



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

The Fifth Sunday of Easter
28th April 2024

Dear Parishioners,

Last Sunday we had Good Shepherd Sunday, and today we could title “Abide Sunday” or “True Vine” Sunday, but we won’t do that. However it is lovely to be again celebrating a baptism. Today at St Paul’s we will welcome Tyson James Bosch as a member of the Body of Christ. Please pray for Tyson, his parents Ashlee and Brenton, his godparents Scott and Tegan, and all his family and friends gathering at St Paul’s to celebrate this significant event in Tyson’s life.

As we arrive at the home stretch of the next Artisan’s Market, you are asked to pray that all go well, that all stalls be utilised, that our strength be sufficient for the tasks we take on and that the weather be of the right variety for a successful event. May all that do be to the glory of God.

Neil Hicks.

SS. Philip and James, Apostles—May 1st or 3rd.

SS. Philip and James have shared a common feast in the Church since the time when their relics were placed under the altar of the Roman Church dedicated to them on May 1, 1570. Philip, a native of Bethsaida in Galilee, was among Christ’s first disciples (John 1:43–44). At the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves, it was he who remarked that “not even with two hundred days’ wages could we buy enough loaves to give each one a mouthful” (John 6:7). It was also he who served as intermediary when some Hellenistic Jews had asked to be introduced to Jesus (John 12:21–22). After Pentecost, he preached the gospel in Phrygia in Asia Minor (today’s Turkey) and was martyred in Hierapolis. Tradition has it that he was crucified head downward during the persecution of Domitian (emperor 81–96).

James was the son of Alphaeus (Matt. 10:3) and a relative of our Lord (Matt. 13:55). He is frequently referred to as “James the Less,” perhaps to indicate that he was younger than the other apostle named James. He is usually identified with the James who became Bishop of Jerusalem (Acts 15), and he is presumed to be the author of one of the New Testament epistles. He also was martyred, but in Jerusalem, in about 62. He was thrown from a pinnacle of the temple, and then stoned and clubbed to death. 1 Cor. 15:1–8 recalls the appearance of the Risen Christ to James, and John 14:6–14 is Christ’s answer to Philip’s request: “Lord, show us the Father.”

Dates for your Diary

4th May—Artisan Market

19th May—Pentecost Sunday

9th May—Ascension Day

26th May—Trinity Sunday

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

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
chaplain@wangeratta-anglican.org.au
0418 254 158

St Michael's Fellowship Group

Next Lunch is booked at Railyard Restaurant, 60 Norton Street, for 9th May, 2024. @ 12.30pm. I will need numbers and anyone's 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

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.](#)



THE CHOSEN, Series Three—Episode Four. Clean, Part 1.

Two by two, the disciples carry out Jesus' mission to heal, cast out demons, and preach his words. But upon returning, they struggle with understanding what happened while Simon and Eden struggle to reconnect.

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

WHAT'S ON & DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Monday, 29th *Catherine of Siena, spiritual teacher (d 1380)*
Acts 14. 5-18, Psalm 115. 1-7, John 14. 21-26.

Tuesday, 30th

Acts 14. 19-28, Psalm 145. 10-13, John 14. 27-31.
9.30 a.m. Pangerang at St Michael's Hall.

Wednesday, May 1st **PHILIP AND JAMES, Apostles and Martyrs**

Isaiah 30. 18-21, Psalm 19. 1-6, 1 Cor. 15. 1-8, John 14. 6-14.
9.30 a.m. Craft Group—St Michael's Hall.
10.00 a.m. Eucharist—Holy Trinity Cathedral.

Thursday, 2nd *Athanasius, bishop of Alexandria, teacher (d 373)*

Acts 15. 7-21, Psalm 96. 1-6, John 15. 8-11.
9.30 a.m. Eucharist—St. Michael's Hall
10.15 a.m. Bible Study—St. Michael's Hall.

Friday, 3rd

Acts 15. 22-31, Psalm 57. 8-12, John 15. 12-17.
9.30 a.m. Pangerang at St Paul's Hall.
5.00 p.m. The Chosen—St. Michael's.

Saturday, 4th Acts 16. 1-10, Psalm 100, John 15. 18-21.

ARTISAN'S MARKET 9AM—1PM

Sixth Sunday of Easter, 5th May 2024

8.00am, Eucharist @St. George's, Taminick.

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

11.00am, Ante Communion @St. Paul's, Glenrowan.

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



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.



Sunday 28th April 2024

- ◆ **The World:** Afghanistan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Mongolia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan.
- ◆ **Australia:** All involved in aviation: domestic and international; civilian and military; passenger and cargo.
- ◆ **The Church in our nation:** Uniting Church in Australia.
- ◆ **ACA:** Religious Orders: Community of the Holy Name
Order of St Benedict; Society of the Sacred Advent;
Society of St Francis; Society of the Sacred Mission;
Sisters of the Church.
New expressions of religious community life.
- ◆ **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:** Artisan's Market on May 4th.
- ◆ **Those in Need:** Sharon W. Margaret G. Zoe. Robert P. Nina Colson.
Melanie. Wayne. Warren G. Kaye McKenzie. Josef.
- ◆ **Year's Mind: 28th April—4th May.**
[28/04] Natalia Palamarczuk, 2016. Mary Dalton, 2003. Linton Briggs, 2020.
[29/04] Heather Murphy, 2009.
[01/05] Norman Pascoe, 1952. Edna Montague, 1990. Linda Miller, 1987.
[03/05] Bert Nish, 1997.

Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord.
And may light perpetual shine upon them.

Prayer of the week (*pray daily*)

Saving God,
who called your Church to witness
that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself:
help us so to proclaim the good news of your love,
that all who hear it may be reconciled to you;
through him who died for us and rose again
and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**



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