hall
12.30 pm	Play Group	Parish Hall
1.30 pm	Card Group	Parish Centre

Tuesday September 17th

6.00 pm	Alice Miller School VCE Concert	CoR, Macedon
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Wednesday September 18th

10.00 am	Morning Prayer	St Paul's, Gisborne
2.30 pm	Holy Communion	The Oaks (RC)

Thursday September 19th

10.00 am	DEADLINE PEW BULLETIN	
6.00 pm	Meeting AA	Parish Centre, Gisborne

Friday September 20th

Saturday September 21st

9.00 am	KYB4M	McDonald's Chapel of Ease
5.30 pm	Eucharist	St John's, Riddells Creek

Sunday September 22nd Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist and Martyr

9.00 am	Eucharist	St Paul's, Gisborne
10.30 am	Eucharist and Baptism	Church of the Resurrection, Macedon
3.45 pm	EfM	Church of the Resurrection, Macedon

Fr Dennis is on leave until September 27th. Please contact the relay number below to reach a Warden on duty for pastoral support or emergencies.

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Message from Father Jeff - Hello everyone, Just writing to let you all know that I have just released onto the Kindle Platform seven titles that represent the culmination of many years of research and associated work.

To view them, just go to the Kindle Shop and type my name into the search section.

Please note: there are books on the list by another Jeff Berger, but the titles below are the only ones that are mine.

Hope you might like to purchase to read, pass this information on to friends or share in other areas.

The titles are:

- Poetry past and Prescient.
- Psychological Reflections.
- The Use of Power in Extreme Situations
- Reflections on Parapsychology.
- Reflections on Psychoanalysis
- Mysteries of Time and Space, Earth and Man
- The prevalence of Clergy Burnout.

Regards, Jeff

Also... Jeff Berger is on the hunt for books by or about C.S. Lewis. If anyone has titles they might want to sell, he would be interested to hear from them. He can be contacted on: jekasiam@netconnect.com.au or 0419 535753.

KANGAROO MANAGEMENT PLAN LETTER: The Kangaroo Pet Food Trial and evaluation of the overall Kangaroo Management Plan administered by the Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning ends on September 30th. Hence, from October 1st, kangaroos in Victoria will be killed and processed for petfood. Whilst this will be undertaken by professional industry shooters, the trial evaluation report has revealed the occurrence of overkilling and indiscriminate killing of kangaroos which threatens population balance and sustainability, and the difficulty of monitoring the shooting which occurs at night. In addition, the Authority To Control Wildlife permit issued to landholders to shoot kangaroos damaging their property requires no shooter proficiency assessment. Local wildlife shelters report significant evidence of cruelty to kangaroos and joeys resulting from incompetent shooting. In the interest of caring stewardship of our beloved Macedon Ranges kangaroos, please consider signing the group letter to our State MP, Mary-Anne Thomas addressing these concerns which will be made available at our three centres. Janine Mc Dougall & Rosemary Homewood, Co-convenors, Parish Animal Welfare Network.

Bus Ministry: NEXT THURSDAY 1.30 pm KYNETON
Please contact the Office or Jim Lindsay for bookings.

PARISH BUS PROGRAM 2019 - SPRING

In general the following excursions will depart from the Parish centre, Gisborne at 1.30. pm and plan to return at 4.30 pm. These trips will normally be on a **Thursday** and, if required, a second trip to the same destination will be arranged for the following day.

Once a month there will be a full day trip planned and this will be noted. On these days the bus will depart from the Parish centre at 11.00 o'clock and return at around 4.30 pm. A minimum number of 5 passengers is needed for these trips to proceed.

Seating on the bus is limited so please telephone either Wendy or Jim Lindsay on

5428-2447 or 0419 132 291 to secure a seat.

All costs relating to food and drinks en route remain the responsibility of the individual.

In the event of a fire ban day, the bus will not run.

- Thursday, September 26th - 1:30pm Kyneton
- **Thursday, October 3rd - 11:00am Day Trip, Maldon**
- Thursday, October 10th - 1:30pm Vasili's Garden Centre.
- Thursday, October 24th _ 1:30pm Glenlyon General Store
- **Thursday, October 31st - 11:00am Day Trip, Ballarat/Creswick**
- Thursday, November 7th - 1:30pm Hanging Rock
- Thursday, November 21st - 1:30pm Daylesford Mill Antique Market
- **Thursday, November 28th - 11:00am Day Trip, Williamstown**
- Thursday, December 5th - 1:30pm Skydancers, Harcourt.

The bus will then go into summer recess, starting again in the New Year.

PARISH ANIMAL NETWORK MEETING: Sunday, September 15th, 12.30, over lunch at Macedon Railway Hotel. Meeting to discuss planning for Blessing of the Animals Service/s. All welcome. Please let Janine Mc Dougall (0418171092) know if you would like to reserve a seat for lunch.



MESSY CHURCH

September Update ..

Thank You to all *Messy Cooks* for your *Messy Meals* in July and August .. and the special desert suggestions I've received. The *Messy Flock* has been well fed !

Our thanks, also to Office Choice who have printed the full years' schedule for us.

A copy is now posted in each church. If you feel inspired to cook, please just add your name and phone no. to the schedule in your church .. still a couple of gaps !!

Here's how September to November look ..

	MENU	HELP WITH ..	
SEPTEMBER			
Sun 15-9-19	Shepherds Pie or Cottage Pie	Pies ..	Alan Smith Margaret Wells Naomi Alport Margaret Young (Vegetarian) Popsy Colquhoun
	Children's desert surprise	Fruit Puree or jelly	Marilyn Evans
OCTOBER			
Sun 20-10-19	Macaroni Cheese	Macaroni Cheese	Josie Mailer Marg Wells
	Bangers + Mash	Bangers
		Mash	Marilyn Evans
	Vegetables + Salad + Fruit	Veg. / Salad + Fruit	Marilyn Evans
	Children's desert surprise	
NOVEMBER			
Sun 19-11-19	Quiche + Salad	Quiche	Marg Wells
	Lasagne	Lasagne	Naomi Alport
	Salad + Fruit		Marilyn Evans
	Children's desert surprise	

Any feedback or contributions most welcome ..

Marilyn

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Organ Concert



Dubois
Buxtehude
Telemann
J S Bach
Mendelssohn
Elgar

Dianne Gome and Friends

...with Elizabeth Teed (flute), Lucy Forrest (flute) and Isaac Chan (cello), playing a Telemann trio sonata.

Sunday 29 September, 2019 @ 3.00 pm

\$30 / \$25

Bookings:
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Gisborne Secondary College
Chaplaincy Committee

Movie night fundraiser



Monday 16th Sept 2019
Readings Cinema Sunbury
6.30pm for 6.45pm Start
Supper provided after the Movie
\$20 per ticket

Available from Snapshot Photos
Shop 19 Gisborne Village Shopping Centre.
Cash only please

If you are unable to visit the shop please Contact
Helen on 0407 686 708 or Bronwyn on 0417 028 605

Please bring your ticket on the night