



# ST LUKE'S CHURCH

## THE PARISH OF MODBURY and GOLDEN GROVE

Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> July 2024

.... WELCOME ....

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### EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

#### OUR SERVICES TODAY

8.00am Holy Communion  
9.30am Holy Communion with hymns

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#### **A community graced with every spiritual blessing in Christ**

Have you ever noted that Paul never uses the word in its singular form? It is always plural, saints. Christians are saints because they are members of the holy community—the community of God. It is Christ who is here described as the fullness of God the all-filler.

God's purpose is being achieved in three stages: the fullness of his own divine nature has found complete expression in the man Jesus Christ; He has given Christ, the bearer of his fullness, as his gift to the church, which is to be the first sharer of that fullness; and through the church he intends his fullness to pervade the rest of creation. Some very practical, challenging, and inspiring truths flow from this high and holy understanding of the church. Jesus said to his disciples: "You do not choose me, but I chose you" (Jon 15:16) God chose us to give us those which He alone can give. What bracing power! What motivating inspiration to know oneself chosen by God!

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**Mother's Union Mary Sumner Day Eucharist** will be held at St. Luke's at 11am Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> August. Rev'd Jo will preach and preside.

**Giving thanks for our community on St. Mark's Day. Please join us to celebrate and give thanks for our community at a special service on Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> July, at 9.30am to be followed by morning tea.** We have invited local MPs and the Tea Tree Gully mayor, and we will be joined by chaplains from Pedare and Modbury Hospital. Please note there will be no 8am service on this day. This service will include Holy Communion but will be slightly different to our regular Sunday worship and a very appropriate opportunity to invite your family and friends to join us.

**WHS News:** WHS is admittedly not the most exciting aspect of church life but it's an important aspect of our care for each other. Over the past few months the following WHS work has been completed:

- Testing and tagging of electrical appliance (141 items tested and tagged!)
- Additional fire extinguishers and fire blankets provided across the site
- An extension cord safety switch, first aid kit and eye and ear protection provided for the Gardening and Maintenance teams
- New power outlet installed for the portable evaporative air conditioner in sorting shed
- Cage obtained for gas bottle storage in Garden shed area
- Working with power tools and Working at Heights - Policies completed and circulated to key people.
- A WHS notice board is now in place in the foyer together with holders for blank and completed Hazard Report forms.

### **New Sermon Series: The Message of Ephesians - The Church as God's New Community**

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July: Ephesians 2 - A community of those reconciled to God and to each other through the cross

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July: Special Service - Celebrating our Community

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August: Ephesians 3 - A community which exists to bring glory to God

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August: Ephesians 4 - A community which is directed by the Holy Spirit

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August: Ephesians 5.1-6.9: A community which demonstrates Godly living

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August: Ephesians 6.10-24: A community which stands strong in the whole armour of God

**The Camerata Community choir** sincerely thanks St. Luke's for their continued support. We had a wonderful time at last Sunday's concert and since coming to St. Luke's we have grown in membership and our finances have also improved. Sincere thanks to Rev Jo for her beautiful playing and Rev Don for the technical support. We look forward to seeing and hearing "Joyful Noise" when they begin to perform in public. Margaret Curd.

**Come and relax and join our friendly Parish group "Come As You Are" Women's Fellowship.** Enjoy a special morning when "The Para Hills Community Hub Songsters" will entertain us and we will join them in singing some of the songs as well. The meeting will start in the church and when the concert concludes, we will move to the Balcony Room for a cuppa and chat. If you have not been to one of our meetings yet, please do come as we are sure you will enjoy your time with us. We are meeting on **FRIDAY, 2nd August, 2024 10.00am - 12 noon at St Luke's Anglican Church.** Enquiries to Susan Dearman (0412 814 082) or Carolyn Datson (0412 606 615).

**A gold coin donation** would be gratefully accepted at morning tea on Sundays. The donation basket will be placed on the kitchen bench.



## FOR PRAYER

### ***The health and well-being of those needing immediate prayers:***

Susan Restell, Jose, Damian Wyld, Glenys Williams, Bryan Mason, Rhonda Hill, Duane Fowler, Betty Bryson, Greg Downton, Anne Pfitzner, Ann and Fred Tee, Marion Ford, Vimla Mukerji, Roland Barker, Ron Rockliffe, Charlie, Mercedes Siguenza, Aaron Watkins, Max Pontifex, Zarinah, Tess Richmond, Gloria, Margaret, Neil, Mick, Jo C, Kerri, Bop Hall.

### ***Those who need ongoing prayers for healing and well-being:***

Helen Gummow, Jessie Waters, Donald & Marjory Prince, Beth Morgan, Emily Cahill, Emmett Bollen, Bryan Shillabeer, Cathie, Faith Drodge, Catherine Cooling, Carol Aitken, Malcolm Mayes, Naomi, Vicky Pattie, Jake Drury, Samantha Drury, Nerida Fidock, Brian Gummow, Michaela Kinnoch, Mia, Muriel Taylor and family, Joy Pedlar and family, Sylvia and Bill McDonald, Chris Davies, Robbie Fowler, Flack family, Jean, Cilla Harvey, Joanne Clark and family, Jean Downton and family, Gary Fawcett and family, Mary Turner, Melissa Burtenshaw, Peter Morris, Zoe, Jeanette and Allan Canton, Sue Fawcett, Andrew Mitchell, Frances K, Angela Brown, Jeremy Bollen, Walton family, Bogale family.

***Cycle of Prayer. This week we keep before God in our prayers the following members of our Parish family:*** Habbas Jebur, Brian & Heather Jeffries, Jo & Ron Johnson, Ali Karimi and the Community Garden group.

### ***Those who have died and whose anniversaries occur at this time.***

Emma Stanley, Ernest Curle, Elizabeth Ide, Sidney Hoad, Alan Craker, Lynn McBride, George McAdam, Margaret Smart, John Hayes.

+ *Rest in peace and rise in glory.*

*Requests for prayer should be made to Deb Travis 0450 950 112 (8am service);*

*June Hindmarch 0402 138 694 (9.30am service); or speak to Jean Rechner 0409 816 115 (Thursday service).*

### ***Next week's readings***

2 Samuel 7:1-14a

Ephesians 2

### ***Ninth Sunday after Pentecost***

Psalm 89:21-38

Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

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### ***ROSTER REMINDER for 9.30am service next Sunday***

*Reader 1:* Eric Harrison

*Reader 2:* Dorothy Bienke

*Intercessor:* Julie Nicholls

*Sidespersons:* Petty Caddy & Wendy W-D

*Welcoming:* June Hindmarch & Dany Fidock

*Morning Tea:* Maria Harrison & Jessy Lim

## PARISH CONTACTS

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<b>WEEKLY PEW SHEET</b>	Please forward information to the church email or put a note under the office door by Wednesday.
<b>CHURCH BANK DETAILS</b>	BSB No: 015 300 A/c No: 709007242 A/c Name: St Luke's Church Modbury

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## REGULAR PARISH ACTIVITIES

Monday	Bible Study	10.00am
Tuesday	Holy Communion	8.30am
	Community Garden	9.30am
Wednesday	Foodbank (fortnightly)	10.00am
	Bible Study	10.00am
Thursday	Holy Communion	10.00am
	Stretch & Balance	2.30pm (fortnightly)
	Christian Meditation	3.45pm (fortnightly)
Friday	Community Garden	9.30am
Community Garden BBQ	1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month	11.30am
Bari Worship	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month	11.30am
Men's Group	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month	7.30pm
Come as You Are (Women's Fellowship)	1 <sup>st</sup> Friday of the month	10.00am