



Anglican Church of Australia

Diocese of Melbourne

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH

PARISH OF BURNLEY

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Worship Bulletin



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

15th January, 2023

10.00am Sung Mass

Welcome to St Bart's!

We are an inner-city Anglican church in the progressive catholic tradition welcoming people of any race, language, culture, age, ability, gender or sexual orientation.



We recognize and give honour to the first peoples of Australia, and especially of the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin nations, past, present, and emerging, the traditional custodians of the land on which this parish has its mission and ministry.

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, BURNLEY

Our Vision

To live as citizens of, and invite others into, God's Kingdom.

Our Mission

The Mission of St Bartholomew's Anglican Church, Burnley, is to be a community who values the blessings and trust in the promises of God's Kingdom within the cultural and social context of Richmond, Melbourne:

- To live humbly before God and with all people
- To be dependent on God's comfort
- To be gentle with people and all Creation
- To hunger and thirst for the right ways of God
- To show mercy and compassion toward others
- To live with purity in motive and deed
- To be passionate for peace
- To persevere in the face of opposition

Based on the Beatitudes (Matthew 5:3-10) Adopted by the 2015 Annual Meeting

CHILD SAFETY COMMITMENT

St Bartholomew's Anglican Church, Burnley commits to meeting all of the standards of the Child Safety Code of Conduct of the Anglican Diocese of Melbourne, and the Victorian Government's mandatory Child Safe Standards (Child Wellbeing and Safety Amendment (Child Safe Standards) Act 2015, Child Wellbeing and Safety Amendment (Oversight and Enforcement of Child Safe Standards) Act 2016). The parish community seeks to promote the cultural safety of all children, including Aboriginal children, who come to us from a culturally or linguistically diverse background. We also seek to ensure the safety of any child with a disability. The parish community affirms that all children who come to St Bartholomew's have a right to feel and be safe. We are committed to ensuring that children's best interests are met within our parish. We have zero tolerance towards child abuse. The parish community actively works to listen to and empower children within our community.

Facilities including disabled and baby change room are located in the front entrance of the main hall. Enter via the main door of the hall. For all able access see welcomer.



If you want to ensure regular giving to St Bart's, but find you never have the right amount in cash, or are sometimes unable to attend on Sundays, then

St Bart's Direct Transfer may work for you.

Account Name: St Bartholomew's Anglican Church Burnley

BSB: 703 122

Account Number: 05009430

As a reference you can use your own name, or you can use 'Offering' & your name will remain anonymous with your personal details not appearing on the St Bart's bank statement.

10:00am Sung Mass

Presider: *Bp Alison Taylor*
Deacon & Preacher: *Fr Graeme Brennan*
Sub Deacon: *Trevor Blake*
Organist: *Robert Stove*
Mass Setting: *Christ Church Mass – Philip Matthias*

Organ Prelude

Gathering

The Hymn is sung as the Sacred Ministers enter to commence the liturgy.

Hymn: *Come down, O love divine (AM 238i)*

Invocation & Greeting

✠ In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Sentence

God is faithful; by him you were called into the fellowship of his Son,
 Jesus Christ our Lord. ¹ Corinthians 1.9

Kyrie Eleison

mp
 Lord, have mer-cy, Lord, have mer-cy Lord, have mer -
cresc.
 -cy. Christ, have mer - cy, Christ, have mer - cy, Christ, have mer -
mf *dim.* *mp*
 -cy, Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy, Lord have mer - cy.

Invitation to Confession

Sisters and brothers, as we prepare to celebrate these sacred mysteries, let us call to mind our sins.

Confession

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith confident in God's forgiveness.

Merciful God, our maker and our judge, we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, and in what we have failed to do: we have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves; we repent, and are sorry for all our sins. Father, forgive us. Strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith: ✠ pardon you and set you free from all your sins, Confirm and strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Gloria

Glo - ry to God in the high-est, and
 peace to God's peo-ple on earth, Lord God, heav'n - ly King, al - might - y God and
 Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for_ your
 glo - ry. Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther,
 Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world: have

mer - cy on us: you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
 ceive our prayer. For you a-lone are the Ho - ly One,
 you a-lone are the Lord, you a-lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the
 Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

Collect

Almighty God, whose Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, is the light of the world: may your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, shine with the radiance of his glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Word

First Reading

Isaiah 49: 3, 5 - 6

I will give you as a light to the nations that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth.

A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah.

The Lord said to me, 'You are my servant, Israel, in whom I will be glorified. 'And now the Lord says, who formed me in the womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob back to him, and that Israel might be gathered to him, for I am honoured in the sight of the Lord, and my God has become my strength. He says, 'It is too small a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to restore the survivors of Israel; I will give you as a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth.'

