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**HOLY BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION  
IN EUCHARIST SERVICE  
18<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024**

**BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION**

(JEFF) LIANGBIN GU  
(ALFRED) ZUO WANG  
(MICHAEL) XIAOYU ZHAO  
KYEONG SOO PARK  
IN HEE KANG

**RECEPTION**

(JOYCE) SAM PARK  
PETER PARK  
(JOE) CHOK KING TING

## GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN 693

**GREETING** *by Archbishop*

*(All Stand)*

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all. **And also with you.**

There is one body and one Spirit; **there is one hope in God's call to us.**

One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism, **one God and Father of all.**

**INVITATION TO CONFESSION** *by the Vicar*

Let us affirm our trust in God's mercy, and confess that we need forgiveness.

Let us pray.

Lord God, you created this world, and made us in your own image.

Forgive us when we turn away from you.

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Lord God, through your Son you overcame evil and death.

Rescue us from slavery to sin.

Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

Lord God, by your Spirit, you restore us to fellowship with you and with one another. Breathe your love and freedom into our lives.

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

**ABSOLUTION** *by Archbishop*

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you your sins, and keep you in life eternal. **Amen.**

**GLORIA IN EXCELSIS ( HYMN OF PRAISE )**

**Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,**

**we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,**

**you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;**

**you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,**

**you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,**

**in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

**COLLECT** *by the Vicar*

Let us pray.

**Everliving God, your Son Jesus Christ, gave himself as living bread for the life of the world: give us such a knowledge of his presence that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life to serve you continually; through**

**Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in unity with the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen**

## **THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

*(All seated)*

### **FIRST READING**

A reading from the book of Proverbs 9:1-6.

Wisdom has built her house, she has set up her seven pillars. She has slaughtered her beasts, she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table. She has sent out her maids to call from the highest places in the town, "Whoever is simple, let him turn in here!" To him who is without sense she says, "Come, eat of my bread and drink of the wine I have mixed. Leave simpleness, and live, and walk in the way of insight."

Hear the word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

### **PSALM 34:9-14 APBA**

9 Fear the Lord, all you his holy ones: for those who fear him never lack.

10 **Lions may suffer want and go hungry:  
but those who seek the Lord lack nothing good**

11 Come, my children, listen to me: and I will teach you the fear of the Lord.

12 **Which of you relishes life:  
wants time to enjoy good things?**

13 Keep your tongue from evil: and your lips from telling lies.

14 **Turn from evil and do good:  
seek peace and pursue it.**

### **SECOND READING**

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Ephesians 5:11-21.

Take no part in the unfruitful works of darkness, but instead expose them. For it is a shame even to speak of the things that they do in secret; but when anything is exposed by the light it becomes visible, for anything that becomes visible is light. Therefore it is said,

"Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give you light."

Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise men but as wise, making the most of the time, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with all your heart, always and for everything giving thanks in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to God the Father. Be subject to one another out of reverence for Christ.

Hear the word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

## GRADUAL HYMN 510 verses 1 & 2

GOSPEL (Please stand)

### Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, **Alleluia.**

All who eat my flesh and drink my blood live in me and I in them, says the Lord.  
(*John 6:56*)

**Alleluia.**

The Lord be with you! **And also with you!**

A reading from the Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St John 6:  
51-58.

### Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Jesus said to them, "I am the living bread which came down from heaven; if any one eats of this bread, he will live for ever; and the bread which I shall give for the life of the world is my flesh."

The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" So Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of man and drink his blood, you have no life in you; he who eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day. For my flesh is food indeed, and my blood is drink indeed. He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him. As the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so he who eats me will live because of me. This is the bread which came down from heaven, not such as the fathers ate and died; he who eats this bread will live for ever.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

GRADUAL HYMN continues verses 2 & 3

## THE SERMON

### THE LITURGY OF THE BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION

*The Vicar says:*

Baptism is the gift of our Lord Jesus Christ.

When he had risen from the dead, he commanded his followers to go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

We have come together today to obey that command.

Baptism with water signifies the cleansing from sin that Jesus' death makes possible, and the new life that God gives us through the Holy Spirit.

In baptism, the promises of God are visibly signed and sealed for us. We are joined

to Christ, and made members of his body, the Church universal.

*Archbishop says:*

In confirmation, those who have been previously baptised come to confirm their baptismal promises and join with the other candidates to receive the laying on of the bishop's hand with prayer. We pray that those who are baptised and confirmed will be empowered by the Holy Spirit for the ministry and service to which God shall call them.

