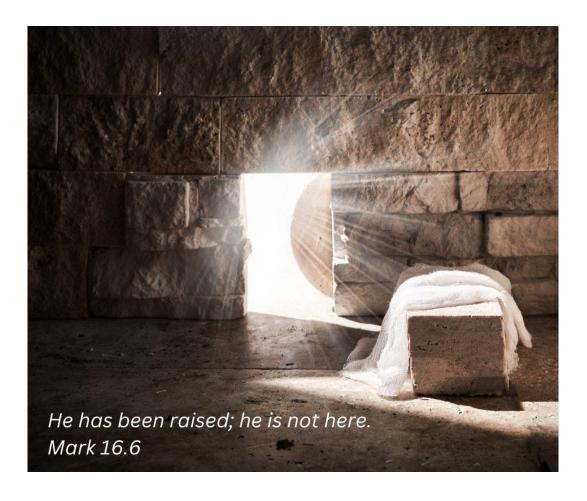


The Anglican Parish of Holy Trinity Lara with Christ Church Little River



Sunday 31st March 2024 Easter Sunday Service of Holy Communion Holy Trinity 10:00am

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Welcome to a Service of Holy Communion at the Anglican Parish of Holy Trinity Church Lara *with* Christ Church Little River.

We gather in this sacred space on the traditional lands of the Kulin nations, and we respectfully acknowledge the current, past and emerging elders of the Wadawurrung people.

All baptised Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you would prefer a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest. Low-gluten altar breads are available, please let us know if you require one.

> **Hymns** MP 691 This is the Day the Lord has made MP 357 Jesus Christ is risen today MP 25 All to Jesus I surrender MP 315 I will sing the wondrous story

(TIS: Together in Song, EW: Essential Worship Kevin Mayhew, AHB: Australian Hymn Book, MP: Mission Praise, ATE: All Together Everybody, HM: Hillsong Music)

Sentence:

This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Luke 24.34; Psalm 118.24

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Prayer of the day:

Brightness of God's glory, whom death could not conquer nor the tomb imprison: as you have shared our frailty in human flesh, help us to share your immortality in the Spirit; let no shadow of the grave terrify us, and no fear of darkness turn our hearts from you. Reveal yourself to us this day and all our days, as the First and the Last, the Living One, our immortal Saviour and Lord. **Amen.**

reading from the Book of Isaiah, Chapter 25, Verses 6-9

On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples

a feast of rich food, a feast of well-matured wines,

of rich food filled with marrow, of well-matured wines strained clear. And he will destroy on this mountain

the shroud that is cast over all peoples,

the sheet that is spread over all nations;

he will swallow up death for ever.

Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces,

and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken.

It will be said on that day,

Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the Lord for whom we have waited;

let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

Hear the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 118.1-2, 14-24

O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good: **his mercy endures for ever.**

Let Israel now proclaim: that his mercy endures for ever.

The Lord is my strength and my song: and has become my salvation.

The sounds of joy and deliverance: **are in the tents of the righteous.**

The right hand of the Lord does mighty things: **the right hand of the** Lord raises up.

I shall not die but live: and proclaim the works of the Lord.

The Lord has disciplined me hard: but he has not given me over to death. Open me the gates of righteousness: and I will enter and give thanks to the Lord.

This is the gate of the Lord: **the** righteous shall enter it.

I will praise you, for you answered me: **and have become my salvation.**

The stone that the builders rejected: has become the head of the corner.

This is the Lord's doing: **and it is marvellous in our eyes.**

This is the day that the Lord has made: **let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians, Chapter 15.1-11

Now I should remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you—unless you have come to believe in vain.

For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to someone untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace towards me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe. Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

 ${f T}$ he Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark 16.1-8

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. They had been saying to one another, 'Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?' When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. But he said to them, 'Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you.' So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

For the Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

${f R}$ eaffirmation of Baptismal Vows

Dear friends, through the paschal mystery we have been buried with Christ in his baptism, so that we may rise with him to new life. Now that our Lenten observance is ended, let us reaffirm the promises we made in baptism.

Prayers for the Week

If you would like to be included or include someone on the prayer list, please email <u>parlara@bigpond.net.au</u>.

World & Nation

We continue to pray for the gospel of peace to be heard in all nations, disarming violence; changing hearts and futures. We pray for wise and godly leaders and decisions across our governments - local, national and international. We pray for good rain to refresh our land and fill our water catchments; for our farmers and food producers to keep up with demand and thrive.

