



St Mary's

ANGLICAN CHURCH SUNBURY

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Weekly Services

8:30am Sunday

Traditional Holy Communion service with Hymns

10:30am Sunday

All ages service with Children's program during school terms. Holy Communion on the 1st & 3rd Sundays.

5.00pm Sunday

All ages service with contemporary music followed by dinner. Monthly Holy Communion.

10:00am Wednesday

Traditional Anglican Communion Service

Weekly Activities

Music Playtime

Music playgroup for preschoolers
Thursdays, 10-11.30am
Song, Dance & Craft

Youth United

Youth Group for secondary school
Fridays, 7.00-8.30pm
Games, Faith based chats & supper

Stitch & Sew

Craft and Chat Group
Tuesdays, 1-3pm

Home Groups

Small groups meeting in homes to study the bible and support each other. Various times and dates.

Please join us for refreshments in the Parish hall following our morning services and dinner following our 5pm service.

**St Mary's is a community:
Loving God, Following Jesus, Sharing God's love with all.**



Prayer and Praise Points



Pray for Wardens & Parish Council

- Mark Armstrong, Noel Sprague, Wendy Caramarco
- Don Cottell, Samantha Dennett, Marthie Grobler, Danielle Johanesen, Alan Phillips, Esther Rule, Peter Schou, Michael Williams

Pray for Chibobo orphanage

- For Staivous as he works through some complex issues around the Secondary School (which has been temporarily closed) and also continuing to provide food for those in need.

Pray for St Mary's Community Store

- For our Community Store volunteers, committee and the customers they serve.

Pray for our Kids Hope program

- For God's protection for all Kids Hope children and their mentors.

Pray for the Sunbury Winter Night Shelter Project

- For guests, volunteers and the organisers of the Winter Night Shelter Programme that the covering of God would be upon all venues and people over the next 3 months.

Pray for CareWorks SunRanges

- For all volunteers and the people they Minister to in our community

Pray for Chaplaincy in our schools

- Klara Hahne at Sunbury Heights
- Nicky Gallus at Kismet Park PS
- Robert Nansen at Sunbury SC
- Ellie Priest at Wedge Park Primary
- Angelo Snell at Sunbury Downs

Pray for Ridley Melbourne

- For the staff and students at Ridley Melbourne Mission & Ministry College, especially for those from St Mary's who are studying at Ridley College

Pray for our CMS link missionaries

- For Grace Adams and her baby and for the family as they prepare to return to Australia for leave later in the year

This week we pray especially...

- For those we know who are unwell, especially for Debbie, Duane, Graeme, Helen, Joan, Julie and Tom

Pray for St Mary's Staff and Leadership

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| • Gavin Ward- <i>Vicar</i> | 0409 971 122 |
| • Matthew Browne- <i>Curate</i> | 0401 615 099 |
| • Narelle Riley- <i>Manager of Operational Ministries</i> | 0408 406 424 |
| • Ros Armstrong- <i>Discipleship & Ministry training coordinator</i> | 0438 706 815 |
| • Tim Kelly- <i>Ridley student</i> | 0432 600 180 |
| • Max Langshaw- <i>Maintenance & Grounds coordinator</i> | 0419 789 948 |
| • Kristine Green- <i>Community Store coordinator</i> | 0431 345 788 |

Names for the prayer list are refreshed at the beginning of each month.

To add a name to the list, email admin@stmarysanglican.org.au or fill out a communication card.

Items for the pewsheets should be emailed to the editor by 7pm Tuesday
newsletter@stmarysanglican.org.au



Getting Practical about our Faith

Over the next 6 weeks, Matt will be leading us as we explore the book of James which is a very practical book about Christian living. I trust and pray that God will speak to each of us, encouraging us in those areas where we are growing and challenging us in areas we need His assistance to attend to. You might like to read through the book of James in preparation for this series. *Gavin*

Prayer Retreat Day

I will be taking a Prayer Retreat Day on **Thursday** this week. On this day I will be praying for each of you and us as a Church. Please let me know any specific prayer points for you and your family before Thursday. *Gavin*

Parish Prayer Meeting

We will be meeting in the church at 7.30pm **tomorrow evening** for our Monthly Parish Prayer Meeting. Please join us as we pray for our world, our community, God's church and those in need. *Gavin*

