



HOLY TRINITY ANGLICAN CHURCH WILLIAMSTOWN

30th July 2023

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

8am & 10am Holy Communion



On behalf of everyone at Holy Trinity, a warm welcome to this community, a faithful Christian presence in Williamstown since 1854. Holy Trinity welcomes everyone to all services and events, regardless of age, gender, sexual orientation, race or background. We are moved by our calling as the Body of Christ to ensure all our spaces are safe places for everyone. Thank you for being part of our worship today. A recording of this worship service will also be available on the parish YouTube channel from Sunday, links are on our website under 'Services'.

www.htw.org.au

REFLECTION

Prayers from history (inspired by Richard Chichester 1253)

Lord Jesus Christ,
we thank you for all the benefits that you have won for us,
for all the pains and insults that you have borne for us.
Most merciful redeemer, friend and brother,
may we know you more clearly, love you more dearly,
and follow more nearly, day by day.



PARISH PRAYER POINTS



For The Church:

- Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America
- The Diocese of the Murray
- Beaconhills College
- The Anglican Church Caroline Springs

In our Community: In our parish cycle of prayer, we pray for Pamela Hepworth, Barb & Brett Hingston, Ann Hodges, Shirley Hunt, Heather & Michael Jobling, Jewell Lobbe, Jeannine & Warren Madsen.

We pray for those who are suffering or unwell at this time for whom prayers have been requested.

Immediate need: Elliot, Shirley Hunt & Family, Fred, Kerry, Greg and grandchildren.

Long-term need: Ron Bates, Ann Carey, Barb & Brett Hingston, Heather Jobling, Rev. Mike Jobling, Robert Mander, Laurie McLay, David McCulloch, Marjorie Todd, John, Pamela, Zoe Bastin, Brent, Rev. Margaret Burt, Derek Schippers, Samuel.

We remember those who have recently died, and we remember those whose Years Mind anniversary of death falls at its time,

Please note that the names of those on the 'Immediate need' list will remain for one month only. If there is a need to move them to the 'Long-term need' list, please contact the parish office.

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Holy Trinity Anglican Church is on Bunurong Country, the sovereign land of the Yalukit Willam people of the Kulin Nation. We recognise and honour the Indigenous custodians of this land over generations and today, and pay respect to all Elders past and present. We commit ourselves to the path of reconciliation, truth-telling, justice and healing.

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*Please join in the parts of this service in **bold type**. All directions to stand, sit or kneel are invitations. Please always do as you are comfortable and able.*

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At 10am Words for hymns are in the red hymn books or sheets provided if they are not printed here.

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(please stand)

*At 10am **Opening Hymn:** TIS 613 Lord of all hopefulness*

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

THE SENTENCE

Neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. *Romans 8.38–39*

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Let us pray.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

KYRIE ELEISON

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**
Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**
Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

THE CONFESSION

God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy, welcoming sinners and inviting them to the Lord's table.

Silence may be kept.

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, confident in God's forgiveness.

Merciful God, you have loved us with an everlasting love, but we have broken your holy laws and have left undone what we ought to have done. We are sorry for our sins and turn away from them. For the sake of your Son who died for us, forgive us, cleanse us and change us. By your Holy Spirit, enable us to live for you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

Almighty God who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to God in faith: pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest and peace to God's people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

THE COLLECT PRAYER

O God, the fount of wisdom, you have revealed to us in Christ the hidden treasure and the pearl of great price: grant us your Spirit's gift of discernment, that, in the midst of the things of this world, we may learn to value the priceless worth of your kingdom, and be ready to renounce all else for the sake of the precious gift you offer. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD *(please sit)*

The First Reading: Genesis 29.15 – 28. 11.1-11. Read by Kate Strasser at 8am, Scott Phillips at 10am.

Then Laban said to Jacob, 'Because you are my kinsman, should you therefore serve me for nothing? Tell me, what shall your wages be?' Now Laban had two daughters; the name of the elder was Leah, and the name of the younger was Rachel. Leah's eyes were lovely, and Rachel was graceful and beautiful. Jacob loved Rachel; so he said, 'I will serve you seven years for your younger daughter Rachel.' Laban said, 'It is better that I give her to you than that I should give her to any other man; stay with me.' So Jacob served seven years for Rachel, and they seemed to him but a few days because of the love he had for her. Then Jacob said to Laban, 'Give me my wife that I may go in to her, for my time is completed.' So Laban gathered together all the people of the place, and made a feast. But in the evening he took his daughter Leah and brought her to Jacob; and he went in to her. (Laban gave his maid Zilpah to his daughter Leah to be her maid.) When morning came, it was Leah! And Jacob said to Laban, 'What is this you have done to me? Did I not serve with you for Rachel? Why then have you deceived me?' Laban said, 'This is not done in our country—giving the younger before the firstborn. Complete the week of this one, and we will give you the other also in return for serving me for another seven years.' Jacob did so, and completed her week; then Laban gave him his daughter Rachel as a wife.

