#### Priest

Fr David Patterson (0.5FTE) Mobile: 0400 144 988

**Parish Hall Bookings Pew Sheet** 

Lvnn Fisher: 0407 186 174 All notices/information for pew sheet should be

sent to the Parish Office no later than 9.00am

each Thursday morning please.

**Parish Office** 

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St Luke's. Post Office Road. Mount Schank

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**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

Br Simon Waters (Administrator of The Murray); Fr Des Ackland (Raelene) Richard Earley (Registrar) and Chris Lubke (Assistant Registrar)

and in the Limestone Coast

Fr Wayne Landford, Millicent/Penola; Fr David Patterson, Mt Gambier (0.5FTE)

and Parish Council Members, Christ Church

Helen Douglass, Brian Smith, Lynn Fisher, Dick Hamson; Faye Hill; Tara

If you would like to make a beguest to the church, please follow the instructions on the Regulation for Bequests form which is available from the back of the church.

# The Anglican Parish of Mount Gambier (Berrin)

**Christ Church Mount Gambier (Berrin)** 

St Luke's **Mount Schank (Parreen)** 

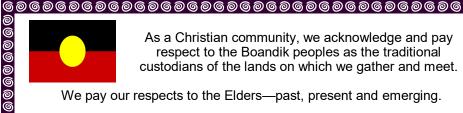
Sunday, 20th July 2025 ac.care Sunday





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We want all-country people to have a safe home, enough money to live on and strong positive relationships



As a Christian community, we acknowledge and pay respect to the Boandik peoples as the traditional custodians of the lands on which we gather and meet.

We pay our respects to the Elders—past, present and emerging.

# We welcome all visitors to our services today. Please feel free to make yourself known to the Priest / Worship Leader



# From Fr David

Very many thanks for the prayers and expressions of concern due to my recent hospitalization due to a heart attack.

Thankfully the incident was not serious and a stent has been inserted and there seems to be no major damage. My heart is strong and otherwise healthy.

The hospital staff in Mt Gambier, and in the Cardiac Unit at Flinders Medical Centre were brilliant, as were the RFDS. And even the hospital food was enjoyable!

There are restrictions on my driving initially, as well as limitations on other activities for a while. I have joined the 'pill club', some of which I will have to take for life. A bit more walking will also need to be part of my regime.

Again, many thanks - God was at work through many hands.

Fr. David

#### **Greetings to all parishioners from Parish Council**

I am happy to tell you that Fr David has made a good recovery and is now at home in Renmark after successful surgery.

Last Saturday Fr David had a heart attack whilst in Mount Gambier. He presented at the Mount Gambier Hospital, was assessed and flown overnight to Flinders Medical Centre in Adelaide. On Sunday he had an angiogram and was considered in need of a stent. This was inserted at the time. On Tuesday he travelled home to Renmark and is now resting and recuperating. A friend he had picked from Melbourne up prior to these events has returned his car to Renmark, and I believe is staying with him.

Fr David is unable to drive for at least 2 weeks, and certainly until medically cleared to resume work and normal activities. I am sure we all encourage him to take whatever time he needs to make a full recovery.

Fr David was impressed by the rapid attention and high quality of care he received at the Mount Gambier Hospital. I would also like to thank Julienne Feast for the care she afforded Fr David through frequent trips to the hospital, assurance of our prayers and keeping those of us who needed information in order to keep church services staffed and running, right up to date.

I ask you to keep Fr David and those who will care for him in your prayers.

We all give thanks to God for His mercy and healing hand upon David, and for the skill and professional care of his doctors, surgeons, and all involved in his care, procedures and recovery.

I will advise with similar communication when there is further news. I wish God's blessings upon you all.

