



ST LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, MODBURY

Sunday, 9th October 2022

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8.00am Eucharist

9.30am Sung Eucharist

...WELCOME ...

This week at St. Luke's

Monday	10.00am Bible Study in recess
Tuesday	8.30am Holy Communion 10.00am Community Garden
Thursday	10.00am Holy Communion
Friday	10.00am Community Garden

Saints, ancient and modern: Elizabeth Fry – the power of one!

Elizabeth Fry is one of the unsung heroes of the faith. Everyone knows of Florence Nightingale, but how many know that Florence was inspired by the school for nurses opened by Elizabeth Fry in 1840, or that she took a team of Fry's nurses to tend to soldier wounded in the Crimean War?

Elizabeth Fry was born Elizabeth Gurney into a Quaker family on 21st May 1780. She was, all accounts, an anxious girl during her younger years, and not particularly devout, being given, with her 6 sisters to fashion and dancing (of all things!) Between the ages of about 14 and 18 she experienced a gradual conversion to a committed Christian faith. At the age of 18 she founded and taught in a small school which provided a basic education for up to 70 waifs and strays from her home city of Norwich. In 1812, at the request of a friend, she visited the women imprisoned in Newgate Gaol and was horrified by what she saw. The visit began a lifelong work for prison reform and other humanitarian work which brought God's love and hope into the darkest places in England and transformed the lives of thousands.

Our Vision Statement. St. Luke's will be an open community of faith which engages with the community and inspires and encourages people to know Jesus Christ.

Bible study is in recess over the school holidays.

Sunday 23rd October at 10am - St Luke's Patronal Festival: "Back to St Luke's!"

We will be celebrating St Luke's Day with a combined service at 10am on Sunday 23rd October. St Luke's Day offers a great opportunity to encourage those who have a past association with St Luke's to come 'back to St Luke's'. It's also a great opportunity to invite family and friends to join with us. Please be thinking and praying about who you might invite. Guest speaker to be advised.

A **Patronal lunch** will follow the service. Please bring a plate of SAVOURY FOOD to share, eg sandwiches, meat and salad platters, quiches, savoury muffins etc. Dessert will be supplied. BYO soft drinks and alcohol. Please speak to Lyn Ho, Thelma Tyler and Jean Rechner for more info.

At 9am Friday October 21st able bodied men are needed to bring trestles and chairs up to the Balcony Room for use in church after the service for our luncheon.

Consideration of Possible Parish merger: Joint Working Party (JWP).

Please email your questions or comments to churchconsultationgroup@gmail.com or place in the suggestion box in the foyer.

Key readings and themes for Sunday services in Oct/Nov. Saints Ancient and Modern

9th	Micah 6.6-8 Psalm 10	<i>Theme: Elizabeth Fry: Prison Reformer. Preacher: Cameron</i> James 2.14-18	Matt 25.31-46
16th	Ezekiel 36.22-27 Psalm 96	<i>Theme: (Not so) Ordinary Saints. Preacher: Testimonies</i> 1 Cor 1.1-9	John 15.13-17
23rd	Isaiah 52.6-8 Psalm 98	<i>Theme: St Luke (Patronal @ 10am + lunch)</i> Colossians 4.7-18	Luke.1.1-4
30th	Isaiah 53.1-6 Psalm 40.1-5	<i>Theme: Martin Luther: A Reforming Saint. Preacher: Cameron</i> Romans 5.1-11	Mark 10.42-45
6th	Daniel 7.1-3, 15-18 Psalm 149	<i>Theme: All Saints. Preacher: Don</i> Ephesians 1.11-23	Luke 6.20-31

Opshop. There is a current need for bedding e.g. sheets/blankets/duonas/quilts etc.

BCA box opening time. Please bring your boxes to church for collection.

The Link – Please forward your contributions to stlukesmodbury@outlook.com or speak to one of the Wardens if you need assistance to lodge items. Deadline is Monday 31st October.

Please join us for morning tea in the Balcony Room after the service

ROSTER REMINDER for 9.30am service next Sunday

<i>Reader 1:</i>	Everard W	<i>Welcoming:</i>	June H
<i>Reader 2:</i>	Colleen C	<i>Morning Tea:</i>	Linda & Doris
<i>Sidespersons:</i>	Tony T & Kirk S		

FOR PRAYER



The health and well-being of those needing immediate prayers:

Barry Connell, David Cooling, Rev'd Cameron, Iliya Khanzade, Linda Brooker

Those who need ongoing prayers for healing and well-being: Betty Mugg, Ian Archer, Susan Restall, Jessie Waters, Helen Spencer, Cheryl Watson, Donald & Marjory Prince, Ngaire Stitchbury, Richard and Beth Morgan, Emily Cahill, Emmett Bollen, Chris Landden, Adrienne Wright, Bryan Shillabeer, Cathie, Faith Drodge, Catherine Cooling, Christopher, Christopher Allen, Christopher Richmond, Everard Walker, Kate Bosner, Malcolm Mayes, Mia, Naomi and Roland Barker, Russell Blore, Vicky Pattie, Jake Drury, Samantha Drury, Nerida Fidock, Brian Gummow

Cycle of Prayer. This week we keep before God in our prayers the following members of our St. Luke's family: Helen & Malcolm Mayes, Sandra McAdam, John & Jean McIntosh, Darryel McLean, Beth Morgan and the Community Garden Group.

Those who have died recently and whose anniversaries occur this week:

Joyce Brumley, Alice Ramsey, Shirley Hayes, Billie Short, Hazel Brown, Faith Beinke, Jim Palin.

+ *Rest in peace, and rise in glory*

Requests for prayer should be made to Deb Travis 0450 950 112 (8am service); June Hindmarch 0402 138 694 (9.30am service); or speak to Jean Rechner (Thursday service)

Next week's readings

Ezekiel 36.22-27

1 Corinthians 1.1-9

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Ps 96

John 15.13-17

(Not so) Ordinary Saints

Thought for the week

God isn't far away, he surrounds you with his love.

PARISH CONTACTS

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*Sacraments of Anointing for Healing, Reconciliation, Baptism, Marriage and Funerals are all available.
Enquiries about pastoral visiting and home communion are welcome.
Please see Rev'd Cameron or Colin Fidock.*

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WEEKLY PEW SHEET Please forward information to the church email or put a note
under the office door by Wednesday.

REGULAR ACTIVITIES AT ST. LUKE'S

Community Garden	Tuesdays at 10.00am and Fridays at 9.30am
Community Garden BBQ	1 st Tuesday of each month at 11.30am
Men's Group	2 nd Thursday of each month at 7.30pm
Bari Worship	1 st and 3 rd Sunday of each month at 11.30am
Parish Council	3 rd Saturday of each month at 9.00am