# ST LUKE'S CHURCH



Sunday, 21st July 2024

.... **WELCOME** ....

#### NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

#### **OUR SERVICES TODAY**

**Holy Communion** 8.00am

9.30am Holy Communion with hymns

11 30am Bari Worship

### A community of those reconciled to God and to each other through the cross.

If I were to give Ephesians 2 a theme, it would be the theme of reconciliation. Ephesians 2:1-10 shows us that we have been reconciled with God through faith in Christ's death on the cross. Ephesians 2:11-22 shows that the church has been reconciled with one another through Jesus' death on the cross. Reconciliation with God leads to reconciliation with God's people. Peace with God leads to peace with one another. A relationship with God leads to a relationship with God's people.

This is the gospel. This is the mystery that was revealed. Not just that we'd be united with God. But that we'd be united with one another. Jew and Gentile. All nations on earth. It's what God does in Jesus. He brings people to Himself. He brings people together. And it's beautiful. It brings glory to Himself. And it works for our great good.

This is what has been brought about in Christ.

**Mother's Union Mary Sumner Day Eucharist** will be held at St. Luke's at 11am Friday, 9th 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, 28th 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 28th 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 25th August: Ephesians 6.10-24: A community which stands strong in the

whole armour of God

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).

#### 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 and Jo C, Kerri, Bob 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: Howard Kelley, Jo Keynes, Zeba Khodarahmi, Gene Kluver, Enid Lackerstein and the Community Garden group.

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

Malcolm Gummow, Joan Caddy, Joan Carrol, Rhiannon Westerholm, Thelma Cooper, Ken Hall

+ 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

**St Mark's Day**Mark 16:1-8

Isaiah 62:6-12

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

Reader 1: Colleen Cleland
Reader 2: Peter Caddy
Intercessor: Healing prayers

Sidespersons: Warren Henriks & Kirk Skelton Welcoming: Audrey Dewell & Doris de Silva

Morning Tea: Dany & Louisa Fidock

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**WEEKLY PEW SHEET** Please forward information to the church email or put a note

under the office door by Wednesday.

CHURCH BANK DETAILS BSB No: 015 300

A/c No: 709007242

A/c Name: St Luke's Church Modbury

#### 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	1st Tuesday of the month	11.30am
Bari Worship	1st & 3rd Sunday of the month	11.30am
Men's Group	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month	7.30pm
Come as You Are	1st Friday of the month	10.00am
(Women's Fellowship)	•	