

St Paul's Cathedral, Sale / Wayput

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 — 4th August 2024
Encouraging connection between the Divine and the everyday. 11th after Pentecost

Sentence of Scripture

Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labour for that which does not satisfy? Eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. Isaiah 55.2

Prayer of the Day

Living God,
whose Son Jesus fed the hungry
with the bread of his life
and the word of his kingdom:
renew your people with your heavenly
grace, and in all our weakness
sustain us with your true and living bread,
Jesus Christ our Lord;
who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen

Hope25 Collect

God of Hope you call on us to be your witnesses in this uncertain world; by your Spirit awaken in us a true vision of your kingdom, a greater certainty of our salvation, and a deeper dedication to your service; that through our words and actions the same Spirit may bring many who are lost to be found, and for them to celebrate the hope that we can only have in Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen

Holy Communion Services at St Paul's:

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

Sunday Evenings 3rd Sunday of the month @ 5pm Contemplative Service

Morning Prayer 9am on Fridays

Outcentre Services:

St Anne's Golden Beach 10.30am 1st Sunday & 3rd Sunday of the month

St Alban's Kilmany 2.00pm 3rd 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 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 Second Book of Samuel

When the wife of Uriah heard that her husband was dead, she made lamentation for him. When the mourning was over, David sent and brought her to his house, and she became his wife, and bore him a son. And the Lord sent Nathan to David. He came to him, and said to him, 'There were two men in a certain city, one rich and the other poor. The rich man had very many flocks and herds; but the poor man had nothing but one little ewe lamb, which he had bought. He brought it up, and it grew up with him and with his children; it used to eat of his meagre fare, and drink from his cup, and lie in his bosom, and it was like a daughter to him. Now there came a traveller to the rich man, and he was loath to take one of his own flock or herd to prepare for the wayfarer who had come to him, but he took the poor man's lamb, and prepared that for the guest who had come to him.' Then David's anger was greatly kindled against the man. He said to Nathan, 'As the Lord lives, the man who has done this deserves to die; he shall restore the lamb fourfold, because he did this thing, and because he had no pity.' Nathan said to David, 'You are the man! Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel: I anointed you king over Israel, and I rescued you from the hand of Saul; I gave you your master's house, and your master's wives into your bosom, and gave you the house of Israel and of Judah; and if that had been too little, I would have added as much more. Why have you despised the word of the Lord, to do what is evil in his sight? You have struck down Uriah the Hittite with the sword, and have taken his wife to be your wife, and have killed him with the sword of the Ammonites. Now therefore the sword shall

never depart from your house, for you have despised me, and have taken the wife of Uriah the Hittite to be your wife. Thus says the Lord: I will raise up trouble against you from within your own house; and I will take your wives before your eyes, and give them to your neighbour, and he shall lie with your wives in the sight of this very sun. For you did it secretly; but I will do this thing before all Israel, and before the sun.' David said to Nathan, 'I have sinned against the Lord.' Nathan said to David, 'Now the Lord has put away your sin; you shall not die. 2 Samuel 11.26 - 12.13a

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

Psalm 51.1-12

Have mercy on me, O God, in your enduring goodness:

according to the fullness of your compassion blot out my offences.

Wash me thoroughly from my wickedness:

and cleanse me from my sin.

For I acknowledge my rebellion:

and my sin is ever before me.

Against you only have I sinned

and done what is evil in your eyes:

so you will be just in your sentence

and blameless in your judging.

Surely in wickedness I was brought to birth:

and in sin my mother conceived me.

You that desire truth in the inward parts:

O teach me wisdom in the secret places of the heart.

Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean:

wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

Make me hear of joy and gladness:

let the bones which you have broken rejoice.

Hide your face from my sins:

and blot out all my iniquities.

Create in me a clean heart, O God:

and renew a right spirit within me.

Do not cast me out from your presence:

do not take your holy spirit from me.

O give me the gladness of your help again:

and support me with a willing spirit.