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 40: 1 – 4, 9 – 10

Response



I waited, I waited for the Lord and he stooped down to me; he heard my cry. He put a new song into my mouth, the praise of our God. *R/-*

You do not ask for sacrifice and offerings, but an open ear. You do not ask for holocaust and victim. Instead here am I. *R/-*

In the scroll of the book it stands written that I should do your will. My God, I delight in your law in the depth of my heart *R/-*

Your justice I have proclaimed in the great assembly. My lips I have not sealed; you know it, O Lord. *R/-*

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 1: 1 – 3

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

From Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and from our brother, Sosthenes. To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those who are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, together with all those who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

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Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation (AM 374)



The Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us. He enabled those who accepted him to become children of God. John 1.14, 12



Gospel

John 1: 29 – 34

When Jesus had been baptized, he saw the Spirit of God coming upon him.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to John.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, 'Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.' I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel.'

And John testified, 'I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.'

And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

Fr Graeme Brennan

The Creed

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church.

We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to

judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the Resurrection of the dead, and the ✠ life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Let us pray for all people and for the Church throughout the world.

Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ has promised that you will hear us when we ask in faith: receive the prayers we offer:

After each petition:

Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

And at the end:

✠ Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord:
And let light perpetual shine upon them.

Almighty God, you have promised to hear our prayers.

Grant that what we have asked in faith we may by your grace receive, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Peace *(Stand)*

We are the Body of Christ.

His Spirit is with us.

The Peace of the Lord be always with you
and also with you.

The Peace is shared

Notices and announcements

The Sacrament

Offertory – All for Jesus (AM 421)

During the Offertory Hymn the altar is prepared. Gifts of bread, wine and the collection are gathered and brought to the front of the church.



Prayer over the Gifts

Lord God, by this holy exchange of gifts, you share with us your divine life. Grant that everything we do may be directed by the knowledge of your truth, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

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.

It is indeed right, it is our duty, our joy and our salvation, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to you, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ your only Son our Lord. For he is the true high priest, who has freed us from our sins and made us a royal priesthood, to serve you, our God and Father.

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:

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord,
 God of pow'r and might, Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry, Ho -
 - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

And now, Father, we pray that we who receive these your gifts of bread and wine according to our Saviour's word may be partakers of his Body and Blood.

The Celebrant takes the bread in his hands and says:

For on the night he was betrayed he took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, his almighty Father, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'TAKE, EAT. THIS IS MY BODY WHICH IS GIVEN FOR YOU. DO THIS IN REMEMBRANCE OF ME.'

The Celebrant takes the cup in his hands and says:

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 WHICH IS SHED FOR YOU AND FOR MANY FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS. DO THIS, AS OFTEN AS YOU DRINK IT, IN REMEMBRANCE OF ME.'

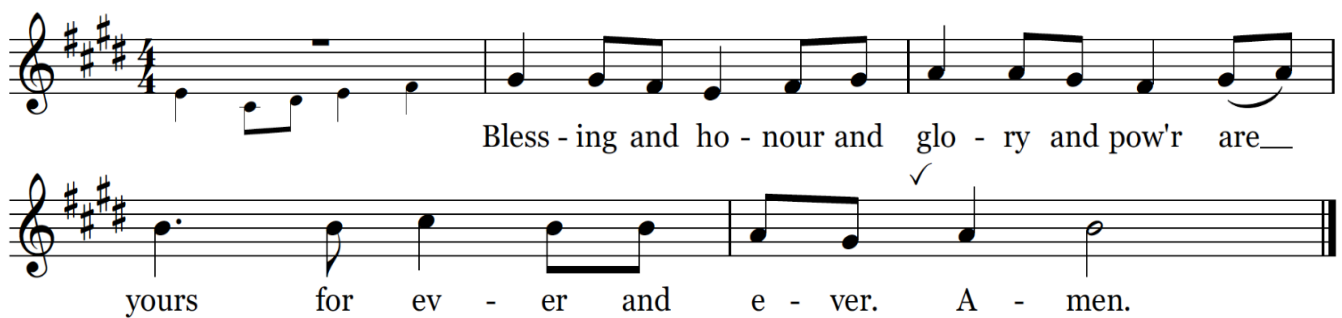
Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died, Christ is ri - sen, Christ will come a - gain.

Therefore, in obedience to his command, we commemorate and celebrate his saving passion and death, his mighty Resurrection and Ascension into heaven and we eagerly await his coming again in glory.

We thank you that by your grace alone, you have accepted us in Christ; and here we offer you a spiritual sacrifice, holy and acceptable in your sight. Through Christ, receive this our duty and service, and grant that we who eat and drink these holy gifts may, by your Holy Spirit, be one body in Christ, and serve you in unity and peace.

In your grace and mercy, bring us to the joy of your eternal kingdom with all the company of the redeemed. May we praise you in union with them, and give you glory, through your Son, Jesus Christ. Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father eternal, in songs of never-ending praise:



Rite of Holy Communion

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour has taught us, we are confident to pray:

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 forever. Amen.

Fraction

We who are many are one body in Christ,
for we all share in the one bread.