### **THE PRESENTATION**

*The Archbishop invites the candidates and the wardens to stand in view of the congregation, then invites the wardens to present the candidates.*

We welcome those who come to be baptized and confirmed. I invite wardens to present them now.

**Sponsors:** Archbishop, we present *Jeff Liangbin GU, Alfred Zuo WANG, Michael Xiaoyu ZHAO, Kyeong Soo PARK, In Hee KANG* to be baptized and confirmed.

### **THE DECISION - VOWS AND RENUNCIATIONS**

*(The Vicar speaks to the baptismal candidates and the sponsors)*

Before God and this congregation, you must affirm that you turn to Christ and reject all that is evil:

Do you turn to Christ? **I turn to Christ.**

Do you repent of your sins? **I repent of my sins.**

Do you reject selfish living, and all that is false and unjust? **I reject them all.**

Do you renounce Satan and all evil? **I renounce all that is evil.**

Almighty God deliver you from the powers of darkness, and lead you in the light of Christ to his everlasting kingdom. **Amen.**

Will you each, by God's grace, strive to live as a disciple of Christ, loving God with your whole heart, and your neighbour as yourself, until your life's end?

**I will, with God's help.**

*(To the congregation)*

You have heard our brothers and sisters respond to Christ.

Will you support them in this calling?

**All: We will.**

Let us pray.

Grant, merciful God, that *Jeff, Alfred, Michael, Soo, In Hee* may be so buried with Christ in baptism that the new nature may be raised up in them. May the fruit of your Spirit grow and flourish in them. **Amen.**

Give to their sponsors and the families the desire to share with them what you have revealed in your holy gospel. **Amen.**

May they know Christ's forgiving love and continue in the fellowship and service of his Church. May they proclaim, by word and example, the good news of God in Christ. **Amen.**

We thank you for the ministry we have in your world and to each other in the household of faith. Hasten that day when the whole creation shall be made perfect in Christ. **Amen.**

### THE BLESSING OF THE WATER

*Jeff, Alfred, Michael, Soo, In Hee and the sponsors remain standing.*

Praise God who made heaven and earth:

**who keeps his promises for ever.**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

We give you thanks that at the beginning of creation your Holy Spirit moved upon the waters to bring forth light and life. With water you cleanse and replenish the earth; you nourish and sustain all living things.

**Thanks be to God.**

We give you thanks that through the waters of the Red Sea you led your people out of slavery into freedom, and brought them through the river Jordan to new life in the land of promise.

**Thanks be to God.**

We give you thanks for your Son Jesus Christ: for his baptism by John, for his anointing with the Holy Spirit.

**Thanks be to God.**

We give you thanks that through the deep waters of death Jesus delivered us from our sins and was raised to new life in triumph.

**Thanks be to God.**

We give you thanks for the grace of the Holy Spirit who forms us in the likeness of Christ and leads us to proclaim your kingdom.

**Thanks be to God.**

And now we give you thanks that you have called *Jeff, Alfred, Michael, Soo, In Hee* to new births in your Church through the waters of baptism.

Pour out your Holy Spirit in blessing and sanctify this water so that who is baptised in it may be made one with Christ in his death and resurrection. May they die to sin, rise to newness of life, and continue for ever in Jesus Christ our Lord, through whom we give you praise and honour in the unity of the Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## BAPTISMAL CREED OF CHRISTIAN FAITH

I now ask you to affirm as yours the faith of the Church.

*(The vicar invites the congregation to respond together)*

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in God the Son?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father;  
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*(The Vicar says to the congregation)*

This is the faith of the Church.

*The congregation responds*

**This is our faith:**

**We believe in one God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

### *The Baptism*

*Jeff / Alfred / Michael / Soo / In Hee, (if you are not already baptized,)* I baptise you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

### *Signing with the Cross*

I sign you with the sign of the cross to show that you are marked as Christ's own forever.

### *The Challenge*

Live as a disciple of Christ: fight the good fight, finish the race, keep the faith.

**All: Confess Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection,  
look for his coming in glory.**

### *The Candle of Faith*

God has brought you out of darkness into his marvellous light.

**All: Shine as a light in the world to the glory of God the Father.**

### *Certificate of Church Membership*

God has called you into his Church.

**All: We therefore receive and welcome you  
as a member with us of the body of Christ,  
as a child of the one heavenly Father,  
and as an inheritor of the kingdom of God.**

*The baptism candidates and sponsors move back to their seats. The Vicar sprinkles  
the people with the blessed water as a reminder of their Baptism.*

### **CONFIRMATION**

*(Jeff, Alfred, Michael, Soo and In Hee stand before Archbishop)*

*Archbishop:*

Our help is in the name of the Lord, **who made heaven and earth.**

Blessed be the name of the Lord, **now, and forever. Amen.**

Almighty and ever living God,

you have given your servants new birth by water and the Spirit,  
and have forgiven them their sins.

