Anglican Church of Australia



Diocese of Melbourne

SAINT BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH PARISH OF BURNLEY

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT



SUNG MASS

Order of the Mass and Parish News

TODAY'S CELEBRATION

Welcome to this celebration of the Mass. Thank you for being here.

Today's News, Information and Mass Times – see p.3 and p.18ff

HOW TO USE THIS BOOK

RUBRICS	These are instructions or descriptions of what is happening, and they are printed in <i>italics</i> .
	These also provide prompts and guides for posture and gesture.
OUR PART	The congregational (people's) parts are printed in bold .

THE LITURGICAL ENVIRONMENT

The liturgical colour today for Lent is purple.

It symbolises preparation, sorrow, and penitence. During the forty days of Lent the decorations in the church are subdued – there are no flowers – and the music more restrained – holding expressions of joy for the Easter festival.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES TODAY

3 MARCH 2024 - THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

Year B in the Three-Year Lectionary Cycle

Principal Celebrant	Fr Stuart Soley SMMS	
Homilist	Dr Muriel Porter OAM	
Organist	Stuart Connew	
Cantor	Jillian Smith	
Mass Setting	Richard Proulx – Corpus Christi Mass	5
First Reading	Exodus 20:1-17	Paula Howell
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 19	
Second Reading	1 Corinthians 1:18, 22-25++	Helen McDonald
Gospel	John 2:13-25	
Prayers of the Faithful		Stuart Connew
Eucharistic Assistants		Megan Harrison

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.



Helen McDonald

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LENT 2024

SUNDAYS IN LENT

10.00 am SUNG MASS

WEEKDAY MASSES IN LENT

Thursdays at 10.00 am

REFLECTING ON THE WORD OF GOD

Lenten Reading Circle on Thursday evenings

We will read Bishop Peter Stuart's book for Lent – Safety Net Discipleship

Vicarage Library – 7.30 pm – 8.30 pm

PRAYING AND DEVOTIONS

CALVARY PRAYERS FOR PEACE

FRIDAYS AT 12 NOON from 1 March

A short meditative 15-minute rite at the foot of the cross praying for peace.

VOTIVE MASS OF OUR LADY

Saturday 23 March at 12 noon

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday 15 March – 6.30 pm

EASTER TRIDUUM – 28 – 31 MARCH

Maundy Thursday: 6.30 pm Good Friday: 3.00 pm Holy Saturday: 8.30 pm First Sunday of Easter: 10.00 am Pentecost Sunday – 19 May – 10.00 am

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

The bell is rung and the congregation stand. The hymn is sung during which the priest and liturgical ministers enter and the altar, which symbolises Christ, is reverenced and censed.

ENTRANCE HYMN

A&M 595 Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart Tune: Slane

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
Blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever.

Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

whose mercy endures for ever.

The Lord be with you. and also with you.

The Priest acknowledges country and then introduces the Mass.

THE CONFESSION

Compassion and forgiveness belong to the Lord our God, though we have rebelled and wandered far off. 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.

THE ABSOLUTION

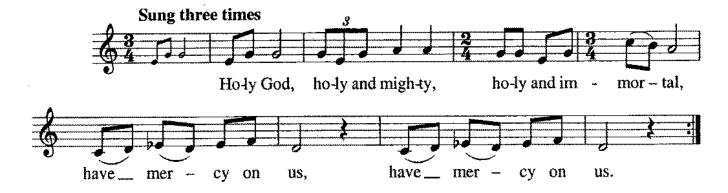
Almighty God,

who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith:

➡ pardon you and set you free from all your sins,
strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

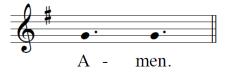
THE TRISAGION



Christopher Willcock SJ, Camberwell Mass, 2012

THE OPENING PRAYER

The priest sings the opening prayer and we respond:



We sit for the readings.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

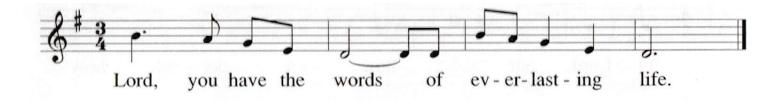
FIRST READING

The response at the end of the reading is:

Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

The cantor sings the psalm, and the congregation repeats the response and then joins in the response throughout the psalm.



