Parish Priest

Fr Neil Fernando Mobile: 0478 085 894

E-mail: frneilfdo@gmail.com

Parish Hall Bookings

Pew Sheet

Lvnn Fisher: Mobile: 0407 186 174

All notices/information for pew sheet to Parish Office by 9.00am Thursday mornings please

Parish Office

Telephone: (08) 8723 1353 Email: churchan@bigpond.net.au

Postal Address: PO Box 1357, Mt Gambier, SA, 5290

Church Addresses: Christ Church, 26 Bay Road, Mount Gambier

St Thomas, Church Street, Port MacDonnell St Luke's, Post Office Road, Mount Schank

Web site: www.anglicanmountgambier.org.au

Details for giving by Direct Debit: The Anglican Parish of Mount Gambier

BSB: 105-002

A/c number: 041 398 740



We pray for the Diocese of The Murray and Parish Council Members

Bishop Keith Dalby (Alice); Very Rev. David Price (Dean) (Lesley);

Fr Des Ackland (Raelene) and Fr Peter Carlsson

and in the Limestone Coast

Fr David Patterson; Fr Wayne Corker; Fr David Withers (Ann);

Fr Neil (Nalini)

Parish Counsellors, Christ Church

Richard Strickland, Helen Douglass, Rick Fisher, Brian Smith, Jeff Bowman, Maree Lynch, Lynn Fisher

Diocesan Prayer

Lord Jesus, you call us to be your disciples and friend; help us to journey with you on the way of life toward the Father. Enable us by the Spirit to discover not only the fullness of who you are, but also the fullness of life you offer to each one of us.

Amen

The Anglican Pastoral District of Mount Gambier

Christ Church Mount Gambier

St Luke's Mount Schank

St Thomas
Port MacDonnell

Trinity Sunday: 7th June 2020



Jesus the Son, lead us to the Father through the Spirit



We extend a warm welcome to all visitors to our church

Please make yourself known to the Parish Priest or Wardens

From Fr Neil

JESUS THE SON, LEAD US TO THE FATHER THROUGH THE SPIRIT

Today's feast invites us to live in the awareness of the presence of the Triune God within us: The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. The mystery of the Holy Trinity is one of the fundamental doctrines of Christianity and the greatest mystery of our Faith, namely, that there are Three Divine Persons, sharing the same Divine nature in one God.

"There is one God, who has three Persons, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Each Person is God, yet there is still only one God"

We have the Father Who is the Creator, the Son Who is the Redeemer and the Holy Spirit Who is the Sanctifier and the Counsellor – One God. Throughout the world, church bells ring three times a day inviting Christians to pray to the Holy Trinity, giving glory to the Triune God for the Incarnation of the Son and our Redemption.

The doctrine of Three Persons in one God, co-equal and co-eternal in Divinity yet distinct in Person, is not explicitly spelt out in the Bible. Even the very word "Trinity" is not found in the Bible. But the doctrine of the Trinity underlies all major Christian feasts, including Christmas, the Epiphany, Good Friday, Easter, the Ascension and Pentecost. All the official prayers of the Church, including the Holy Eucharist and the Sacraments, begin with an address to the Holy Trinity: "In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." We are baptized, absolved of our sins and anointed in the name of the Blessed Trinity.

What does the Holy Trinity teach us?

1) We need to respect ourselves and respect others.

Our conviction that the Triune God is present within us always should help us to esteem ourselves as God's holy dwelling place, to behave well in His holy presence, and to lead purer and holier lives, practicing acts of justice and charity. This Triune Presence should also encourage us to respect and honour others as "Temples of the Holy Spirit".

2) We need to be aware of God as the Source of our strength and courage.

The awareness and conviction of the presence of God within us gives us the strength to face the manifold problems of life with

READINGS for Sunday, 7th June 2020—Trinity Sunday						
Exodus 34. 1-9 Song of the Three (pg 399 of prayer book) 2 Cor 13. 5-14 John 3. 11-18						
Welcomer			Anne Ashworth			
Reader			Rita Johnston			
Intercessions			Anne Ashworth			
MP	Pss 29; 33	Ex	odus 34. 1-10	Acts 2. 22-36		
EP	Pss 145; 150		Isa 40. 12-end	Mark 1. 1-13		
READINGS for Tuesday, 9th June 2020						
MP	Ps 107. 1-32	J	osh 2 Luk	e 8. 26-39		
EP	Pss 107. 33-4	13; 11	2 Chron 2. 1-	16 1 John 4		
READINGS for Friday, 12th June 2020						
MP	Pss 117; 118	·	losh 5. 13-6.20	Luke 9. 10-17		
EP	Pss 121; 122	; 123	2 Chron 6. 22-4	2 James 1. 1-11		
READINGS for Sunday, 14th June 2020—Trinity 1						
Exodus 19. 1-6 Ps 100		Romans 5. 6-11	Matthew 9. 35—10.8a			
Welcomer			David Glover			
Readers			Julienne Feast			
Intercessions			Sue Christopher			
MP Pss 11; 20 De		De	eut 8. 7-end	Acts 4. 1-22		
EP	Pss 32; 36		eut 6. 10-end	Romans 6. 1-14		

