



# St Paul's Cathedral, Sale

St Alban's Kilmany, St Anne's Golden Beach & St Mark's Loch Sport

*We acknowledge the Gunaikurnai people as the original custodians of this region.  
All churches of the parish stand on the lands of the Gunaikurnai people.*

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**Cathedral Parish Vision:** *People of Christian faith –*

*Encouraging connection between the Divine and the everyday.*

**5<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

**Easter 6**

## Sentence of Scripture

Jesus said, 'You did not choose me, but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit.' *John 15.16*

## Prayer of the Day

Loving God,  
your Son has chosen us  
and called us to be his friends:  
give us grace to keep his commandments,  
to love one another,  
and to bear fruit which will abide;  
through him who is the true vine,  
the source of all our life,  
Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

## Holy Communion Services at St Paul's:

**Sundays - 8.00am and 10.00am Wednesdays - 10.00am** in the Lady Chapel

*Sunday Evenings* 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month @ 5pm **Contemplative Service**

Morning prayer 9am on Fridays

## Outcentre Services:

**St Anne's Golden Beach** 10.30am 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month

**St Alban's Kilmany** 2.00pm 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month (Not in December or January)

**St Mark's Loch Sport** *Services only at Easter and Christmas*

**Zoom Links:** Evening Prayer: **Daily at 5.30pm - 6.00pm**

Meeting ID: 879 3927 8803 Passcode: Prayer

Meditation:

**Weekdays: silent Christian Meditation, 8.15am-8.45am**

Meeting ID: 809 497 711 Passcode: 600361

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### **Cathedral Prayer Chain Requests**

Please contact Trish Broadbear 0418 104 840

**The prayer chain is for anyone in need of prayer**

*Our parish is committed to ensuring our centres of worship and outreach are safe places for all, especially children and vulnerable people.*

*We have a duty of care to protect all who participate in the life of the church from abuse. We have zero tolerance for abuse of any kind.*

If you are concerned about your own or somebody else's safety, or have witnessed behaviour that makes you feel uncomfortable you can contact the Deputy Director of Professional Standards in the Gippsland Diocese, Julie Reilly Mobile: 0456 572 589 Email: [julie@kooyoora.org.au](mailto:julie@kooyoora.org.au) You may also like to talk to the Dean or the Lay Canons, or if this is a really serious matter, go directly to the police, and then to the above.

*Please pray for our supported student Moses Baiduduga at Newton College PNG.*

### **A Reading from The Acts of the Apostles**

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, 'Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?' So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days. *Acts 10.44-48*

Hear the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 98**

O sing to the Lord a new song:

**for he has done marvellous things;**

His right hand and his holy arm:

**they have got him the victory.**

The Lord has made known his salvation:

**he has revealed his just deliverance**

**in the sight of the nations.**

He has remembered his mercy and faithfulness towards the house of Israel:

**and all the ends of the earth**

**have seen the salvation of our God.**

Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth:

**break into singing and make melody.**

Make melody to the Lord upon the harp:

**upon the harp and with the sounds of praise.**

With trumpets and with horns:

**cry out in triumph before the Lord, the king.**

Let the sea roar, and all that fills it:

**the good earth and those who live upon it.**

Let the rivers clap their hands:

**and let the mountains ring out together before the Lord;**

For he comes to judge the earth:

**he shall judge the world with righteousness,**

**and the peoples with equity.**

### **A Reading from The First Letter of John**

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth. There are three that testify: the Spirit and the water and the blood, and these three agree. If we receive human testimony, the testimony of God is greater; for this is the testimony of God that he has testified to his Son. Those who believe in the Son of God have the testimony in their hearts. Those who do not believe in God have made him a liar by not believing in the testimony that God has given concerning his Son. And this is the testimony: God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life. *1 John 5.1-12*

Hear the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

**Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. 'This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command

you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another. *John 15.9-17*

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

***Reflection:***

The believers accompanying Peter were astonished that the Holy Spirit was being poured out even on to the Gentiles who heard the word. This must have been truly shocking to them. When and how have we seen God throwing open the doors to the Church even wider in our own experience? How have we responded? In awe and wonder, or angry that God has done something new that we do not understand?

- Pray for all whom the Church excludes, and pray that God will open the doors of our hearts and minds to be as welcoming as Christ would have us.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Episcopal Church of Jerusalem and the Middle East, remembering especially Al-Ahli Hospital in Gaza City.

Text: Robert McLean

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All are invited to the monthly **Legends Dinner on May 5<sup>th</sup>** at 6pm. Roasts available for **\$18 (No longer \$13)**. Kathy can provide transport. Please book in via sign in sheet at church.

**TODAY Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May @ 2.30pm** Lachlan Redd will perform a **short concert showcasing our organ**. Free entry so invite your family and friends.

A service to celebrate the lives of Mavis Jennings and Bill Jennings OAM is on this **Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May at 3pm**.

**If you receive an email from REV Keren, check the email address, as more SPAM emails asking you to do a job for her are doing the rounds again.**

**Wanderers:** Lunch at La Porchetta at 12 noon on Friday 17th. Cuppa and chat Thur 10am at Shirley's. All welcome. Contact Jan on 0421605461.

**The Mission of the month is the Leprosy Mission.** More info next week, or on the Mission Board. Thanks to Jan Down for this monthly display.

