

**ST LUKE'S MODBURY  
and  
ST MARK'S GOLDEN GROVE  
WORSHIPPING TOGETHER**

**Sunday, 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2023**

**.... WELCOME ....**

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**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Today we welcome guest Preacher  
Ian Hutchinson, SA Representative for Wycliffe Bible Translators.

**OUR SERVICES TODAY**

8.00am Holy Communion  
9.30am Holy Communion with hymns

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THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Jesus said, "*I am the Good Shepherd*", who cares for his flock. How does he do that?

*"He makes me lie down in green pastures."* How easy it is to be anxious about our wants and needs. Whenever we begin to worry about anything, let's say to God, "*You are my Good Shepherd. You will provide all that I need.*" God provides with rest and renewal.

The Good Shepherd will guide us in paths of righteousness, or simply "*in the right paths.*" In Bible times, the Shepherd went out in front and the sheep followed.

The Good Shepherd said, "*I came that you may have abundant life.*" He lovingly leads us as his sheep, knowing what lies ahead and he knows where we are and what is the best path for us to take.

The Good Shepherd became the Lamb who was sacrificed for us.

Jesus is the **Good** Shepherd. Our message to the world, to every nation, is that God is good and so they too can trust his goodness. Jesus, the Good Shepherd can save us from sin and death and meet all our needs.

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**Our Vision**

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

**Today Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> April. Ian Hutchinson, SA representative for Wycliffe Bible Translators,** is speaking at both services. He will especially focus on the work of Peter and Nerida Fidock, who were members of our church and now work at Kangaroos Ground (Wycliffe), Victoria.

At the Special Vestry meetings for St. Luke's and St. Mark's the proposal that a new amalgamated parish called The Anglican Parish of Modbury and Golden Grove was passed unanimously. This means that we can now start working with the Diocese to complete all the necessary steps. The first step is to submit a proposal for the registration of the new amalgamated parish to Diocesan Council. We are hopeful that this will be considered at a meeting on May 10<sup>th</sup>.

On **Saturday May 27<sup>th</sup>** we are having a welcoming **afternoon tea** to give us all a chance to get to know each other. There will be tours of the church, op shop and community garden and a time to ask questions and chat. All welcome.

During May we are asked to focus on chaplaincy in Health and the Community  
There will be gathering as a chaplaincy community on the

*21<sup>st</sup> May at 2.30pm*

in

*St Peter's Cathedral at a Celebration of Chaplaincy Service*

followed by

an afternoon tea in the Cynthia Poulton Hall.

Thank you to everyone who brought food donations for the Op Shop, please keep them coming.

**Community Garden BBQ this Tuesday at 11.30am All Welcome**

Advance notice **QUIZ NIGHT** Saturday June 27<sup>th</sup> at St Mark's Golden Grove. Get your table ready. More information to come.

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

**ROSTER REMINDER for 9.30am service next Sunday**

*Reader 1:* David Smith  
*Reader 2:* Colin Fidock  
*Sidespersons:* David Datson & Marjorie Church  
*Welcoming:* Dany Fidock & Ann Dixon  
*Morning Tea:* Dorothy Bienke & David Smith

## FOR PRAYER



- \* *Give thanks for the members of our armed forces both past and present.*
- \* *Our Sudanese community struggling with the continual conflict in Sudan pray for their families still living there.*
- \* *Ukraine and Russia that they may find a way to peace*

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

Caryl Walker, Kathy and Simon Fennell, Iliya Khanzade, Michaela Kinnoch, Susan Restell, Diane Thiele, Jose.

***Those who need ongoing prayers for healing and well-being:*** Eveline Robinson, Sadie, Carol Aitken, Helen Gummow, Barry Connell, Betty Mugg, Ian Archer, Jessie Waters, Donald & Marjory Prince, Richard and Beth Morgan, Emily Cahill, Emmett Bollen, Chris Landden, Adrienne Wright, Bryan Shillabeer, Cathie, Faith Drodge, Catherine Cooling, Christopher Allen, Christopher Richmond, Malcolm Mayes, Mia, Naomi and Roland Barker, Russell Blore, Vicky Pattie, Jake Drury, Samantha Drury, Nerida Fidock, Brian Gummow, Cynthia Hendriks, Jeanette Leister, Peter Cooling, Kate Bosner.

***Cycle of Prayer. This week we keep before God in our prayers the following members of St. Luke's family:*** Wendy Wake-Dyster, Caryl Walker, Hugh & Christine Walker, Jan & Brian Walton, Jessie Waters and the Mens Group.

***Birthdays this month-*** Brenda Hartweg, Richard Morgan, June Hindmarch, Jeanette Pfitzenmeier, Margaret Curd

### ***Those who have died and whose anniversaries occur at this time.***

Elizabeth Ladegourdie, Georgina Thompson.

+ *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***

Acts 7.55-60

1 Peter 2.11-5

### ***Fifth Sunday of Easter***

Ps 31.1-5, 17-18

John 14.1-14

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### ***Thought for the week***

God is never in a hurry, but God is never late.

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

## REGULAR ACTIVITIES AT ST. LUKE'S

Monday	Bible Study	10.00am
Tuesday	Holy Communion	8.30am
	Community Garden	9.30am
Wednesday	Foodbank (fortnightly)	10.00am
Thursday	Holy Communion	10.00am
Friday	Community Garden	9.30am
Community Garden BBQ	1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month	11.30am
Men's Group	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month	7.30pm
Bari Worship	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month	11.30am
Parish Council	3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month	9.00am