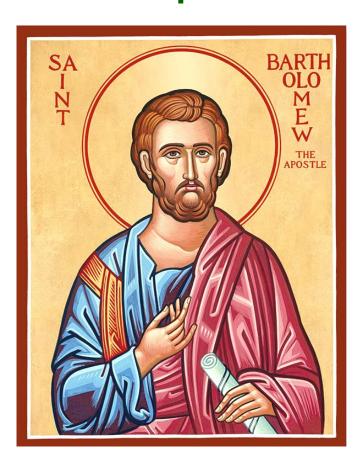


Anglican Church of Australia Diocese of Melbourne St Bartholomew's Church

Parish of Burnley

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Worship Bulletin



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 5th February, 2023 10.00am Solemn 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

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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: Fr Graeme Brennan

Deacon: Fr Jim Brady

Sub Deacon:Cynthia NyholmPreacher:Bp Alison Taylor

Organist: Linda Kent

Mass Setting: Christ Church Mass – Philip Matthias

Organ Prelude

Gathering

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

Hymn: Alleluia, sing to Jesus (AM 422)

Invocation & Greeting

■ In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

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Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Sentence

Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven. Matthew 5.16



Invitation to Confession

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

(Silence may be kept)

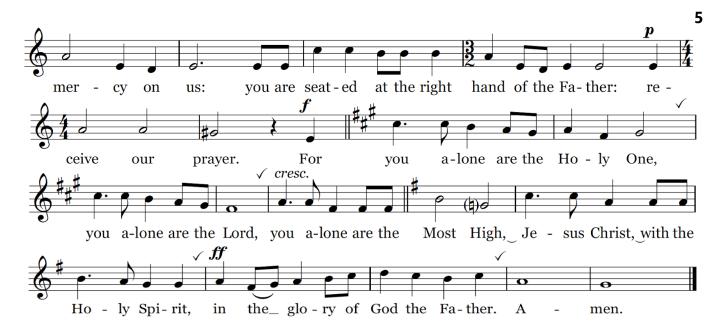
Confession

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





Collect

Faithful God, you have appointed us your witnesses, to be a light that shines in the world: let us not hide the bright hope you have given us, but tell everyone your love, revealed in Jesus Christ the Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**.

The Word

First Reading

Isaiah 58: 6 - 10

Your light shall break forth like the dawn.

A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah.

Thus says the Lord: "Is this not the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice, to undo the thongs of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke? Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, to cover them, and not to hide yourself from your own kin? "Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up quickly; your vindicator shall go before you, the glory of the Lord shall be your rear guard. Then you shall call, and the Lord will answer; you shall cry for help, and he will say, 'Here I am.' "If you remove the yoke from among you, the pointing of the finger, the speaking of evil, if you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted, then your light shall rise in the darkness and your gloom be like the noonday."

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 112: 4 - 9



He is light in the darkness for the upright: he is generous, merciful and just. The good man takes pity and lends, he conducts his affairs with honour. R/-

The just man will never waver: he will be remembered for ever. He has no fear of evil news; with a firm heart he trusts in the Lord. R/-

With a steadfast heart he will not fear; open-handed, he gives to the poor; His justice stands firm for ever.

His head will be raised in glory.

R/-

Second Reading 5

1 Corinthians 2: 1 –

I proclaimed to you the mystery of Jesus Christ, and him crucified.

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

When I came to you, brothers and sisters, I did not come proclaiming the mystery of God to you in lofty words or wisdom. For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. And I came to you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling. My speech and my proclamation were not with plausible words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation (AM 374)



I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will



have the light of life. see Jn 8.12

Gospel Matthew 5: 13 – 16

You are the light of the world.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Jesus went up the mountain and was joined by his disciples. Then he began to teach them: "You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything, but is thrown out and trampled under foot. "You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hidden. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

Bp Alison Taylor

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 4 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: Love divine, all loves excelling (AM 721 ii)

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.

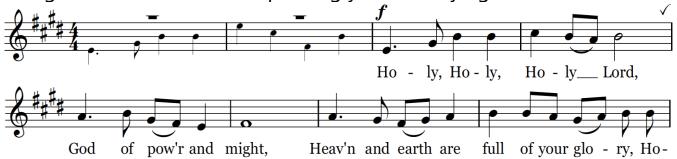
Lift up your hearts

We lift them to the Lord.

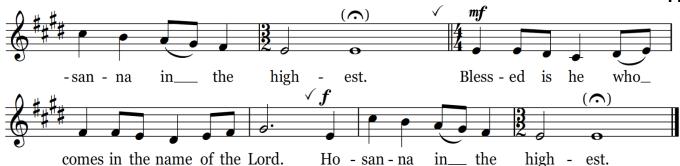
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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:







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 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 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:

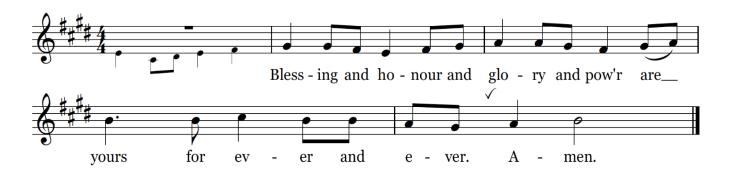


Therefore, in obedience to his command, we commemorate and celebrate his saving passion and death, his mighty Resurrection and Ascension into heaven and we eagerly await his coming again in glory.