A Reading from The Letter to the Ephesians

I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called,

with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love,

making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling,

one Lord, one faith, one baptism,

one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift.

Therefore it is said,

'When he ascended on high he made captivity itself a captive;

he gave gifts to his people.'

(When it says, 'He ascended', what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower parts of the earth?

He who descended is the same one who ascended far above all the heavens, so that he might fill all things.)

The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers,

to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ.

We must no longer be children, tossed to and fro and blown about by every wind of doctrine, by people's trickery, by their craftiness in deceitful scheming.

But speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and knitted together by every ligament with which it is equipped, as each part is working properly, promotes the body's growth in building itself up in love. *Ephesians 4.1-16*

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.

So when the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus. When they found him on the other side of the lake, they said to him, 'Rabbi, when did you come here?' Jesus answered them, 'Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.' Then they said to him, 'What must we do to perform the works of God?' Jesus answered them, 'This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.' So they said to him, 'What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, "He gave them bread from heaven to eat."' Then Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the

world.' They said to him, 'Sir, give us this bread always.' Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. *John 6.24-35*

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

4 th August 2024 Today's hymns are brought to you by		
Hymn	Name	It's my favourite because
Lead us, heavenly father	Arthur	It was one of Yvonne's favourites.
lead us	McPherson	
We have a gospel to	Arthur	
proclaim	McPherson	
Today I awake – John Bell	Sue	It's beautiful, it's trinitarian, a great
	Hopkins	start for a day.
Sent forth by God's blessing	Keren	

Dean's Doings

This week a bunch of us will be heading to Golden Beach to celebrate 20 years since the church building was opened there. We give thanks for the faithfulness of people who had a vision for building a church at Golden Beach, and those who have worshipped and led worship in that place over the last two decades. Please pray that God will continue to bless ministry at Golden Beach.

This week the Deans' Conference came to an end for 2024, and I caught a redeye flight back from Darwin (never, ever again!). It was a great time of connection with fellow Deans from around the country. Next year's conference will be in Perth, and the year after, in 2026 we, here in Sale, will be hosting it!



Thank you to everyone who made last week's St Anne's Day service a success. I've heard great feedback from the school, as well as from congregation members who were there, about the service, and there's great hope that we will be able to make this an annual event to which the Gippsland Grammar community is made welcome.

It was drawn to my attention that there was some inaccuracy in the information I received at the time of Lachlan Redd's passing. His funeral was held on Tuesday 23rd July, and was a beautiful, if profoundly moving service. We continue to pray for his family, including Katrina, his mother (previous published as another name, with my apologies). His passing has left a huge gap in Melbourne's musical community.

On a hopeful note, this week I took delivery of a pedal (orchestral) harp for which many of you will know I've

been waiting more than two years! You can see how much bigger it is than my other harp! I will look forward to bringing it over to the Cathedral to play for you - once the tuning has settled. With this instrument, it opens up the possibility of regular harp concerts with visiting artists, so watch this space!

Keren

The inaugural Anglican Service at Golden Beach was held in the Community Hall on the 13th March 1994 with Dean Arthur Jones. The St Anne's Golden Beach Church was built by the late Peter Down (who built the new Delbridge hall) and it was opened and dedicated on the 27th June 2004 by Bishop Jeffrey Driver with Dean Brian Turner.

Tonight is Legends dinner at 6pm. Please add your name on the sign up list in the foyer so we can book a table.

Wanderers lunch at Jack Ryan's Irish Pub 12 noon on Friday 9th August. Cuppa and chat Thursday 15th at 10am at The Dock Cafe (library)

Meetings this week

Wednesday 3pm 140th Celebration Working Party 4.30pm Property Team Thursday 7pm Chapter Meeting

Six Strong Steps

An ACTinG webinar on Tues 13th August, 7:00 PM-8:30PM with Dr Cath Connelly

ACTinG presents a webinar that tackles grief and anxiety in the context of the crises our world is facing, including climate change.