The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul; the Lord's rule is to be trusted, the simple find wisdom.	R	
The fear of the Lord is holy, abiding for ever; the decrees of the Lord are true, all of them just.	R	
The precepts of the Lord are right, they gladden the heart, the command of the Lord is clear, giving light to the eye.	R	
They are worth more than gold, than the finest gold, sweeter than honey, than honey from the comb.	R	

SECOND READING

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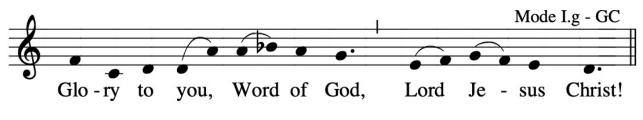
Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

We stand to welcome the gospel.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

We repeat the acclamation after the cantor and again after the sentence reflecting the theme of the gospel:

God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have enteral life. ^{John 3:16}



THE GOSPEL

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Saint John
Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

After the end of the Gospel, the reader says:

The Gospel of the Lord, praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

We sit for the homily.

THE HOMILY

THE APOSTLES' CREED

We stand for the creed which is said by all.

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

We remain standing. The response to the petitions are:

Lord, in your mercy: hear our prayer.

The response after the prayers for the departed is:

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

and concludes with this prayer:

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 GREETING OF PEACE

The priest introduces the Greeting of Peace and then says:

The peace of the Lord be always with you. And also with you.



THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

THE PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS AND THE CENSING

While the gifts of bread and wine are brought to the sanctuary and the altar is prepared we sing the hymn. The altar and the priest are censed.

The thurifer comes into the nave to cense the whole assembly

OFFERTORY HYMN

A&M 682 In the cross of Christ I glory Tune: Cross of Jesus

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

The priest recites the prayer over the gifts and we respond:

Amen.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

We stand throughout the prayer.



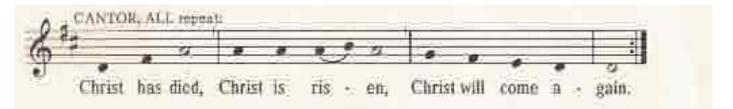
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The Prayer continues . . .

After the elevation of the Host and the elevation of the Chalice, all may bow with the priest in adoration of real presence of Christ. . . . and all join in singing the Acclamation:

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:



The Prayer continues The Prayer continues, ending with the celebrant singing: in songs of never-ending praise:



After the Host and Chalice are placed back on the altar, all may bow with the priest in adoration.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 for ever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND THE COMMUNION

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

We who are many are one body,

for we all share in the one bread.



 Behold the Christ, in whom we have become a new creation, in whom God is reconciling the world.

Blessed are those who are called to the banquet of the Lamb.

Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word, and I shall be healed.

Fr Stuart administers communion to the servers and Eucharistic Assistants. Feel free to sit until the following invitation to communion.

Come!

Draw near with faith and receive the gifts of God for the people of God! Thanks be to God!

Christ is the host at the altar here at Saint Bartholomew's and welcomes all, especially those who are communicant members of other denominations.

If today, you prefer to receive a blessing—please indicate this to the Priest.

CHORAL MOTET DURING COMMUNION

During the communion the choir will sing 'Hear me, O Lord in my distress' from the hymn book, number 125, verses 1 and 2 and 5 to 7.

HYMN AFTER COMMUNION

We remain seated for the singing of the hymn:

A&M 441 Draw nigh and take the body of the Lord Tune: Song 46

Silence is kept

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

We stand to pray, and the Priest bids the congregation to prayer.

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.