ROSTERS FOR JUNE				
GARDENING	Richard Strickland			
MOWING ROSTER	Rick Fisher			



The Challenge:

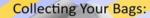
To create a fashionable, wearable garment or outfit from a pre-packed bag of second hand clothing. All garments to be modelled at the Recycled Runway Fashion Show on the 22nd of August (subject to Covid-19 restrictions)

Categories:

NOVICE Less than two years sewing experience

EXPERIENCED Former winners, former judges, former/current dressmake





Collect your pre-packed bags of clothing from the Anglican Church Hall. \$10 per bag with \$5 refunded when entry is lodged

Entries Open - Saturday 30th May

Bag Sales: Saturday & Sunday, 30 & 31 May, 10am - 12pm at the Anglican Church, Bay Road Mount Gambier. Drive thru available

Outfits to be lodged ready for judging by Monday 3 August, 4pm AT THE LATEST. To be handed back at the church hall

Like us on Facebook @RecycledRunwayMountGambier



Christian courage. It was such a conviction that prompted the early Christian martyrs being taken to their execution to shout the heroic prayer of Faith from the Psalms: "The Lord of might is with us, our God is within us, and the God of Jacob is our helper" (Psalm 46).

3) We need to see the Trinity as the model for our Christian families.

We are created in love to be a community of loving persons, just as the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are united in Love. From the day of our Baptism, we have belonged to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. How privileged we are to grow up in such a beautiful Family! Hence, let us turn to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit in prayer every day. We belong to the Family of the Triune God. The love, unity and joy in the relationship among the Father, Son and Holy Spirit should be the supreme model of our relationships within our Christian families. Our families become truly Christian when we live in a relationship of love with God and with others.

cf.internet

Staying in touch!!! Here's how:

Go to our Parish website:

www.anglicanmountgambier.org.au

for your live on-line weekly services, and other information from around the Parish.

- There are 3 ways for you to maintain your weekly giving:
 - Direct debit (the absolutely preferred method!)

 BSB: 105-002 Account number: 041 398 740
 - Deliver your pledge envelopes to the slot in the Vestry door at the rear of the church.
 - Place your cash offering in an envelope and deliver to the Vestry door at the rear of the church.

It is **VITAL** now more than ever that we continue to financially support our church's work and outreach during this difficult time!

 Evening prayer is now being held via Zoom each Tuesday and Friday at 5.30pm—so please join in. To do this, you need to hit the 'control' key and then click on

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2016111974

Bible studies by Zoom to come shortly.

FREEZER MINISTRY FOR JUNE

Julienne Feast

Please remember when preparing food for the freezer ministry, to label, date and list all the ingredients in each container.



The Emergency Food Ministry has ceased for general public access for the time being. However, if you are struggling due to ill health/infirmities to obtain the provisions you need, please contact Fr Neil (0478 085 894) and we will endeavour to provide you with some of the provisions left in the Food Ministry cupboard. If there is any clothing you require also, please let Fr Neil know.

Pray for those who are unwell and for each other

Bishop David McCall; Val Linder; Fr Peter Carlsson; Sue Ongley; Maree & Bob Lynch; Sally-Ann Geddes (daughter of Neil & Judy); June Willcourt; Joe Maier;. Wendy Monger & Don Currie; Alice Gladigau; John & Phillis Beaven (brother & sister-in-law of Alice); Marion McDonald (Lynn's sister); Shirley Stacpoole;

Pray for the repose of the souls of those near and dear to each one of us and for those whose yearly remembrance is this week.

If you wish for your name (or the name of someone you know) to be placed on the prayer list, please submit the request in writing—at present via email (including your name and the name of the person for whom prayers are required).

Forms for this purpose can be found at the back of the church.

St Martin's Lutheran Church

St Martin's Bookshop will be reopening every **Monday—10.00am to 2.00pm**—as from Monday, 15th June.

The Sunday opening of the bookshop will not occur until they resume worship together as a congregation.

Services and coming events in the Parish and Diocese

As from Friday, 12th June, Fr Neil will be conducting 4 services weekly as follows:

Friday 11.00am Saturday 5.00pm

Sunday 8.00am and 9.30am Maximum of 20 attendees per service

To attend **1** of these services, please contact Fr Neil (0478 085 894) to book in, (preferably by the Wednesday prior)

Weddings (limited to 20 people attending) Funerals (with a limit of 50 people)



The Bell Tower Op Shop is now open!

The opening hours are as follows:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 10.00am to 3.00pm Saturday 9.30am to 12.30pm

Closed Wednesdays

(unfortunately, the provision of tea/coffee etc. will not be allowed during this time of restrictions)

Please note: Observance of all social distancing and sanitizing regulations will be in force for your protection and the protection of the attendees at services and the Op Shop workers.

