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First Sunday of Advent

2nd December 2018



Welcome to The Church of the Resurrection and our Parish of Swanbourne-Mt. Claremont. We extend a warm welcome to those visiting or worshipping with us for the first time today.

Sunday Services

9:00am Eucharist

A service of Holy Communion, which is usually sung with hymns and a sermon. On the 4th Sunday of the month the service is said.

5:00pm

5pm Services will resume the 4th Sunday in February 2019.

Midweek Service

As we continue in this time of interregnum, there will be no midweek services.



The Church of the
Resurrection

THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF SWANBOURNE – MT. CLAREMONT

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Office hours Mon – Wed - Fri

9 a.m. – Noon

Today's Hymns and Music

Come, thou long-expected Jesus.....24 CP
Hark what a sound28 CP
Hills of the North, rejoice 29 CP

Setting Dom Gregory Murray
Motet Song of Mary
(Shephard) NOEAB

For your diary...

Coming...

Sunday 2 nd December	9 a.m.	Sung Mass.
Sunday 9 th December	9 a.m.	Sung Mass.
Sunday 16 th December	9 a.m. 5 p.m.	Sung Mass Service of 9 Lessons with Carols
Sunday 23 rd December	9 a.m.	Said Mass.
Monday 24 th December	11 p.m.	Midnight Choral Mass
Tuesday 25 th December	9 a.m.	Feast of the Nativity Choral Mass
Sunday 30 th December	9 a.m.	Said Mass

For the Diary...

Sunday 2 nd December	9 a.m.	Christmas Gift and Produce Stall
Friday 7 th December	7:30 p.m.	Mapstone Choral Scholars Christmas Concert

For your prayers this week...

In the Diocese we pray for Archbishop Kay Goldsworthy; Bishop Jeremy James and Bishop Kate Wilmot; Parish of Claremont, Peter Boyland and people; Clergy Relief Fund, Ross Jones, Chair, and members of the Committee; Parish of Como-Manning, Jon Reinertsen (Locum Tenens) and people.

In the Province we pray for Parish of Exmouth, clergy and people; Diocese of Bunbury, Bishop Ian Coutts, clergy and people.

In our Partner Diocese, Eldoret, we pray for Parish of Kotito, clergy and people.

In the Anglican Communion we pray for Diocese of Gloucester, England, bishop, clergy and people; Archbishop Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury; Archbishop Philip Freier, Primate and Archbishop of Melbourne.

In the Parish we pray for the Church Wardens and assistant clergy as they lead the parish during the interregnum.

Those who are sick, Beryl Staunton, Fred Banyard, and Barbara Meys.

The faithful departed, those who died recently, and all those whose anniversaries occur this week.

Prayer for a new Parish Priest

Bishop Jeremy has given us the following prayer for a new parish priest. It will be used each Sunday mass, but you might like to use it in your own personal devotions:

Bountiful God, give to this parish a faithful pastor who will faithfully speak your word and minister your sacraments; an encourager who will equip your people for ministry and enable us to fulfil our calling.

Give to those who will choose, wisdom, discernment and patience, and to us give us warm and generous hearts, for Jesus Christ's sake.

Amen

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Pastoral Care...

Should you require any Pastoral visits, please contact our Church Wardens

Jim Gallagher - M:0417 904 704 E: carajas@bigpond.net.au

Sandra Hughes – P: 9384 1532 E: sandarina@hotmail.com.au

Prayer Chain...

For any Prayer requests, please contact Eileen on P: 9381 7798. Prayer chain requests are treated with full confidentiality.

The Mapstone Scholars Present – Rejoice...

TryBooking and the Office are now taking bookings for the last Mapstone concert of 2018. Please make an extra effort to promote this concert to your friends and family.

Letterbox Drop...

Volunteers are needed to publicise the Mapstone's 'Rejoice' concert. Please see Margaret Houghton to collect flyers. Please tell them which area you plan to cover.

The Passing of Lucey Watts...

For anyone wishing to send condolences to Lucey's family, the address is 8 Toorak Road, Mt. Dandenong, Victoria 3767.

Next week's readings

Sunday 9 December – Second Sunday of Advent – 9 a.m. Sung Mass with Fr. Rowan preaching and presiding.

Malachi 3:1-4, Song of Zachariah (APBA p.10), Philippians 1:1-11 and Luke 3:1-6.

Next Week's Roster...

Readers – 9 a.m. – A. Bevan and G. Bevan

Welcomers – 9 a.m. – J. Gallagher and J. Gallagher

Hospitality – 9 a.m. – H. Heptinstall and J. Elsegood

Readings...

A Reading from the Second Book of the Prophet Jeremiah

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will fulfil the promise I made to the house of Israel and the house of Judah. In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for David; and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will live in safety. And this is the name by which it will be called: 'The Lord is our righteousness.'

Jeremiah 33:14-16

Hear the Word of the Lord:
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 25

To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul;
O my God, in you I trust;
let me not be put to shame;
let not my enemies triumph over me.

Let none who look to you be put to shame,
but let the treacherous be shamed and frustrated.

Make me to know your ways, O Lord,
and teach me your paths.

Lead me in your truth and teach me,
for you are the God of my salvation;
for you have I hoped all the day long.

Remember, Lord, your compassion and love,
for they are from everlasting.

Remember not the sins of my youth

or my transgressions,
but think on me in your goodness, O Lord,
according to your steadfast love.

Gracious and upright is the Lord;
therefore shall he teach sinners in the way.

He will guide the humble in doing right
and teach his way to the lowly.

All the paths of the Lord are mercy and truth
to those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.

For your name's sake, O Lord,
be merciful to my sin, for it is great.

Psalm 25:1-10

A Reading from the First Letter to the Thessalonians

How can we thank God enough for you in return for all the joy that we feel before our God because of you? Night and day we pray most earnestly that we may see you face to face and restore whatever is lacking in your faith.

Now may our God and Father himself and our Lord Jesus direct our way to you. And may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, just as we abound in love for you. And may he so strengthen your hearts in holiness that you may be blameless before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints.

1 Thessalonians 3:9-13

Hear the Word of the Lord:
Thanks be to God.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

‘There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves. People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see “the Son of Man coming in a cloud” with power and great glory. Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near.’

Then he told them a parable: ‘Look at the fig tree and all the trees; as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near. So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

‘Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day does not catch you unexpectedly, like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth. Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man.’

Every day he was teaching in the temple, and at night he would go out and spend the night on the Mount of Olives, as it was called. And all the people would get up early in the morning to listen to him in the temple.

Luke 21:25-38

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



Christmas Gift and Produce Stall...

Gift List...

\$12	Aprons	\$4	Christmas serviettes
\$3	Lavender bags		(or 6 for \$ \$20)
\$10	Linen Christmas tea towels	\$10	Christmas pot holders
\$12	Lined shopping bags	\$4	Small note pads with pens
\$8	Wine bottle bags	\$5	Large note pads with pens
\$3	Greeting Cards		

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