THE SENDING OUT OF GOD'S PEOPLE

THE BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

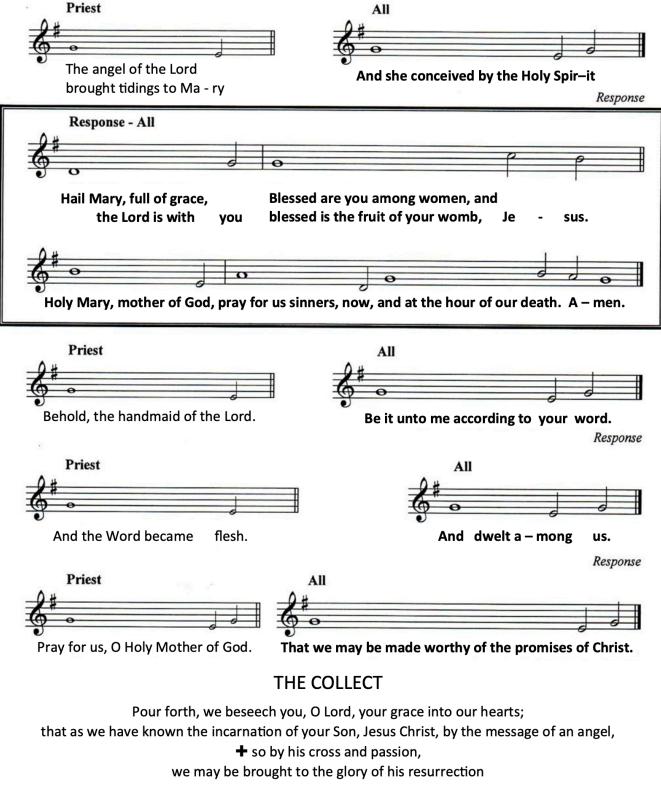
The Lord be with you, And also with you.

The priest prays for God's blessing. We respond:

Amen.

The Mass is ended. Go in the peace of Christ. **Thanks be to God.**

THE ANGELUS



who is one with you and the Holy Spirit, God, to the ages of ages.



The priest and liturgical ministers leave the church during a Recessional played on the organ.

PARISH NEWS

RICHMOND CHURCHES FOOD CENTRE NEWS



The Age newspaper recently reported that Grocery prices are considerably higher than they were a few years ago and have increased by 20% since early 2020, compared with an increase of 8% over the prior decade. This is having considerable impact on the Food Centre with over 100 clients visiting each week to receive their food parcels. This price increase also adds considerable extra costs to the food purchased for food parcels.

We encourage St Bart's parishioners to continue to supply food items as this greatly helps defray the ever-increasing costs of putting together the parcels.

St Stephen's Garden

St Stephen's has developed garden beds to supply fresh vegetables for the Food Centre. They have partnered with Cerys from Cultivating Community, who manage the garden. The garden beds are already producing wonderful vegetables that are much appreciated by the Food Centre clients. (See this month's "The Melbourne Anglican" to read the full feature article.)

Glenis Heath



100 High Street, Glen Iris

the hall Date: Saturday, 16 March 2024, 2-3pm followed by afternoon tea in

Special thanks to Elizabeth J Smith AM Director of Music, Daniel Brace

A concert of music by the Choir of St Oswald's and friends, with music for the ordination of women. Dr Muriel Porter OAM and the Reverend Kathryn Bellhouse Songs of praise, songs of victory:



St. Oswald's 100 High St, Glen Iris



Marvellous Melba!

Celebrating Melba's 163rd Birthday!



2024 DAME NELLIE MELBA BIRTHDAY CONCERT

5.30 pm Saturday 18 May 2024

St. Bartholomew's Anglican Church, 300 Burnley Street, Richmond.

Stunning programme by arrangement with the Melba Opera Trust

Soprano **Jesse Linke** Mezzo Soprano **Syrah Torii** Baritone **Stephen Marsh** Accompanist **Ms Sharolyn Kimmorley AM**

Enjoy a glass of Bubbles and meet the artists after the concert!

General Admission: \$50 Students: \$35 Under 16 no charge

All proceeds in aid of the Richmond Churches Food Centre

There is limited parking in Burnley Street and surrounds.

For further information:



stbartsburnley.org.au



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For bookings:



https://www.trybooking.com/CPKIJ

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For the needs of the world:

Peace in Gaza and Israel, Ukraine, Myanmar, Yemen. Safety for those at risk of harm in bush fires

For the sick, suffering, frail with age, and those who grieve:

Bruce, Vasu, Mary, Philip, Bishop Peter Stuart, Bishop Peter Hollingworth, Bishop Garry Weatherill, Craig, Faye, King Charles, Neil, Val, Mary, Tony.

For the recently departed:

Alexei Navalny, Lorna Weatherill.

For those whose anniversaries of death occur in Years Mind:

Glen Neate, Robert Gainford, Steven Schultz, Richard Carter, Norman Griffiths, Bill Herman, Vera George, Bekiaris Constinos, Lorna Joyce Smith, Rostyslav Dudarenko (Ukrainian priest), Frank Tracy Griswold (bishop), Arthur deQuetteville Robin (priest), Sr Marguerite (Sister of the Church), Louis Weil (priest), Ronald Smith (priest).