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

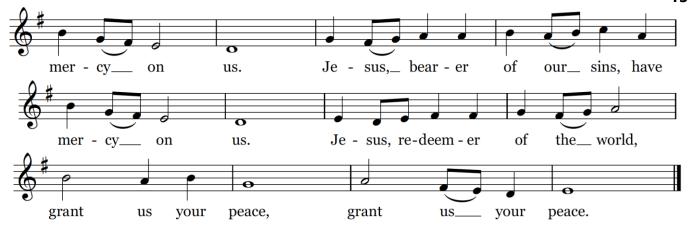
As our Saviour has taught us, we are confident to pray:

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



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

Let us thank the Lord for his steadfast love, for his wonderful works to humankind; for he satisfies the thirsty, and the hungry he fills with good things. Psalm 107.8,9

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: Guide me, O thou great Redeemer (AM 652)

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 **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

Postlude

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.*

Prayer Diary

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

Recently Departed:

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

5th Victor Hurst (5th), Miriam Griffin(6th), Buzz (Rein) Reinwald (7th), John Brady (8th), Robert Bridge (9th), Lorraine Clement & John Doherty (11th).

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.**

For Your Diary

Today, 5th February, 2023 – 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

10.00am Solemn Mass 5.00pm Mass in recess (Resumes in March)

Monday, 6 February

10.00am to 12noon Richmond Churches Food Centre

Thursday, 9 February

10.00am Mass

9.30am to 5.00pm St Bart's Brotherhood Op Shop (Tuesday to Saturday)

Sunday, 12 February, 23 – 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A) 10.00am Solemn Mass

Tuesday, 14 February, 2023

9.30am to 5.00pm St Bart's Brotherhood Op Shop (Tuesday to Saturday) 7.30pm St Bart's Book Club in the Cafe

Tuesday, 21 February, 2023

9.30am to 5.00pm St Bart's Brotherhood Op Shop (Tuesday to Saturday) 7.30pm Parish Council Meeting

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Captain: Jonathon Harrison

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Book Club

(2nd Tuesdays of the month @ 7.30pm in Café)

Co-ordinator: Ann Brady

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Climate Action Group

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Community Op Shop

(Tuesdays to Saturdays,9.30am to 5.00pm)

Managers: Caryse & Annabel

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
- Tom Ransom

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- Dr Muriel Porter
- Helen McDonald (Churchwarden)

53rd Diocesan Synod Representatives:

Ann Brady & Jonathon Harrison

Dhakshini Saravanamuttu (alternate)

Child Safety & OHS Compliance

Churchwarden with Oversight:

Glenis Heath

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Worship Sunday

10.00am Sung or Solemn Mass

5.00pm MASS in Recess until early March

Mid-Week

Thursday 10.00am Mass

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Weekly Reflection

Dear Friends of St Bart's,

Our Lord has called us to be 'salt of the earth' and a 'light to the world'. These are interesting images of the Church. There are, of course, many other images, for example, the Church is 'servant of the world'. The Church is also 'sanctuary', 'Sacrament', 'sign' and many other things like 'the Bride of Christ', 'the mystical community' and 'the Icon of the Kingdom'.

We all have our favourite image. There are still a few Christians around whose image of the Church is 'club' or 'institution' or 'ghetto' or 'fortress'; whose model of evangelism is the cave-man image – 'go out, knock 'em over the head and drag them back into the Church'. Yet others have an even dodgier image of the Church as provider.

The Church is dynamic, not static and Faith is a process, not a 'thing'. The Church is a mystical communion as well as 'a city set on a hill' where it is meant to be a light to the world.

The two images of today's Gospel are a kind of contradiction for the Church cannot have a life outside of itself. The Church is inevitably caught up in a sociological argument for 'the dwelling of God is with human beings'.

Wishing you His Grace and Peace,

Fr Graeme (Locum Tenens).

A Fond Farewell

The past 3 months' locum tenancy here at St Bart's has been a joy. I am enormously grateful for the warmth, kindness and encouragement I have received from you all. While I have sometimes had to squeeze the busyness of 4 or even 5 days into 3, your enthusiasm, support and commitment have made my time here delightfully worthwhile.

And speaking of delight, the parish could not be in better hands than to have Bp Alison Taylor as the locum tenens until Fr Walter McEntee takes over as locum tenens early in March.

In the meantime, I will keep your vital quest for a new vicar uppermost in my prayers.

God bless you all,

Fr Graeme.



PARISH OF ST BARTHOLOMEW'S, BURNLEY

PARISH LENTEN STUDIES

Lent begins soon – Ash Wednesday is 22 February

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

Please sign up if you are interested to help planning

Name	Email address	Preferred day (Thurs, Friday or Sunday)	Pref. time (Day or Evening)	Zoom or face-to-face