The Abbey is selling **special wines**. Pamphlets on the table in the foyer.

## St Paul's Hymnlovers

After last year's great success, we're once again inviting everyone to fill out your favourite hymn choices on the slips provided and return them to Keren. Your favourite hymns will be scheduled Sunday by Sunday from July.

## Meetings This week

**Wednesday:** 2pm Ministry team 4.30pm Property Team

**Thursday:** Chapter 7pm

On Wednesday Year 12's from the Catholic College are using our Hall, those attending the Wednesday service will need to enter via the back door, or via the hall foyer and cathedral.



## Lachlan Redd Organist

Lachlan Redd graduated from the Manhattan School of Music in New York, with a Masters degree in piano performance. He was a scholarship holder and recipient of the Queen's Trust for Young Australians. He completed his Bachelor of Music Degree with First Class Honours and was awarded the University medal from the Australian National University.

In 1995 Lachlan won First Prize in the Fourth International Youth Music Festival "Virtuosi of the year 2000" in St Petersburg. He was a finalist in the inaugural ABC TV Quest Competition (1995) and the following year won the national Keyboard Finals of the ABC Young Performer of the Year Awards. He has appeared as a recitalist and concerto artist for the ABC on simulcasts on ABC TV and Classic FM and as a soloist with the Melbourne, Adelaide, Tasmanian and Queensland Philharmonic and Symphony orchestras. In 2004 Lachlan, as Curry Scholar, was appointed Assistant Organist at St Paul's Cathedral; this position is supported by the Curry Scholarship and The Vera Moore Trust. He was appointed Sub-Organist in 2014.

**Please wear your namebadge**, to the services as well as to morning tea, so we can all get to know your names. If you don't have one, see Christine.

## Morning prayer

Please join Dean Keren in the Cathedral for Morning Prayer every Friday at 9am. We'll pray for our parish and diocese, and any other concerns pray-ers may have!

**The (10am) service each week is live streamed.** (Search *St Paul's Cathedral Sale when in* YouTube) <https://www.youtube.com/@stpaulscathedralsale/streams>

## Coming up at The Abbey



May 16<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> – Retreat: Love is Letting Go of Fear. (Thursday – Sunday).  
Facilitator: Martin Hosking

May 31<sup>st</sup> – June 2<sup>nd</sup> – Weekend Retreat: Meeting the Enneagram. Facilitator: Julia Fullarton.

Our regular Hush days continue on a monthly basis, with Revd. Canon David Head facilitating our May Hush day on the topic Spirituality from the Rivers, Lakes & Oceans. Thursday May 9<sup>th</sup>.

In May, we also offer the penultimate session in the series The Creation Windows through Literature, Art & Music. June Treadwell and Sue Fordham are presenting this event. The focus is 'Humans'. Wednesday May 8<sup>th</sup>.

### **CHURCH BULLETIN BLOOPERS Part 1** 😊

- ~ At the evening service tonight, the sermon topic will be "What is Hell?" Come early and listen to our choir practice.
- ~ Eight new choir robes are currently needed, due to the addition of several new members and to the deterioration of some older ones.
- ~ The senior choir invites any member of the congregation who enjoys sinning to join the choir.
- ~ Scouts are saving aluminum cans, bottles, and other items to be recycled. Proceeds will be used to cripple children.
- ~ The Lutheran men's group will meet at 6 pm. Steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, bread and dessert will be served for a nominal fee.
- ~ For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.
- ~ During the absence of our Pastor, we enjoyed the rare privilege of hearing a good sermon when J.F. Stubbs supplied our pulpit.
- ~ Please place your donation in the envelope along with the deceased person(s) you want remembered.
- ~ Attend and you will hear an excellent speaker and have a healthy lunch.

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#### **Sunday Bulletin / Web/Facebook contact:**

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St Paul's Anglican Cathedral Sale  
Music Foundation Trust



# Meet The Organ

**5th May @ 2.30pm**



Renowned organist Lachlan Redd will perform a short concert showcasing the capabilities of the St Paul's Cathedral organ, with a brief talk afterwards.

Following the talk there will be the opportunity for a mini-lesson! Curious about the power of the organ?

Always wanted to have a go?

This is your opportunity!



**more info:**

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**All May - Some Should - None Must**

*Friedrich  
Fröbel*



The St Paul's Cathedral Music Foundation Trust is tax deductible for amounts over \$2, and facilities for donation will be available on the day.

## Mission Helpers Thanksgiving 12<sup>th</sup> May

On 12<sup>th</sup> May at both Sunday services we'll be giving thanks for the ministry of the Mission Helpers, an organisation which has been operating in the parish for almost a century. Over those many years, a group of faithful folk have gathered to pray for various missions locally and overseas, to make necessary items and to raise funds for mission, as well as enjoying a cup of tea and fellowship. The thanksgiving next Sunday will include the laying up of the minute books - both the latest and the earliest we could find - as sadly, the time for this ministry is concluding. Of course, this doesn't mean we no longer have a concern for mission! We will still continue with a Mission of the Month and giving to mission agencies. We always hope that when we lay something down, the seed will sprout with a bountiful harvest in other ways. Come and give thanks for this faithful ministry.