Fraction Anthem

Je - sus, Lamb of God, have
mer - cy on us. Je - sus, bear - er of our sins, have
mer - cy on us. Je - sus, re-deem - er of the world,
grant us your peace, grant us your peace.

The Invitation to Holy Communion

✠ This is the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. Happy 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.

Holy Communion is administered with these or similar words:

The Body / Blood of Christ. **Amen.**

All communicant members of any Christian Church are invited to receive the Sacrament. All others are very welcome to come forward for a blessing.

Communion Sentence

We know and believe the love God has for us, and this commandment we have from him, that he who loves God should love his brother also. ^{1 Jn 4: 16, 21}

Post-Communion Prayer

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever. **Amen.**

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.

Hymn – Love is his way (AM 454) –

Blessing and Dismissal

The Lord be with you

And also with you.

May Christ the Son of God be manifest to you, that your lives may be a light to the world; and the blessing of God almighty, ☩ the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always.

Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

Postlude

A Prayer for Ukraine

Lord of all the earth, be present with the people of Ukraine at this time of danger, fear and conflict. Grant that wise and peaceable counsels may yet prevail, and give to all suffering nations the freedom they desire and deserve. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Prayer Diary

For the sick, suffering, frail with age, and those who grieve: Joy, Milenka, Mira, Bruce, Hank, Robert, Bp John Parkes, Howard, Stephen and Nilani.

Recently Departed: Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, Rev Dr Ian Breward, Bro Placid Lawson, OSB.

and for those whose Anniversaries of death occur in Years mind:

Bruce McIntosh (15th), Lindsay Guy & Kim Roberts (16th), Richard Kurrle, Jennifer Murphy, Michael Papapantos & Colin Peterson (17th), Andy Blair & Simon Coulter (18th), Hugh Bond (19th), Ronald Brown (20th)

Prayer at the Time of Choosing an Incumbent

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 warm and generous hearts, for Jesus Christ's sake. **Amen.**

For Your Diary

Sunday, 22 January, 2023 – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

10.00am Sung Mass *and refreshments*

*At next Sunday's Mass, we will be pleased to welcome
Rev Debra Saffrey-Collins, BSL, as our guest preacher.*

5.00pm Mass *in recess during January Holiday Period*

Monday, 23 January

10.00am to 12noon Richmond Churches Food Centre

Tuesday, 24 January

St Bart's Opportunity Shop to open soon

Thursday, 26 January (Australia Day)

10.00am Mass

Sundays 22 & 29 January, 2023

10.00am Mass *and refreshments*

Thursday, 02 February (Presentation of Christ in the Temple)

10.00am Mass

Sunday, 05 February, 23 – 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

10.00am Sung Mass

5.00pm Mass *resumes*

Tuesday, 21 February, 2023

7.30pm Parish Council Meeting

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Richmond Churches Food Centre

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2023 Parish Governance



Churchwardens:

- Helen McDonald (People's)
- Cynthia Nyholm (People's)
- Glenis Heath (Vicar's)

Parish Council:

(meets 3rd Tuesday 7.30pm)

- Trevor Blake
- Glenis Heath
- Helen McDonald
- Cynthia Nyholm
- Dr Muriel Porter
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- Dr Muriel Porter
- Helen McDonald
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53rd Diocesan Synod

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Worship Sunday

10.00am SUNG or SOLEMN MASS

5.00pm MASS in Holiday Recess during January

Mid-Week

Thursday 10.00am Mass

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Weekly Reflection

Dear Friends of St Bart's,

From time to time I end my weekly pastoral letter with '*Wishing you his Grace and Peace*'. After centuries of handling and mishandling, most religious words become so shopworn that nobody's much interested any more. Not so with *grace*, for some reason.

Mysteriously, even derivatives like *gracious* and *graceful* still have some of the bloom left.

Grace is something you can never get but can only be given. There's no way to earn it or deserve it or bring it about any more than you can deserve the taste of raspberries and cream or earn good looks or bring about your own birth.

A good sleep is grace and so are good dreams. Most tears are grace. Normally (*outside once-in-a-century La Niña flood seasons*), the smell of rain is grace (*ask a Queensland farmer*). Somebody loving you is grace. Loving somebody is grace. Have you ever *tried* to love somebody?

A crucial eccentricity of the Christian faith is the assertion that people are saved by grace.

There's nothing *you* have to do. There's nothing you *have* to do. There's nothing you have to *do*.

The grace of God means something like: Here is your life. You might never have been, but you *are* because the party wouldn't have been complete without you. Here is the world. Beautiful and terrible things will happen. Don't be afraid: I am with you. Nothing can ever separate us. It's for you I created the universe. I love you.

There's only one catch. Like any other gift, the gift of grace can be yours only if you'll reach out and take it.

Perhaps being able to reach out and take it is a gift, too.

Wishing you His Grace and Peace, Fr Graeme (*Locum Tenens*).

PARISH LENTEN STUDIES

We'll be using the Garratt Publishing book,
God is on the Journey, Too by Christopher Monaghan CP (cost \$8.95)

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