Strengthen them, we pray, with the Holy Spirit  
that they may grow in grace.

Increase in them the spirit of wisdom and understanding,  
the spirit of discernment and inner strength,  
the spirit of knowledge and true godliness,  
and fill them with wonder and awe at your presence,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*Confirmation candidates kneel before Archbishop who lays hands upon him/her  
saying:*

Strengthen, Lord, your servant, *Jeff / Alfred / Michael / Soo / In Hee*, with your Holy  
Spirit. Empower and sustain him/her for your service. **Amen.**

*After the candidates have been confirmed, all say the following prayer ,*

**Defend, O Lord, these your servants with your heavenly grace, that they may  
continue yours forever, and daily increase in your Holy Spirit more and  
more until they come to your everlasting kingdom. Amen.**

*The confirmation candidates move back to their seats and those to be received into  
the Church come and stand before Archbishop.*

### **RECEPTION INTO THE ANGLICAN CHURCH**

*The Vicar says:*

Archbishop, I present to you (*Joyce*) *Sam PARK, Peter PARK* and (*Joe*) *Chok King  
TING* to be received into the Anglican Church.

They have already been baptised and have formerly been communicant members of  
other Christian churches. They now ask to be received into communicant



membership of the Anglican Church of Australia and seek our prayers in the fellowship of this parish.

*Archbishop:*

*Joyce, Peter and Joe*, do you stand by the Christian confession and commitment made at your baptism?

**I do.**

Do you desire to be admitted into communicant membership of the Anglican Church of Australia and accept her doctrine and order?

**I do.**

We recognise you as a baptised and communicant member of the Christian Church.

*(Congregation responds):*

**We receive and welcome you into the communion of the Anglican Church.**

*Archbishop:*

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Let us pray.

God of wisdom and love, source of all good, by your Holy Spirit strengthen your servants and guide them in your way of peace and love. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*Joyce, Peter and Joe kneel and the Archbishop lays hands on the candidate's head, saying*

May the Holy Spirit direct and uphold you in the service of Christ and his kingdom in the fellowship of this Church.

God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit bless, preserve and keep you.

**Amen.**

### **PRAYER AFTER THE LAYING OF HANDS**

Almighty and everliving God,

watch over these your servants upon whom we have now laid our hands.

Let your Holy Spirit always be with them and lead them to know and obey your word, that they may serve you in this life, and dwell with you in the life to come:

through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### **THE GREETING OF PEACE**

In baptism, God has made us one in Christ. **His Spirit is with us.**

The peace of the Lord be always with you, **and also with you.**

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

### **THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

*Please remain standing*

## OFFERTORY HYMN 535

*The offering is collected during the hymn. The gifts of the people, Bread and Wine and collection of money, are brought to the Lord's Table.*

### PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Blessèd are you, Lord God of all creation:

Through your goodness we have these gifts to share.

Accept and use our offerings for your glory  
and for the service of your kingdom.

**Blessed be God for ever.**

### THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER ( BAPTISM)

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All glory and honour be yours always and everywhere,  
mighty Creator, everliving God.

We give you thanks and praise for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who by the power of your Spirit was born of Mary and lived as one of us.

By his death on the cross and rising to new life,  
he offered the one true sacrifice for sin  
and obtained an eternal deliverance for his people.

In baptism you have united us to him and brought us out of darkness into light.

You pour your Spirit upon us, filling us with your gifts, and calling us to serve  
you as a royal priesthood.

Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven,  
we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and saying:

**Holy, holy holy Lord, God of power and might,**

**Heaven and earth are full of your glory, Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessèd is he who comes in the name of the Lord, Hosanna in the highest.**

Merciful God, we thank you for these gifts of your creation, this bread and wine,  
and we pray that by your Word and Holy Spirit, we who eat and drink them  
may be partakers of Christ's body and blood.

On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread; and when he had given you thanks  
he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat. This is my body given  
for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper, he took the cup, and again giving you thanks

he gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Drink from this, all of you. This is my blood  
of the new covenant shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do  
this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

*(Let us proclaim the mystery of our faith)*

**Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded:

proclaiming his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross,  
his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming  
again,

we celebrate, with this bread and this cup, his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice  
for the sins of the whole world.

