



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 Johansen, 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 remaining months of winter

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
- Angelo Snell at Sunbury Downs
- Ellie Priest at Ardeer Primary School

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 Chris, Grace and Micah Adams as they spend time back in Australia, visiting link parishes, and for a healthy pregnancy.

This week we pray especially...

- For those undertaking the new unit of the Ridley certificate on Monday evenings
- For the next steps in the financing of the new building, and for each member of the Parish as they prayerfully consider their response.
- For the Sunbury Ministers as they with Josh Bull on Tuesday afternoon
- For those we know who are unwell, especially for Duane 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 pewsheet should be emailed to the editor by 7pm Tuesday
newsletter@stmarysanglican.org.au



News and Announcements



Welcome Kara Martin

Today we welcome Kara Martin to our services. Kara is the author of "Workshop: How to use your work to worship God" and "Workshop 2: How to flourish at work". Kara is passionate in helping people see their place of work and daily lives as a place of worship and serving God. Great to have you at our 3 services, Kara. *Gavin*

Parish Dinner - Follow Up

My thanks to all who organised the Parish Dinner last night. What a great way to spend time together as a Parish and to consider God's call on us in regard to the new Building Project. If you were unable to be at the dinner last night, there will be a Grapevine available next Sunday covering all the information from the dinner. I encourage you to prayerfully consider the matters raised as we prepare for our 'Building for the Future' services on 18 August. *Gavin*

14 days of Prayer

As we continue to follow God's lead in regards to our Building Programme, we continue to uphold all we do in prayer, as we have from the start. Please take the Prayer notes prepared by Lesley, and use them for your prayers each day as commit ourselves to God and His will. *Gavin*

Parish Prayer Meeting – New Worship Centre

The next parish prayer meeting will be held tomorrow- **Monday 5 August**. Please join us in the church at 7.30pm as we meet to pray at this significant time in our church's development. *Lesley McInerney*

Games Night

The monthly Youth and Young Adults Games night will be on in the Parish House on **Saturday August 10th**, from 8-10pm. All are welcome (anyone under 18 needs to be accompanied by an adult). For more information please speak to Calum Hay, Kyle Cozens or Erran Caddaye.

Adams Family Visit - Next Weekend

Next weekend we will have the privilege of Chris and Grace Adams, along with Micah at our services. Following the 10.30am Service we'll be able to gather for lunch at 12 noon in the hall and have the opportunity to spend more time with them. All are invited to lunch. **Please bring a salad or dessert to share-**(gluten free sausages will be provided, and some regular bread).

Chris will also be visiting the Armstrong Home Group on Tuesday evening, August 13th at 7.30pm to which all are welcome. Please speak to Mark or Ros Armstrong (9740 6815) or Ann- Marie McMahon (0417 598 699) for the address details.

Service Team Meetings

The next meetings for service leaders and musicians are scheduled for **Sunday 18th August-** 12.30pm (BYO lunch) in the Parish House for the 10.30am team and 2.00pm in Gavin's office for the 8.30am team.

Meals for the Freezer

Our supply of meals in the freezer needs replenishing. Meals should be in disposable containers and labelled with the ingredients, number of servings and the date made. Meals that serve 1 person, 2 people or a family are all appreciated, so if are cooking and can make a double batch this would be a big help for the pastoral care team.

St Mary's Prayer Retreat – Save the Day

St Mary's annual Prayer Retreat Day will be held on **Saturday 12 October**, led by Rev Jeannie Woollard. Set aside this day in your diaries to spend time coming close to God in prayer and contemplation.

Lesley McInerney



Sunday August 4th, 2019



Prayer for the Day

Heavenly Father, You are the Lord of the workplace as well as the place of worship, and we owe complete allegiance to You in all places.

Help us by the power of your Spirit to use our gifts and abilities to the best of our ability; to apply ourselves well in all our endeavours and in all that we do, at work, in our homes and in our community to remember that true satisfaction comes only from you.

In Jesus name, Amen.

Bible verse for the Day

“Conduct yourselves honourably among the Gentiles, so that, though they malign you as evildoers, they may see your honourable deeds and glorify God when he comes to judge..”

1 Peter 2:12

Sunday- 8.30am, 10.30am & 5.00pm

“Being a Christian in our daily lives”

Preacher- Kara Martin

Readings- Daniel 1:1-21 Pg 716

1 Peter 2:11-25 Pg 984

Wednesday- 10.00am

Services Next Week

beginning **Sunday 11th August**

Sunday- 8.30am, 10.30am & 5.00pm

Wednesday- 10.00am

Preachers:- Chris & Grace Adams- CMS Missionaries

Theme:- “Doing the Impossible”

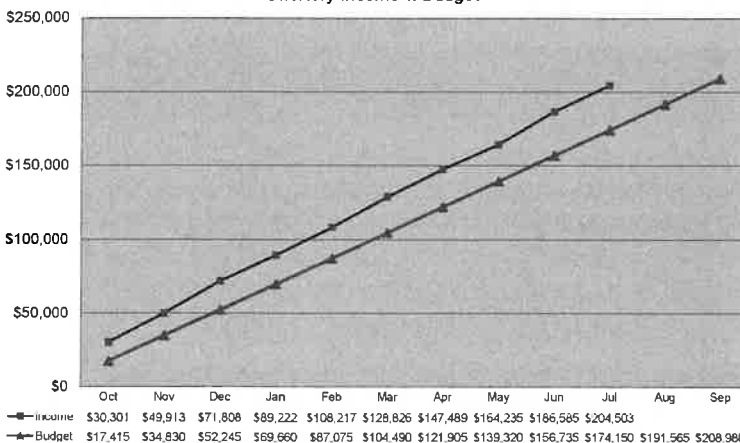
Readings:- Romans 8:31-39

Pg 919

Mark 6:30-44

Pg 818

Offeritory Income v. Budget



Dates for your Diary

(see the calendar on the website for more dates)

- 5 Aug- Parish Prayer Meeting
- 10 Aug- Games Night
- 11 Aug- Chris & Grace Adams Visit & Lunch
- 13 Aug- Riddell Gardens Nursing Home Service
- 15 Aug- Lions Hostel Nursing Home Service
- 18 Aug- Service Leaders' Meeting
- 19 Aug- Home Group Leaders' Meeting
- 21 Aug- Mothers' Union & BCA Prayer Meeting
- 2 Sep- Parish Council Meeting
- 7 Sep- Games Night
- 9 Sep- Parish Prayer Meeting
- 18 Sep- Mothers' Union & BCA Prayer Meeting

Bank Account Details

St Marys Anglican Church Sunbury

BSB number- **083918**

Account Number- **516062042**