CHILD SAFETY COMMITMENT

Saint Bartholomew's Anglican Church, Burnley is part of the Anglican Diocese of Melbourne (ADOM) and is committed to being a child safe community. It seeks to ensure the safety of all children who come to Saint Bartholomew's, Richmond, affirming that all children who come have a right to feel and be physically, emotionally, and culturally safe. Saint Bartholomew's actively works to listen to and empower all children within our community, commits to meeting all the child safe standards of the Anglican Diocese of Melbourne and the Victorian State Government.

LITURGY ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

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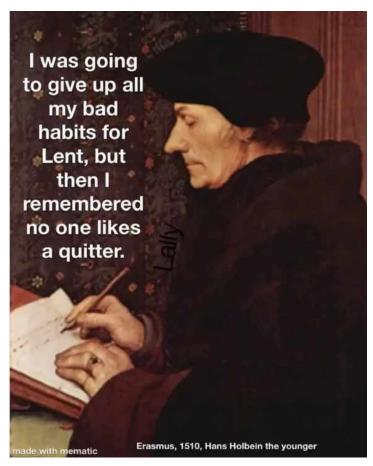
Direct Transfer is a great way to support the work of God's Church at Saint Bart's. It is automatic, saves us having to have cash on us and is simple. Here are the Parish's bank details.

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.

LAUGHTER IS THE BEST MEDICINE



NEXT SUNDAY'S LITURGICAL MINISTRIES AT SUNG MASS

10 MARCH 2024 – THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

Year B in the Three-Year Lectionary Cycle

First Reading	2 Chronicles 36:14-17a, 19-23	Don Heath
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 137	
Second Reading	Ephesians 2:4-10	Glenis Heath
Gospel	John 3:14-21	
Prayers of the Faithful		Jonathon Harrison
Eucharistic Assistants		Glenis Heath
		Don Heath



Do you have any small or medium plant pots that you no longer need? Please save them and bring them to church. Our bookkeeper Renae will be potting up plants to sell at the Op Shop.

FOR YOUR DIARY

MASSES

Thursday 7 March	10.00 am – Mass
Friday 8 March	12.00 pm – Prayers for Peace at the Calvary Cross
SUNDAYS ALL YEAR	10.00 am – Sung Mass

MEETINGS AND OTHER

Thursday 7 March	Lenten Reading Circle – 7.30 pm in Vicarage Library		
	Chapters to be discussed: Lent Two and Lent Three		

Monday 18 March Parish Council Meets – 7.30 pm

Saturday 18 MayDame Nellie Melba Concert5.30 pm - Concert and Champagne!Meet the Artists afterwards!Come to this twilight concert to celebrate Richmond-bornDame Nellie Melba!Look out on our website for more details soon.

ST BART'S BROTHERHOOD OP SHOP

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SAINT BARTHOLOMEW'S



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REPRESENTATIVES	Ann Brady Muriel Porter Kathy Kozlowski (Alternate)			

SAINT BARTHOLOMEW'S



PARISH INFORMATION

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.

HISTORY

Saint Bartholomew's Anglican Church was opened on 27 October 1926, the foundation stone having been laid on 25 July. This church replaced the earlier Saint Bartholomew's Churches which were on the corner of Swan and Burnley Streets. There are three buildings on the site; the church, a hall in which the Op Shop runs, with the Guild Hall behind and the vicarage.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this Land, the Wurrundjeri people of the Kulin Nations. We pay our respects to their elders' past and present.

OUR VISION

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

OUR MISSION

The Mission of Saint 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 Based on the Beatitudes (Matthew 5:3-10) adopted by the 2015 Annual Meeting

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

SAINT BART'S OP SHOP

SAINT BART'S CAFÉ

300 Burnley Street, Burnley A partnership with the Brotherhood of St Laurence to Our café is presently closed awaiting a new model to provide quality recycled goods to those in need HOURS: Tuesday – Saturday : 9.30 am – 5.00 pm MANAGER: Chevy

300 Burnley Street, Burnley run this valuable social enterprise.

RICHMOND CHURCHES FOOD CENTRE

MONDAYS 10 am - 12 noon at ST IGNATIUS' CHURCH, CHURCH ST, RICHMOND Co-ordinator: Francis Flood 0493 104 144 rfoodcentre 'at' gmail.com St Bartholomew's Representatives: Glenis Heath (Chair), Paula Howell

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- 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