



# ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, MODBURY

*Sunday, 10th July, 2022 -  
Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> July 2022*

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## FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8.00am Eucharist  
9.30am Sung Eucharist

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### ...WELCOME ...

#### *This week at St. Luke's*

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| Tuesday  | 8.30am  | Holy Communion   |
|          | 10.00am | Community Garden |
| Thursday | 10.00am | Holy Communion   |
| Friday   | 9.30am  | Community Garden |

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### IN OUR CHURCH

#### **The letter to the Colossians**

This Sunday we begin a series of four sermons on St Paul's letter to the Colossians. Colossae was a town about 120km inland from the coastal city of Ephesus, in what today is western Turkey. The Christian church in Colossae had been founded by Epaphras (Colossians 1.7), who was one of St Paul's travelling companions. Epaphras was a native of Colossae (Colossians 4.12), and so it would have made sense for St Paul to send him back to his home city with the good news of the Gospel. It's most likely that this happened during St Paul's third missionary journey when he was resident in Ephesus, and this suggests that the Colossian church started around 54AD.

The letter to the Colossians was written around 60AD when Paul was in prison in Rome (Colossians 4.18). It seems the Colossian Christians may have been starting to drift into pagan ways of thinking and thus into an unthinking accommodation to the ways of their cultural world. To counter this Paul emphasises, in his letter, the uniqueness of the Lord Jesus Christ, the fullness of the salvation that Jesus has won for them, and the need for them to live their lives in ways which bear out God's love for them in Christ.

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***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.***

**Please note Bible Study is in recess for two weeks over the school holidays.**

**New Bible Study series.**

As of the week starting 25<sup>th</sup> of July, St Luke's will be commencing a new bible study series titled The Bible Course: Exploring the Big Story. The study will run for one hour, starting with a short video of approximately half an hour and finishing up with a conversational study. The two options that we have available are either Monday morning the 25<sup>th</sup> of July at 10:00am hosted by Colin fidock, or Thursday morning the 28th at 11:00 hosted by either Cameron or Don. The series will run through a different topic each week, looking all of the books, characters and events in the bible, fitting them all together to form the Big Story. If you have any friends or family that have showed an interest or have been asking questions lately, this would be a great series to invite them along too. Looking forward to seeing you there.

**Biggest Morning Tea.**

Congratulations to Thelma and the team (too many names to mention) but because of their fine efforts \$1,109 was raised for the SA Cancer Council, and I can report that the amount has been forward to the Council on behalf of St. Luke's. Thank you for your participation and generous donations. Margaret Curd (People's Warden).

**Use of the Common Cup.**

The Archbishop has advised that he considers that, with the gradual reduction of COVID restrictions, it is now time to return to the use of the share chalice at Holy Communion. He added that the choices need to be provided to those who might be reticent to use the common cup and that all hygiene requirements (hand sanitizing and careful wiping of the cup) must be maintained. Intinction of wafers was, however, specifically prohibited. The Parish Council considered this advice at its meeting last Saturday and resolved that, once the necessary arrangements were in place, we should return to using the common cup but that as an alternative, individual glasses of wine should be offered. These need to be purchased and new arrangements for the administration of Holy Communion and appropriate cleaning of the vessels need to be worked out. We will let you know when all these arrangements are in place and advise of any new procedures we need to observe. Please don't hesitate to speak to the clergy if you have concerns or questions.

**DIARY DATES.**

13<sup>th</sup> July                Foodbank visit at 10am.  
27<sup>th</sup> July                Foodbank visit at 10am.

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

**ROSTER REMINDER for 9.30am service on 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.**

Reader 1:                Helen W  
Reader 2:                Jo J  
Sidespersons:        John McI & Hugh W  
Welcoming:            Jean McI  
Morning Tea:          Linda & Doris

## FOR PRAYER

- People affected by Covid with increasing numbers in hospital.
  - The homeless, those suffering from the rental crisis and escalating cost of living expenses.
  - Flood affected people in N.S.W.
  - Victims and their families of Chicago's mass shooting
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### ***The health and well-being of those who have asked for prayer:***

Linda Brooker, Samantha Seymore, Vicky Pattie, Jake Drury and Samantha, Kate and Jim Bosner, Faith Drodge, Chris Landden, Bryan Shillabeer, Emily Cahill, Emmett Bollen, Sijia Qu, Adrienne Wright, Everard Walker, Jason Wandel, Richard and Beth Morgan, Tess Richmond, Malcolm Mayes, Lou, Christopher, Mia, Jamie, Vicky Pattie, Jake Drury, Samantha Drury, Colin Fidock, Catherine Cooling, Cathie, Ngaire Stichbury, Brian Gummow, Nerida Fidock, Jean Malander, Christopher Richmond, Heather Bryant, Terry Rohrlach, Russell Blore, Margaret and Gary, Lachlan Scholes, Yvonne Hoad, Christopher Allen, Ian Archer

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### ***Those who have died recently and whose anniversaries occur this week.***

Ellen Hoare, Maurice Tucker, Emma Stanley, Ernest Curle, Elizabeth Ide, Sidney Hoad, Alan Craker, Lynn McBride  
+ *May they rest in peace, and rise in glory!*

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### ***Next week's readings***

Amos 8.1-12

Colossians 1.15-29

### ***Sixth Sunday after Pentecost***

Psalm 52

Luke 10.38-42

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

*Forgiveness frees us from the tyranny of the past.*

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### **Acknowledgement of Traditional Owners.**

We acknowledge and pay our respects to the Kurna people, the traditional custodians whose ancestral lands we gather on. We acknowledge the deep feelings of attachment and relationship of the Kurna people to country and we respect and value their past, present and ongoing connection to the land and cultural beliefs.

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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.

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### REGULAR ACTIVITIES AT ST. LUKE'S

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| Community Garden     | Tuesdays at 10am & Fridays at                            | 9.30am  |
| Community Garden BBQ | 1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month                    | 11.30am |
| Men's Group          | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month                   | 7.30pm  |
| Bari Worship         | 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month | 11.30am |
| Parish Council       | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month                   | 9.00am  |