Church

Archdeaconry of Geelong (Stephen Pollard); The Diocese of Adelaide (Abp Geoff Smith, Asst Bps Denise Ferguson, Timothy Harris, Christopher McLeod); Examining Chaplains (Christopher Appleby, Rowan Callick, John Forsyth, Jane Freemantle, Noelene Horton, Philippa Lohmeyer-Collins, Gail Pinchbeck, Yvonne Poon, Nigel Pope, Alexander Ross, Heather Schnagl, Malcolm Tadgell, Dawn Treloar, Victor Yu); our ecumenical sister churches in Lara and Little River; Primate Geoffrey, Archbishop Philip, Bishop Brad.

Community

We give thanks for our families, both our own and neighbouring families within our community. We pray for a restful and safe school holiday break, safety on our roads for travellers, refreshment for students, staff, and parents, and the provision to meet the various needs of raising up the next generation. We pray for God's presence to be made known and shared across our community.

Special Need

Coralene, Andrea, Tony and Caleb, Dale and Chris, Nancy, Irene and Alan, Marj and David, Arch, Doris & Roseanne, Judy, Lucinda, Bronwyn, Joan.

In Memory

Jane Faithful (2.4.2000), Gaye Maxine Scott (3.4.2023), Patrick Herbert Simpson-White (5.4.2005), Mervyn Victor Teesdale (5.4.2001).

May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Message from Roxanne

Dear Friends,

Christ has risen! He has risen indeed!

We have journeyed with Jesus and with each other through Holy Week. I pray that you have been touched by him and that he has filled your heart with peace and joy. My thanks to everyone who has made these services so memorable and special. I am filled with a sense of awe and gratitude, how God has moved among us, supporting us and leading us through these most holy of liturgies.

ABM Easter Gift envelopes are available with the pew sheet for you to give to their projects, this year supporting Aboriginal and Torres Straight Islanders. Donations can be given via envelopes, direct debits or using phones and QR codes. We'll run this appeal through to the end of April.

As I look back over the twelve months since last Easter, I thank God for the many blessings that we have received. Our new playgroup Little Treasures is a blessing to all who attend and volunteer. It is such a pleasure to see the next generation using our facilities so carefully provided for by past generations. I thank God for Tara, our new Children's and Families Worker, who came to us via the playgroup and for the families who are making those steps towards our worshipping community. I continue to give thanks for the Op Shop and all our volunteers who tirelessly work to bring the best of our donations to the community.

For those of you who enjoy Cursillo, or who are interested in this program, a Day of Encouragement is being held next Saturday at the Community of the Holy Name in Cheltenham – details overleaf and all welcome.

My prayer for this Eastertide, is that we keep our fervour for Jesus, that we can truly say like the psalmist "Oh give thanks to the Lord for he is good".

Don't forget that Daylight Savings finishes next Sunday in the early morning and clocks move back one hour.

Grace and Peace, Roxanne.

Notices (Please note these dates and place them in your diary)

Sunday Service Zoom Details

Meeting ID: 82715954960 No passcode

Online Giving

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Day of Encouragement

Conducted by **Bishop Ian Palmer** (National Episcopal Advisor, Anglican Cursillo Movement.)

Saturday 6th April 2024 9:30 am to 4 pm BYO lunch to share.

Community of the Holy Name. 40 Cavanagh Street, Cheltenham.

RSVP: Bishop Ian Palmer palmeris50@icloud.com

For accommodation enquiries contac Janet Malin 0407 309 997

Next Sunday 7th April Service of Holy Communion at Holy Trinity Lara and Christ Church Little River

READINGS

Acts 4.32-37	Psalm 133	1 John 1.1-2.2	John 20.19-31
ROSTERS Welcomers Readers Intercessions Server Zoom Hospitality Prayer Support	Bill O'Brien, Annette Wendleman Annette Wendleman, Judy Hester Cynthia Roseburgh Coralene Stewart Marion Bennett John & Wendy Leeke Leon Pollard, Coralene Stewart		
Calendar Easter Monday	Public Holiday. Lara Food Reliet		
Easter Tuesday Wednesday	Vicar's Day off. <i>Office Closed</i> Holy Communion 10am HT Hall Hire – Calisthenics group – 5pm Wednesday Home Group 6:30pm Wednesday Evening Prayers 7:30pm HT		
Thursday	Morning Prayer	St Clare Chapel 10am Stry Meeting 10am HT	
Friday	Morning Prayer 9am Warblers 4:30pm HT		
Saturday	•	Encouragement 10am-	4pm



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Parish Values

Working Together Relationships Community Connection Natural Environment Meeting Christ

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