Dr Cath Connelly, Director of The Abbey, will base her presentation around the six steps that Claire Dunn outlines, for people to be enablers of hope.

Claire Dunn is a writer, speaker and re-wilding facilitator, helping people to reconnect with nature. The webinar will explore each of these steps:

Know your neighbours. Know your place. Get skills. Grieve. Create. Celebrate. The link for joining in the webinar is: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86776821367

Launch of the Prayer Trees St Paul's Cathedral, Sale 3pm on Sunday 1st Sept With guest speaker, Tony Rinaudo, agriculturalist, missionary, and author of The Forest Underground: Hope for a Planet in Crisis, Christian Book of the Year, 2022 Come along on Sunday 1st September, when the Cathedral will be hosting a diocesan-wide event: the launch of the Prayer Trees. If churches across the diocese plant a tree, or dedicate an existing one, they will become a forest, dispersed across Gippsland.

The idea of a prayer tree is rather like lighting a candle in church – a written prayer pegged to a string on a tree symbolises the prayer continuing on after we have left the location.

Being outside, the prayer tree will be accessible to everyone, a place for prayer and

contemplation. Trees across the Diocese – and beyond – will be united through this common desire to hold the prayers of all who visit these places.

This day also marks the beginning of the Season of Creation, when we praise God for creation and pray and commit to addressing the things that threaten its wellbeing. Light refreshments will be provided following the service at the Cathedral. The launch will also be live-streamed for parishes across the diocese and any who need to watch from home.

On Saturday 31st August, the day before, Bishop Richard will bless the grandmother Prayer Tree at The Abbey, before The Abbey's Winter Feast begins. See also: https://www.theabbey.org.au/communion-forest

The Avon Parish is hosting an online short course on 'Introduction to Lexio Divina' for two nights on 7 and 8 August from 7.30-8.30pm. The sessions will be led by Jamie Miller Obl. OSB, a wonderful and wise guide for us! See poster.

You're invited to a: **Seminar on the Gospel of Mark** Presented by The Revd Canon Dr Robert Derrenbacker Dean, Trinity College Theological School, Melbourne On Saturday 17th August 2024 2:00pm - 4:00pm at St Paul's This is a free seminar, offered in persona and online via Zoom. To



register: https://www.trybooking.com/CRYXZ For more information, please contact: dean@stpaulssale.org.au or (03) 5144 2020.

Coming up:

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- \rightarrow Evensong August 25th
- → Prayer Tree Launch 1st September 3pm
- → 140th Anniversary of St Paul's Church 14th October.10am One morning service.

Mission of the Month: Anglicare Victoria

Four in every 10 families walking through the doors of Anglicare Victoria's emergency relief centres in the last 12 months were new faces that have never needed help before.

More private renters and people with a regular income are being forced to seek help as they can't make ends meet. \$2.03m in food, medicine, clothes and other relief was delivered to people in need in 2023/24, more than double the \$874k pre-COVID for the 2019/20 period.

Anglicare Victoria's Winter Appeal is to 'Take Hunger off the Table'.

Please pray for the Anglicare staff and the families they are assisting. If you would like to make a donation, please put in an envelope marked Anglicare and place in

the collection bag on Sunday, or donate online at www.anglicarevic.org.au. More information about Anglicare's work can be seen on the noticeboard.

Hope25 is a project led by the General Synod that is an intentional season of **sharing hope in Jesus.** More information can be found at https://www.hope25.com.au/

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.

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 every Friday at 9am. We 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

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GIANT BOOK FAIR

First 3 weeks of January 2024 Delbridge Hall St Paul's

We need clean BOOKS, DVDs and CDs

Please leave on the BACK verandah of Delbridge Hall next to the Cathedral.

Go down Marley St beside the Cathedral, drive in beside Delbridge Funeral Chapel and into our carpark, then drive up to the back of the cathedral and the hall verandah is on the left.