Special Parish Event– Saturday 3 August

There will be a major Parish Event for everyone involved with St Mary's on **Saturday 3 August** commencing at 6pm. Save the Date with more details to come. Intriguing isn't it???? *Gavin*

Narelle on Annual Leave

Narelle is currently on Annual Leave and will return to work on **Monday 1 July**. *Gavin*

Ridley Certificate

Do you want to deepen your understanding of the bible, faith and God? A new group doing the Ridley Certificate, will begin in term 3; the day and time will depend on the availability of those who are interested. We will begin with the Bible Overview unit, which covers the story of the bible from Genesis to Revelation. Each unit runs for two hours per week, for six weeks, and costs \$80 payable to Ridley. If you are not able or do not wish to join the group, it is also possible to work through the units independently in your own time. If you are interested, please let me know. *Ros Armstrong*

Parish Directory

The 2019-2020 edition of the Parish Directory is available for collection. The contact details within this Parish Directory are for the use of the St Mary's community and must be treated with confidentiality. Please do not disclose contact details to people outside of St Mary's or use the details contained within the directory for purposes not related to church activities or business. *Narelle*

✝ Sunday June 16th, 2019 ✝

Prayer for the Day

Father,
 we praise you, that through your Word and Spirit you created all things;
 you reveal your salvation in all the world through Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh;
 through your Holy Spirit you give us a share in your life and love;
 fill us with the vision of your glory;
 that we may always serve and praise you,
 Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
 one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Bible verse for the Day

"In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters." Genesis 1:1-2

Sunday- 8.30am & 10.30am

Preacher- Gavin & Jimmy

Readings- Genesis 1:1-5, 26-27 Pg 1

"The Trinity- How do we understand it?"

John 16:5-15 Pg 878

Sunday- 5.00pm

Preacher- Gavin & Jimmy

"The Trinity- How do we understand it?"

Dinner: Pasta \$2.00

Wednesday- 10.00am

"The Trinity- How do we understand it?"

Services Next Week

beginning **Sunday 23rd June**

Sunday- 8.30am & 10.30am

Preacher- Matthew Browne

Readings- James 1:1-11 Pg 980

"James- Pure Religion is....."

James 1:12-27 Pg 980

Sunday- 5.00pm

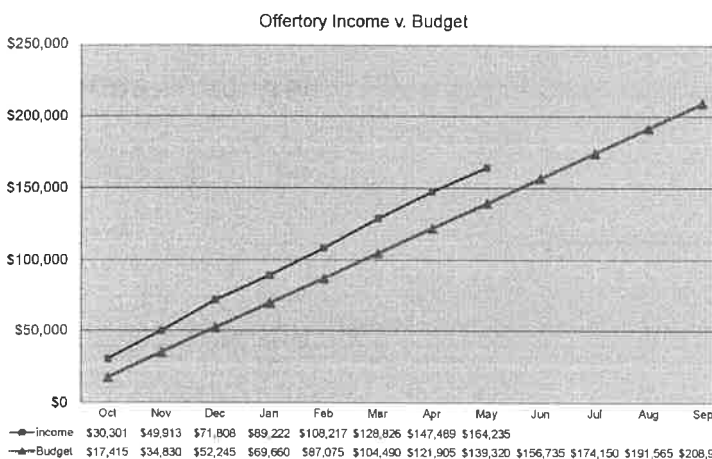
Preacher- Matthew Browne

"James- Pure Religion is....."

Dinner: Soup \$2.00

Wednesday- 10.00am

"James- Pure Religion is....."



Dates for your Diary

(see the calendar on the website for more dates)

- 17 Jun- Parish Prayer Meeting
- 19 Jun- Mothers' Union & BCA Prayer Meeting
- 1 Jul - Parish Council Meeting
- 3 Jul- Wednesday service at Aveo
- 6 Jul - Games Night
- 8 Jul- Parish Prayer Meeting
- 9 Jul- Community Store Meeting
- 17 Jul- Mothers' Union & BCA Prayer Meeting
- 3 Aug- Special Parish Event
- 3 Aug- Games Night

Bank Account Details

St Marys Anglican Church Sunbury

BSB number- **083918**

Account Number- **516062042**