



ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, MODBURY

Sunday 21st February – Saturday 27th February

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

8.00am Eucharist
9.30am Sung Eucharist
11.30am Bari Worship

WELCOME ... *This week at St. Luke's*

Sunday	2.00pm	New members afternoon tea
Monday	10.00am	Bible Study
Tuesday	8.30am	Eucharist
	10.00am	Community Garden
Wednesday	2.00pm	Jim Manners Memorial Service
Thursday	10.00am	Eucharist
Friday	9.30am	Community Garden

IN OUR CHURCH

Cameron will be attending a Ministry Formation Intensive from Friday to Sunday and will not be with us this weekend.

LENT STUDIES COMMENCE THIS WEEK AS FOLLOWS:

- Monday 6-7.30 pm with Rev'd Joan at church;
- Tuesday 2-3.30 pm at Dot Possingham's house;
- Tuesday 7.30-9pm at Colin and Dany Fidock's house;
- Friday 2-3.30 pm with June Hindmarch at church.

The Lent study will be available today (Sunday).

God of Compassion: A Lenten Study

No one will forget 2020. It was a year when the struggles and griefs of daily life became the subject of public decisions and debate, and the ease with which anyone can become vulnerable was brought home to us with renewed force. We have been reminded daily that we are all dependent on each other, and our actions affect people

Our Vision Statement.

St Luke's will be an open community of faith which engages with the community and inspires and encourages people to know Jesus Christ.

we may never meet. Interdependence is familiar to anyone who walks with our compassionate God. The Public Issues Commission in the Diocese of Canberra Goulburn, with the support of Anglicare, is offering a six-week study which looks at what God has to tell us about compassion in the public sphere: for those in our parish, in our Anglican communion, nationally and intergenerationally. Some key themes include: aged care, reconciliation with First Peoples, inequality, climate change, refugees and asylum seekers. We invite you to travel with Jesus to the cross who, in his life, death and resurrection, reminded us of the priorities of God: justice, mercy and compassion for those we don't know or don't understand, poured out on those who have been marginalised, the hurt and forgotten, the proud and foolish, those who have and those who do not. The Lenten Studies will challenge us to think about our circles of care, and hopefully to enlarge them a little.

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The Memorial Service of Jim Manners will be held at St Luke's Church on Wednesday 24th February at 2 pm.

Confirmation. Anyone interested in confirmation, baptism or renewal of baptismal vows should speak to Rev'd Joan for arrangements.

Community service. Old x-rays can be taken to the Red Cross, North East Road, Hillcrest, for disposal. The silver extracted from the x-rays is sold with the money going to the Red Cross.

Wise Words.

*Always pray to have eyes that see best,
a heart that forgives the worst,
a mind that forgets the bad and a soul that never loses faith.*

DIARY DATES

Sunday, 21st February	New members afternoon tea	2.00pm
Friday, 5th March	World Day of Prayer	1.30pm
Sunday, 21st March	Vestry meeting	After 9.30 service

Please join us for morning tea in the Balcony Room after the service,

ROSTER REMINDER for 9.30am service on 28th February.

Reader 1: Colleen C
Reader 2: Helen W
Sidespersons; Darryel McL & Kirk S
Welcoming: Dorothy B
Morning Tea: Julia S & Chris S

FOR PRAYER

- Successful roll out of COVID-19 vaccines in Australia.
 - Entering the season of Lent, for people to look after each other, their community and the lands on which we are all blessed to live.
 - Freedom and respect for all women in our global world.
 - Industrial relations reform to stop wage theft particularly involving international students.
 - People in America and Europe suffering freezing weather conditions.
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The health and well-being of those who have asked for prayer:

Fr. Graham & Catherine Cooling, Cathie, Rev'd Gary Priest, David Datson, Ngaire Stichbury, Samuel Yengi, Brian Gummow, Mabel Langdon, Nerida Fidock, Jean Malander, Christopher Richmond, Heather Bryant, Terry Rohrlach, Russell Blore, Ken and Sheila Hall, Margaret and Gary, Robert Tyler, Lachlan Scholes, Yvonne Hoad, Bishop David McCall, Christopher Allen, Ian Archer, Scott Walton.

Those who have died recently and whose anniversaries occur this week.

Amy Watson, Joan Watson, Mary Liew Kiaw

+ *Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord and let light perpetual shine upon them.*

Prayer Tree

To join the **Prayer Tree** or if you are in need of prayers contact Ngaire Stichbury; 8263 0296; stichbury.n@bigpond.com

Next Week's Readings:

Genesis 17.1-7, 15-16

Romans 4.13-25

Second Sunday in Lent

Ps 22.24-32

Mark 8.31-38

Thought for the week.

Let today be the day you give up who you've been for who you can become.

PARISH CONTACTS

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Sacraments of Anointing for Healing, Reconciliation, Baptism, Marriage and Funerals are all available. Enquiries about pastoral visiting and home communion are welcome. Please see Rev'd Joan.

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WEEKLY PEW SHEET

Please forward information to the church email
or put a note under the office door by Wednesday.

REGULAR ACTIVITIES AT ST. LUKE'S

Community Garden	Every Tuesday at 10am and Friday at	9.30 am
Community Garden BB	1 st Tuesday of each month	11.30am
Men's Group	2 nd Thursday of each month	7.30pm
Working Bee	1 st Saturday of each month	9.00am
Bari Worship	1 st and 3 rd Sunday of each month	11.30am
Parish Council	3 rd Saturday of each month	9.00am