Renew us by your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of your Son, and bring us with  
all your people into the joy of your eternal kingdom;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the fellowship of the  
Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father, in songs of never-ending praise:

**Blessing and honour and glory and power are yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **LORD'S PRAYER**

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray, each in our own  
language:

**Our Father in heaven,**

**hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,  
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours  
now and for ever. Amen.**

### **BREAKING THE CONSECRATED BREAD**

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. We who are many are one  
body,

**for we all share in the one bread.**

### **AGNUS DEI**

**Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.**

**Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.**

**Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us your peace.**

### **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

Behold the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.

Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,  
but only say the word, and I shall be healed.**

**COMMUNION ANTHEM** "Let us break bread together"

*God invites everyone to gather around his table. We extend an invitation to all baptised Christians to come forward and receive this Holy Sacrament. Others are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing by crossing arms over the chest.*

## THE SENDING OUT OF GOD'S PEOPLE

### POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray.

Gracious God, in baptism you make us one family in Christ your Son, one in the sharing of his body and his blood, one in the communion of his Spirit. Help us to grow in love for one another and come to the full maturity of the body of Christ.

**Father,**

**we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Lord. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.**

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **BLESSING** *by Archbishop*

All who have been baptised and confirmed are called to study the Bible, to take part in the life of the Church, to share in the Holy Communion, and to pray faithfully and regularly.

We are called to share with others, by word and example, the love of Christ and his gospel of reconciliation and hope.

We are called to love our neighbours as ourselves, to honour all people and to pray and work for peace and justice.

I invite all of you to commit yourselves anew to this calling.

**We will gladly do so, in the strength of the Holy Spirit.**

Go forth into the world in peace; be of good courage;  
hold fast that which is good; render to no one evil for evil;  
strengthen the faint hearted; support the weak; help the afflicted;  
give honour to all; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit;  
and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,  
be upon you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

### THE DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord: **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

### DISMISSAL HYMN: 545



# Parish Link

## Notices & Information

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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### Years Mind

Ruby Beaumont, Irene King, Trish Thomson, Christine Hamaan, Val Henley, Fr John & Jeanne Stockdale, and Effie Kagan, whose anniversaries occur at this time.



### Prayers for the Church

Christ Church Dingley (Richard Loh); The Anglican Church of Melanesia (Bp Leonard Dawea); Lay Ministry; Pastoral services: Anglican Parish of Box Hill (Abp Philip Freier); St Mary's Camberwell South (Bp Genieve Blackwell); Confirmation service: St Stephen's Belmont (Bp Brad Billings).

### Prayer of the Week

Almighty God, you have given your only Son to be for us both a sacrifice for sin and also an example of godly life: give us grace that we may always thankfully receive the benefits of his sacrifice, and also daily endeavour to follow the blessed steps of his most holy life; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Daily Readings

Monday	Ezekiel 24.15-24	Ps 78.55-70	Matthew 19.16-22
Tuesday	Ezekiel 28.1-10	Ps 36.1-6	Matthew 19.23-30
Wednesday	Ezekiel 34.1-11	Ps 23	Matthew 20.1-16a
Thursday	Ezekiel 36.23-28	Ps 51.10-17	Matthew 22.1-14
Friday	Ezekiel 37.1-14	Ps 107.1-19	Matthew 22.34-40
Saturday	Ezekiel 43.1-7a	Ps 85.8-13	Matthew 23.1-12

### CELEBRATING OUR PATRON ST AIDAN 6.15pm, September 1

We will be marking St Aidan's Day at **St Aidan's Church: 8 Surrey Street, Box Hill South**. This will be a liturgy of scripture, prayer, chants and silences and include the hymn written for our St Aidan's Church: "O God you called St Aidan/to study and to pray". All welcome. We will have opportunity for fellowship with pizza after the service.

### WINE DRIVE FUNDRAISER

Our popular Wine Drive is on again and you can purchase wines from Prospect Wines through their online ordering website. [Box Hill Anglican Church - Prospect Wines fundraiser](#) See Hilary if you have any queries: Phone 9899 7553 or 0400 635 600

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Joseph's son Anyang Loka Gai Arou on his graduation from Swinburne University - Bachelor of Engineering with Honours.

## MOTHERS' UNION MEETING August 28

We have a speaker who is a volunteer with Prison Network a not-for-profit organization. This is a Christian-based organisation which works with women in the prison system, such as the Dame Phyllis Frost Centre. This should be very interesting, and we invite any or all parishioners to join us.

## SYNOD REPS

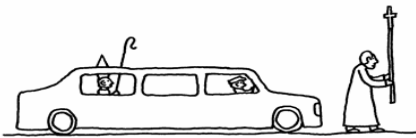
We need two nominations for Synod, one for a representative and one as an alternative representative (in case one of the reps can't attend). Please see the Vicar.

