

Sunday 21st April 2024

- ◆ **The World:** Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia.
- ◆ **Australia:** Those who suffer following natural disasters. Seasonable weather.
- ◆ **The Church in our nation:** Syrian Orthodox Church.
- ◆ **ACA:** The Diocese of Rockhampton: Bishop Peter Grice (*Virginia*)
The Clergy and People.
- ◆ **Our Diocese:** Bishop Clarence Bester (*Michelle & family*).
The Parochial District of Corryong: Priest in Charge: Maryann Leonard (*John*)
The Parish leaders and communities at: All Saints', Corryong, Holy Trinity, Cudgewa, Biggara Congregation.
- ◆ **Our Parish:** Community ConTACT Drop-In at Glenrowan.
- ◆ **Those in Need:** Margaret G. Zoe. Robert P. Nina Colson. Melanie. Wayne. Warren G. Kaye McKenzie. Josef.
- ◆ **Year's Mind: 21st—27th April:**
[21/04] Florence Robinson, 1992. Nola Edgar, 2023.
[22/04] Dorothy Armitage, 2013. Thomas Luscombe, 2011.
Elsie Rosser, 1994. Kenneth Moore, 2022.
[23/04] Annette McWaters, 2012. Jean Moncrieff, 2000.
Agnes Moore, 1997. Dorothy Allen, 1995.
[24/04] Beris Cropley, 2016. Linda Butler, 2014.
[25/04] Gloria Greene, 2016.
[26/04] Dianne Anderson, 2016. Lorna Cavey, 2005.
[27/04] Bertha Wilson, 1997. Ada McKenzie, 1985.
Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord.
And may light perpetual shine upon them.

Prayer of the week (*pray daily*)

O God,
whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people:
Help us when we hear his voice
to know him who calls us each by name,
and to follow where he leads;
who with you and the Holy Spirit
lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*Dear and gentle people of Wangaratta,
I don't know how to thank you enough. We were honoured by the welcome and kindness you showed us. We loved each and every one of you, and I feel we are very lucky. I am especially grateful for opening your doors and hearts to us. After meeting you, I look to the future with more hope. We had wonderful moments thanks to you. I extend my thanks and love to each and every one of you.*

With love and warm embraces, Nilgun - Sermiyan - Nisan. ❤️🙏

ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF WANGARATTA
PAROCHIAL DISTRICT OF WANGARATTA WEST & THE WARBYS

The Fourth Sunday of Easter GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY 21st April 2024

Dear Parishioners,

From all accounts the “Clergy Conference” held last week was the best ever. There was significant input from the organisation which handles professional standards—Kooyoora — and we were introduced to 2 upcoming courses for the people of our Diocese. One called Hope '25 which will launch at Pentecost this year and one called LyCiG, which is the acronym from Leading your Church into Growth. LyCiG will be introduced via Deanery meetings in term 3 this year.

The other features which were held to be very important by all those gathered were the tremendous collegiality among us all; the fantastic fellowship shared after each evening meal and the bus trip up to Mt Hotham and Dinner Plain on Wednesday afternoon which culminated in saying Evening Prayer in the little church of St Etheldreda at Harrietville on our way home.

Today is Good Shepherd Sunday, a wonderful occasion to renew our understanding of Jesus as the One who cares for us so well. How lovely to be baptising into Christ young Sasha Joy Cook on this day. We pray for Sasha, her parents Bradley and Megan, her godparents Kayla and Jason, and all her family and friends gathering to celebrate this significant event in Sasha's life.

May you know the Good Shepherd's leading and guiding in your life this week.

Neil Hicks.

Thankyou to everyone who has been able to give a tax deductible donation to help cover the increased costs of sourcing fuel from New Zealand for PNG.

[This is an ongoing need so there is still time to place your donation in an envelope into the Offertory Bowl, or donate online.](#)



Dates for your Diary

21st April—St George's Patronal Festival, 2.00pm.

4th May—Artisan Market

9th May—Ascension Day

19th May—Pentecost Sunday

26th May—Trinity Sunday

Mother's Day Raffle—drawn at Artisan's Market.

NO MORE CONTRIBUTIONS PLEASE.

We hope to sell some tickets in Appin Street for a few weeks prior to the Artisan Market where the raffle will be drawn.

Books of tickets are available now.

Diocesan Choral Evensong

on April 28th at 4.00pm, including the Installation of 4 new Canons:

The Rev'd Matthew Healy,
The Rev'd Maryann Leonard.

Mr Stuart Bett (Parish of Mansfield) and
Mr Phil Squires (Parish of Euroa).

ALL WELCOME.

Anglican Diocese of Wangaratta,

Preaching Course: 14th, 15th, 16th May
2024 (10am-4pm each day)

Venue: Cathedral Close, Wangaratta.

Expressions of interest to: The Rev'd
Canon Scott Jessup

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St Michael's Fellowship Group

Lunch at Railyard Restaurant, 60 Norton Street, for 9th May, 2024. @ 12.30pm. I will need numbers and anyone with dietary requirements by 8th May. Hope you can all come and it will be a thank you to yourself for all the work for the Artisan market!!

Looking forward to seeing many people there.

Jean Martens. 0408 497 169



All non-perishable items are appreciated, and as a special treat for children - muesli bars or similar.

Sweet and Savoury biscuits, tuna, tomato and BBQ sauce, tinned peas and beans, chunky and cuppa soup;

This month's special focus: tinned beans, tinned spaghetti, sweet biscuits.

It is also OK to buy dog food as this cannot be obtained through the food share programme.



WHAT'S ON & DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Monday, 22nd Acts 11. 1-18. Psalm 42. 1-5. John 10. 1-10.

Tuesday, 23rd *St George, martyr (d c 303)*

Acts 11. 19-26. Psalm 87. John 10. 22-30.

9.30 a.m. Pangerang at St Michael's Hall.

Wednesday, 24th Acts 12. 24 —13. 5. Psalm 67. John 12. 44-50.

9.30 a.m. Craft Group—St Michael's Hall.

10.00 a.m. Eucharist—Holy Trinity Cathedral.

Thursday, 25th ANZAC DAY

Micah 4. 1-4. Psalm 46. Heb 10. 32—11.1. John 15. 9-17.

9.30 a.m. Eucharist—St. Michael's Hall

10.15 a.m. Bible Study—St. Michael's Hall.

Friday, 26th ST MARK, EVANGELIST and MARTYR

Isaiah 62. 6-112. Psalm 89. 1-9. Ephesians 4. 7-16. Mark 13.5-13.

9.30 a.m. Pangerang at St Paul's Hall.

5.00 p.m. The Chosen—St. Michael's.

Saturday, 27th

Acts 13. 44-52. Psalm 98. 1-4. John 14. 7-14.

Fifth Sunday of Easter, 28th April 2024

9.30am, Eucharist @St. Michael's, Wangaratta.

11.00am, Eucharist with Baptism @St. Paul's, Glenrowan.

Acts 8. 26-40. Psalm 22. 26-32. 1 John 4. 7-21. John 15. 1-8.

THE CHOSEN, Series Three—Episode Three. Physician, Heal Yourself.

Jesus returns to his childhood home for the big Jewish new year celebration. His childhood friends and family are all buzzing with what they've heard about Jesus...until he tells them the truth of who He is.

5.00 p.m. St Michael's Church followed by short discussion then shared light meal.



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