Rick Fisher—Chair. Parish Council

SUNDAY, 20th July 2025: ac.care Sunday 8.00am—Morning Prayer: 9.30am—Pathways service						
Amos 8. 1-12 Ps 52	2 Col 1. 15-29	Luke 10. 38-42				
Bell Ringer	Karthick Arone					
Servers	Julienne Feast / Jane Reichelt					
Sermon / Reflection	Robyn / Faye / ac.care guest speaker	٢				
Welcomer	Jane Reichelt					
Offering : 8.00am 9.30am	John Allen Virginia Kuhl					
Sound desk : 8.00am 9.30am	Richard Mills Rick Fisher					
Live streaming	David Hill					
Music	CMG					
Intercessions	Rick Fisher					
Readers	Raylene Milligan / Brian Smith					
Morning Tea	Virginia Kuhl / Dianne Burton / Melani	ie Smith				
Flowers	Roma Driscoll					
SUNDAY, 27th July 2025 8.00am—Morning Prayer : 9.30am—Pathways service						
Hosea 1. 2-10 Ps 8	85 Col 2. 6-15	Luke 11. 1-13				
Bell Ringer	Trevor Christopher					
Servers	Julienne Feast / Jane Reichelt					
Sermon/Reflection	Bill Hudd					
Welcomer	Jenny Tilby					
Offering : 8.00am 9.30am	Richard Strickland Michael Jamieson / Beryl Mahoney					
Sound desk : 8.00am 9.30am	Richard Mills Trudy-Anne Doyle					
Live streaming	David Hill					
Music	CMG					
Intercessions	Julienne Feast					
Readers	Fran Laslett / Jeff Bowman					
Morning Tea	Michael Jamieson / Beryl Mahoney					
Flowers	Jan Hunt					

#### Memorial Garden Flower Vases

New green plastic spiked vases are now available to replace broken or missing ones—and to use in place of glass receptacles. These vases can be collected from the Parish Office for an existing memorial garden plaque, and one will be given with each new plaque ordered.

### Pray for those people who are unwell and for each other:

Sue Ongley; Maree Lynch; Shirley Stacpoole; Rita Reichelt, Coral Chaffey (Glen's partner); Beryl Heard; Robert Brown, David Clarkson



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

May their souls rest in peace and perpetual light shine upon them.

## **Lych Gate restoration**

Parish Council applied for a State Government Heritage Grant in March 2025 for up to 50% of the required funds towards this project.

We were recently advised that this grant application was unsuccessful.

Currently a total of \$8,155 has been raised toward this project.

Parish Council is currently considering proceeding with the project if we can raise the balance of funds (approximately \$6,845). Should you wish

to contribute towards making this possible, please use the envelopes available or talk to our treasurer, Robyn Ashby, at your convenience.

Thank you.

#### Prayer for Australia on July 21, Monday

Please join us in praying for Australia on Monday, the 21st of July at any time which is comfortable for you. It is not a physical or virtual group prayer but an individual prayer time for Australia which can be done from your own home. If you would like to receive prayer points, kindly let Robyn Ashby or Sujitha Magdalene know. Printed copies are also available. This is an initiative for believers to join together in praying for Australia once a month on a particular day.

Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men, for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a guiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence.

1 Timothy 2:1,2.

ROSTERS FOR	JULY	
GARDENING	Helen Douglass	
MOWING ROSTER	Rick Fisher	
MONEY COUNTERS	Elizabeth Hodges / Julienne Feast	

In returning and rest you shall be saved; in quietness and trust shall be your strength.

Isaiah 30.16

# MINI-MARKET & GARAGE SALE

**Church grounds: 8.30-12.30** 



SHED: Trevor C and David G. CAKES & SWEETS: Roma D

**CRAFT: Kathy M.** 

**PLANTS: Andrew H and Jeff B.** 

**BBQ: Graham S** 

WOOD RAFFLE: Jeff B

Any offers of help or donations for the stalls would be appreciated.

Plenty of great bargains in the Op Shop.

