Priest

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

Parish Hall Bookings

Pew Sheet

Lynn Fisher: Mobile: Mobile: 0407 186 174

All notices/information for pew sheet to Parish Office **no later** than 9.00am each Thursday

morning please

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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

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

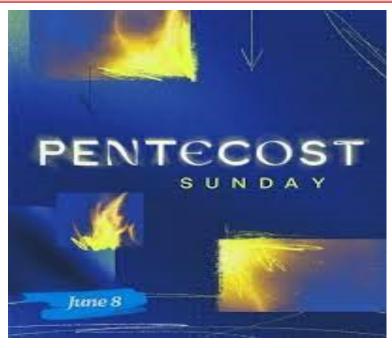
If you wish to make a bequest to the church, please follow the instructions on the Regulation for Bequests form which is available from the back of the church.

The Anglican Parish of Mount Gambier (Berrin)

Christ Church
Mount Gambier (Berrin)

St Luke's Mount Schank (Parreen)

Sunday, 8th June 2025 Pentecost/Whitsun



My peace I give you



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

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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 Worship Leader



From Fr David

Acts 2:1-11 - A New Power

What could change fear into confidence? What power is strong enough to put fears to rest and bring confidence to life?

Our fears come from many sources. Failure, loneliness, and rejection can all make us afraid to try anything.

Confidence often comes from outside, especially when we cannot find it ourselves. Someone else notices a talent in us that we have overlooked. A friend helps us laugh at ourselves. Or by sheer gift, we receive a new power, a new opportunity that makes all the difference in the world.

What changed the disciples' fear into confidence? Something mighty must have happened. The same group that fled at the arrest and crucifixion of Jesus, the same people who cowered in an upper room after his ascension—these people started proclaiming the message of salvation to large crowds in every language. How did it happen?

There is only one answer. The Holy Spirit made it happen. The Spirit, promised by Jesus, came in wind and fire to lift up the disciples and bolster their confidence.

No matter where your fear comes from, the Holy Spirit may find you and change your life forever. Will you cooperate? Are you ready to share the gifts of the Spirit?

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SUNDAY, 8th June 2025 : Pentecost/Whitsun 8.00am—Holy Communion : 9.30am—Holy Communion						
Acts 2. 1-21 Ps 104. 2	26-36	Romans 8. 14-17	John 14. 8-17			
Bell Ringer	Karthio	k Arone				
Servers	Julienne Feast / Jane Reichelt					
Sermon / Reflection	Fr David					
Welcomer	Helen Douglass					
Offering : 8.00am 9.30am	Richard Mills Raylene Milligan / Jenny Tilby					
Sound desk : 8.00am 9.30am	Richard Mills Richard Mills					
Live streaming	David I	Hill				
Music	Choir					
Intercessions	Julienn	ne Feast				
Readers	Melani	e Smith / Karthick Arone / Ric	ck Fisher			
Morning Tea	Raylen	e Milligan / Jenny Tilby				
Flowers	Rhond	a Strickland				
SUNDAY, 15th June 2025 : Trinity Sunday 8.00am—Holy Communion : 9.30am—Pathways Service						
Prov 8. 1-4, 22-31	Ps 8	Romans 5. 1-5	John 16. 12-15			
Bell Ringer	Karthio	k Arone				
Servers	Julienr	e Feast / Jane Reichelt				
Sermon/Reflection	Sujitha	(R) / Robyn				
Welcomer	Jane R	teichelt				
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Live streaming	David I	Hill				
Music	CMG					
Intercessions	Rick Fi	sher				
Readers	Anne A	Ashworth / David Clarkson				
Morning Tea	Virginia	a Kuhl / Dianne Burton / Melan	nie Smith			
Flowers	Jan Hu					

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; Sue Christopher; Robert Brown

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.



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 later in due course.

ROSTERS FOR	JUNE	
GARDENING	Fran Laslett	
MOWING ROSTER	Rick Fisher	
MONEY COUNTERS	Rick Fisher / David Glover	

PARISH BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

JUNE

5th Rick Fisher 9th Bev Hamson 6th Val Collins 10th Peter Ellison



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

God's love has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit who has been given to us. Romans 5.5

SYNOD: 20TH-22nd June 2025

For those people who would like to attend Synod in the Public Gallery are encouraged to do so. However, you must register with the Registry Office **ASAP** and also complete an Additional Person Meal Order Form so that the catering can be finalised. (**N.B.** This info was due by 6th June; however, if you do wish to attend, please ring the Registry and negotiate your attendance if possible).

Listed below are the workshops on offer.

Saturday morning workshops:

- 1. MYOB and PAS Q/A and Electronic Giving
- 2. Developing Mission for Small Country Churches
- 3. Future Directions Workshop Intro
- 4. Intro to Diocesan Legislation

Saturday afternoon workshops

- 1. Leading Volunteers
- 2. How to archive parish documents
- 3. Chairing Parish Councils
- 4. Cemetery responsibilities

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.

1st prize: Trailer load of wood,
2nd prize: Ute load of wood,
3rd 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.

Jeff Bowman Fundraising Team 0487 486 260

Forthcoming Parish Events

MONTH	DAY	DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	ORGANISED BY
JUNE	Sun	1 st	8.00am 9.30am	Morning Prayer Morning Prayer—Christian Unity	Julienne Rick/Mark (R)
	Fri	6 th	11.00am	Holy Communion	Fr David
	Sat	7 th	National Day of		
	Sun Pentecost Sunday	8 th	8.00am 9.30am 11.30am	Holy Communion Holy Communion Holy Communion, St Luke's, Mt Schank	Fr David
	Thurs	12 th	9.30am	Men Do Coffee @ Limestone Coast Pantry	
	Fri	13 th	11.00am	Holy Communion	Fr David
	Sun Trinity Sunday	15 th	8.00am 9.30am	Holy Communion Pathways Service	Fr David Sujitha (R) / Robyn
	Fri— Sun	20 ^{tn} — 22 nd	Diocesan Synoo		

Reserve the date:

5th—7th September 2025: Parish Retreat at St Mark's Abbey, Camperdown, Victoria (Anglican Benedictine Monastery)

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.

Did you know?

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

160th Anniversary Wine Offer

"The Lych Gate"
Cabernet Sauvignon 2021
\$180 per dozen
Produced by Smibert Vineyards
Coonawarra SA

Profits to the Lych Gate
Restoration Fund Christ Church
Mount Gambier

Limited bottling of 30 dozen only | Pre-order to avoid disappointment | EFTPOS available

Update: There are only <u>2 and a half</u> dozen left—so please get your order in as soon as possible to avoid disappointment

To order contact:

Jeff 0487 486 260 Jenny 0408 244 837 Bill 0477 504 223