## TO MAKE YOU SMILE...

At an Executive Council meeting, the congregation's wealthiest member decided to share a portion of his faith story. "I'm a millionaire," he said, "and I attribute it all to the rich blessings of God in my life. I can still remember the turning point in my faith, like it was yesterday: I had just earned my first dollar and I went to a youth meeting that night. The speaker was a missionary who told about his work. I knew that I only had a dollar bill and had to either give it all to God's work or nothing at all. So at that moment I decided to give everything I had to God. I believe that God blessed that decision, and that is why I am a rich man today." When he finished and sat down, the chair of the stewardship committee leaned over and said: "Wonderful story! I dare you to do it again!"

# ARCH ↑ THE BISHOP'S VISIT

THINGS THAT MUST BE DONE



PREPARING THE WAY



CATERING FOR SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS



KEEPING UNDESIRABLE ELEMENTS  
AT A SAFE DISTANCE



WRITING IN THE BOOKS TO MAKE IT LOOK  
AS IF THERE ARE REGULAR SERVICES

## THANK YOU FROM MU

A very big thank you to all who helped, gave donations, contributed and purchased goods, bought raffle tickets, and provided a luscious morning tea. We raised \$1254. Raffle prizes: Dilys Smith, Jenny Barnes, Michele Mitchell, Kim Cornish and Linda Boyd. Thanks to Rev'd Anne for her very interesting sermon.

### OUR INFORMATION

**FIRST AID KIT** – Located in the office and kitchen.

**TOILETS** – Located in the Church Hall and in the church building through the church doors front right.

**WHEELCHAIR** – Located near the toilet for the disabled upstairs.

**FIRE & EMERGENCY** – Please make yourself aware of the nearest escape route in the event of an emergency or fire.

**OH&S** – Please ensure that any incidents/accidents are reported to the Vicar or Wardens and incident report completed.

### Mission Statement

Sharing the Good News  
Telling the story afresh  
Expressing God's love  
Serving the community  
Nurturing and sharing faith  
Equipping to serve

### Vision

To ensure that there continues to be a living, committed, communal Anglican presence of liturgical celebration, nurture and outreach in Box Hill.

<b>ROSTER</b>	<b>Today 18.08.24 10.30am</b>	<b>Next week 25.08.24</b>
SIDESPERSION	Barbara P	Rob K
SERVERS	Rosemary S, Elizabeth, <i>Kim C</i>	Rosemary S, Judy J, <i>Garry M</i>
READERS	Jeff Gu, Ruben R	Michele M, Rosemary S
INTERCESSOR	As announced	Judy J
COUNTING	Garry P, Rob K	Charles B, Lyn B
MORNING TEA	<b>Cecilia</b> , Margaret R, Jan, Jennifer F	<b>Barbara P</b> , Keith W. Dianne A

St Peter's is part of the Anglican Church of Australia and the worldwide Anglican Communion. St Peter's church is on the land of the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin nation and we acknowledge them as the traditional custodians of this land.

### REPORTING CHILD ABUSE

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## Week Ahead

### SUNDAY 18.08.24

#### Stewardship Sunday

10.30am Eucharist

9.30pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

### MONDAY 19.08.24

Vicar's day off

6.30-9.00pm Narc Anon *Undercroft*

6.30-8.30pm Celestial Tai Chi, *hall*

9.30pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

### TUES 20.08.24

*Bernard of Clairvaux, abbot & teacher*

8.30am-12.30pm Office open

9.00 onwards Parish People@Work

6.00-8.00pm Bellydancing, *hall*

9.30pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

### WED 21.08.24

9.30-11.30am Playgroup, *Kindergarten*

10.30am Eucharist

10.00-11.30am Tai Chi, *hall*

8.00-9.00pm Choir practice, *Undercroft*

9.30pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

### THU 22.08.24

6.30-9.30pm Crossways ESL, *hall*

9.30pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

### FRI 23.08.24

8.30am-12.30pm Office open

9.30pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

### SAT 24.08.24

10.00am Bible Study, *office*

10.30am-1.30pm Sat School, *hall & U/croft*

9.30pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

### SUN 25.08.24

8.00am Eucharist, 9.30am Eucharist

11.30am Mandarin Bible Study, *office*

2.00pm Dinka service

9.30pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

## For the Diary

### August 24

Mission Action Plan meeting, 2.00pm, U'croft

### August 28

MU meeting – speaker from Prison Network

### September 1

St Aidan's Day service

6.15 pm Sunday

### October 27th

Shoebox Sunday

(Boxes available from Jan)

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