Setting up: 7.00am on Saturday morning

#### **Forthcoming Parish Events**

MONTH	DAY	DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	ORGANISED BY
JULY	Fri	18 <sup>th</sup>	11.00am	Morning Prayer	Julienne
	Sun	20 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am 9.30am	Morning Prayer Pathways—ac.care Sunday	Julienne Robyn/Faye/ ac.care
	Thurs	24 <sup>th</sup>		Selling wood raffle tickets at Coles	
	Fri	25 <sup>th</sup>	11.00am	Morning Prayer	Julienne
	Sun	27 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am 9.30am	Morning Prayer Pathways Farewell morning tea for Elizabeth Hodges following 9.30am service	Julienne Bill (R)
AUG	Fri	1 <sup>st</sup>	11.00am	Morning Prayer	Julienne
	Sat	2 <sup>nd</sup>	8.30am— 12.30pm	Garage Sale and Mini-market	
	Sun	3 <sup>rd</sup>	8.00am 9.30am	Morning Prayer Pathways	Julienne Mark (R )/Rick
	Fri	8 <sup>tn</sup>	11.00am	Holy Communion	Fr David
	Sun	10 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am 9.30am	Holy Communion Pathways	Fr David Faye (R)/ Robyn
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OCT	Sat	11 <sup>th</sup>		Garage Sale and Mini-market	

#### PARISH BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

#### JULY



2nd Lynn Fisher 7th John Allen 3rd Donna Winckel 16th Robert Sims

5th Judy Geddes

There is a new copy of the birthday calendar that can be found at the rear of the church. Please check to make sure that the information relating to you is correct. However, if you do not wish your information to appear, please cross it off on the list.

Thank you

# Services in the Mt Gambier Parish

There are 3 services conducted weekly at Christ Church as follows:

Friday 11.00am Sunday 8.00am and 9.30am

And 1 service at St Luke's, Mount Schank on the 2nd Sunday of each month @ 11.30am

Wednesdays 1.00-3.00pm Craft Group meets in Ashworth Room

Mondays and 5.15-6.30pm Meditation Group in Ashworth Room

Thursdays

**FUNDRAISING NEWS** 

#### **WOOD RAFFLE**

Booklets of 10 tickets are available from the Church Office for our Wood Raffle. Tickets are \$2 each with 3 prizes.

1<sup>st</sup> prize : Trailer load of wood 2<sup>nd</sup> prize : Ute load of wood 3<sup>rd</sup> prize : 4 boxes of firelighters

The raffle will be drawn on 31st August.

This year we had to have the tickets printed which cost us in the vicinity of \$250. If anyone would like to make a contribution towards the cost of printing we would be very grateful. Just place the money in an envelope & mark it "DONATION FOR WOOD RAFFLE TICKETS.". It can then be placed in the collection plate or left in the Office.

We will be selling **WOOD RAFFLE** tickets at Coles again on **THURSDAY**, **24**<sup>TH</sup> **JULY**. If anyone is able to assist at one of the following times please let me know ASAP:

Times: 9.30am - 11.30am, 1 1.30am - 2pm, 2pm - 4pm.

Jeff Bowman, 0487 486 260 Fundraising Team

### Sausage Rolls for the Recycled Runway

Our catering team feel that 200 sausage rolls would be great to have to serve at the Recycled Runway on 29 August. We have a generous offer of 80 sausage rolls so now only need 120.

We can pay for ingredients, so if you feel like making some sausage rolls, your help would be greatly appreciated! Contact: Trudy-Anne on 0466 788 262.

Many thanks.

# The Bell Tower Op Shop

# Trading hours are:

Monday to Friday 10.00am to 3.00pm

Saturday 9.30am to 12.30pm

Closed on Public Holidays



#### 160th Celebrations

There are forms at the back of the church for people to list the names and contact details of any past parishioners you know of who could be invited to the 160th Celebrations later this year.

Please complete any details as soon as practicable to ensure that invitations can be sent out in due course.