

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

- Praise God for the news that Memory and Staivous are expecting another child and pray for God's protection over Memory and the baby
- 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...

- Pray for God's hand at work as we explore ways of funding the new building
- Pray for God's protection and care for Chris, Grace, Micah and Jnr Adams as they visit us and travel to various deputations and meetings
- 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 to Chris, Grace, Micah and Jnr Adams

It's a very warm welcome to Chris, Grace and Micah Adams to our services today. We regularly pray for you and your work in Timor Leste and we look forward to hearing what God has been doing in and through you.

There are a few opportunities to catch up with Chris, in particular, at a Parish Lunch after the 10.30am service; at Home Group on Tuesday evening (at 7 Bellview Drv) and at the Wednesday Service on the 14th. Gavin

Winter Night Shelter up date

Thankyou for your prayers as the Sunbury Ministers met with Josh Bull on Tuesday to discuss the next steps beyond the Winter Night Shelter for those who find themselves homeless. It was a very productive meeting and there are some clear possibilities as to how we as a community (with Government assistance) can support and help our guests after the Winter Night Shelter concludes this year. I will keep you updated on how these matters progress.

The Sunbury Ministers have also decided to have a Combined Thanksgiving Service for the Winter Night Shelter on **Thursday 12 September** at St Andrews at 7pm. More details to come. We have also decided that we will be running the Winter Night Shelter again in 2020, beginning on 1st June 2020.
Gavin

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.

New Building Project

Please grab a Grapevine today which has all the details from the Parish Dinner about our new Building Project. Our Commitment Sunday is next week so I encourage you to be prayerful about how God might be calling you to be involved in regards to a pledge. Everyone will have an opportunity to lodge their pledge slip at our services next Sunday and on Wednesday 21st August.

Please note carefully that we were wrongly informed by the Diocese about the BSB number to be used for pledges. The Account number remains the same. We apologise for this error.

The correct details are:-

BSB: 703 122

Account:- 05004990

Mothers Union

Our next meeting will be held on **September 18** when we will celebrate our birthday with guest speakers, more news later. Susanne

"A Day Together" couples seminar at Sunbury Baptist church

Sunbury Baptist Church invite couples to an event they are hosting on Saturday 24 August 2019, 9am - 5pm, a seminar for 'A Day Together' presented by Power to Change. The cost for the seminar is \$75 a couple and includes morning and afternoon tea and lunch. The seminar covers strengthening relationships which will include:

- Why we drift apart
- How to grow towards oneness
- How to grow through conflict
- How to keep the spark alive
- How to leave a godly legacy.

See the noticeboard in the hall for more information and contact Sunbury Baptist church directly to book your place.



Sunday August 11th, 2019



Prayer for the Day

God of love, whose will it is that everyone should be saved,
 bless the Church Missionary Society
 and all who have gone out in its fellowship to preach, to teach and to heal.
 Guard, guide and use them;
 raise up more people in your worldwide Church to pray and to work,
 to care and to understand, to give to you and to go for you,
 that your Church may grow, your will be done,
 your kingdom come, and your glory be revealed;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Bible verse for the Day

“What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us?”
Romans 8:31

Sunday- 8.30am, 10.30am & 5.00pm

“Doing the Impossible”

Preachers:- Chris Adams

Readings:- Romans 8:31-39

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Mark 6:30-44

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Services Next Week

beginning **Sunday 18th August**

Sunday- 8.30am, 10.30am & 5.00pm

Wednesday- 10.00am

Preachers:- Gavin Ward

Theme:- “Building for the Future”

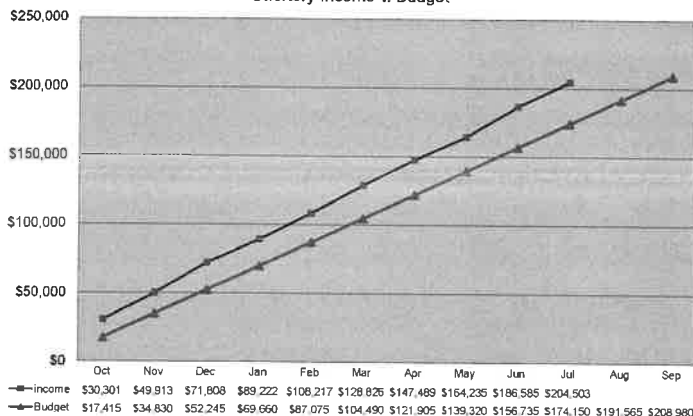
Readings:- Psalm 127

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2 Corinthians 8:1-16

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Offertory Income v. Budget



Dates for your Diary

(see the calendar on the website for more dates)

- 13 Aug- Riddell Gardens Nursing Home Service
- 15 Aug- Lions Hostel Nursing Home Service
- 19 Aug- Home Group Leaders' Meeting
- 21 Aug- BCA Prayer Meeting
- 2 Sep- Parish Council Meeting
- 7 Sep- Games Night
- 9 Sep- Parish Prayer Meeting
- 12 Sep- Winter Night Shelter Gratitude Service
- 18 Sep- Mothers' Union & BCA Prayer Meeting
- 25 Sep- Wednesday service to Goonawarra

Account Details for Offertory donations

St Marys Anglican Church Sunbury

BSB number- **083918**

Account Number- **516062042**

Account Details for Future building fund

St Marys Anglican Church Sunbury

BSB number- **703122**

Account Number- **05004990**