For the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 105.1–11

¹ O give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name:
tell among the peoples what things he has done.

² **Sing to him, O sing praises:
and be telling of all his marvellous works.**

³ Exult in his holy name:
and let those that seek the Lord be joyful in heart.

⁴ **Seek the Lord and his strength:
O seek his face continually.**

⁵ Call to mind what wonders he has done:
his marvellous acts, and the judgements of his mouth,

⁶ **O seed of Abraham his servant:
O children of Jacob his chosen one.**

⁷ For he is the Lord our God:
and his judgements are in all the earth.

⁸ **He has remembered his covenant for ever:
the word that he ordained for a thousand generations,**

⁹ The covenant that he made with Abraham:
the oath that he swore to Isaac,

¹⁰ **And confirmed it to Jacob as a statute:
to Israel as an everlasting covenant,**

¹¹ Saying 'I will give you the land of Canaan:
to be the portion of your inheritance',

The Second Reading: Romans 8.26-39. Read by Kate Strasser at 8am & Scott Phillips at 10am.

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God. We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn within a large family. And those

whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified. What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written, 'For your sake we are being killed all day long; we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.' No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

For the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

(please stand)

At 10am **Gradual Hymn:** TIS 407 *Breathe on me breath of God*

The Gospel according to Matthew 13.44-58

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Jesus said 'The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which someone found and hid; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field. 'Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls; on finding one pearl of great value, he went and sold all that he had and bought it. 'Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and caught fish of every kind; when it was full, they drew it ashore, sat down, and put the good into baskets but threw out the bad. So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous and throw them into

the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. 'Have you understood all this?' They answered, 'Yes.' And he said to them, 'Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like the master of a household who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.' When Jesus had finished these parables, he left that place. He came to his home town and began to teach the people in their synagogue, so that they were astounded and said, 'Where did this man get this wisdom and these deeds of power? Is not this the carpenter's son? Is not his mother called Mary? And are not his brothers James and Joseph and Simon and Judas? And are not all his sisters with us? Where then did this man get all this?' And they took offence at him. But Jesus said to them, 'Prophets are not without honour except in their own country and in their own house.' And he did not do many deeds of power there, because of their unbelief.

For the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

(please sit)

THE SERMON

Rev. Christine Silvester, locum vicar

A time of silence is kept

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *(please stand)*

We believe in one God, who made and loves all that is.

We believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was born, lived, died and rose again, and is coming to call all to account. We believe in the Holy Spirit, who calls, equips and sends out God's people, and brings all things to their true end. This is our faith, the faith of the Church:

We believe in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

THE PRAYERS *(please sit or kneel) Led by the Wilma Robarts at 8am and Laurence Gray at 10am*

*The response is usually . . . in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.***

This time of prayer concludes with
Almighty God you have promised to hear our prayers,
Grant that what we have asked in faith we may by your grace receive, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We pray together a prayer for growth
God of Mission, who alone brings growth to your Church: send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, and power to our witness. Help our church to grow- in numbers, in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our local community, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE GREETING OF PEACE *(please stand)*

We are the body of Christ.

His spirit is with us.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

Offerings – A collection will be taken up at this time

Donations to support the life & work of Holy Trinity are most welcome. We rely on your generosity to enable us to serve our community. Cash donations & cheques can be left in the plate.

Cashless giving options: Direct EFT details: BSB: 033100; Account number: 490175; or go to www.htw.org.au and click on 'Donate now'.

At 10am **Offertory Hymn:** TIS 558 *All praise to thee my God*

THE OFFERTORY

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation. Through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom.
Blessed be God forever.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The prayer continues

...forever praising you and saying:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The prayer continues

... Let us proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The prayer continues

...in songs of never ending praise:

Blessing and honour and glory and power are yours for ever and ever. Amen.

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray:

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

HOLY COMMUNION

As this bread was once many grains which have been gathered together and made one bread,

so may your church be gathered from the ends of the earth into your kingdom.

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us your peace.

The gifts of God for the people of God. Come let us take this holy sacrament in remembrance that Christ died for us, and feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

All Baptised Christians are welcome to receive communion. If you require a gluten-free wafer, please let the priest know. If you do not wish to receive communion and would like to receive a blessing, please come forward and indicate to the priest your desire for a blessing by crossing your arms in front of you. You are also welcome to remain in your pew.

Everyone is welcome to light a candle while communion is being shared. There are two stations available, one to the left of the sanctuary, and another in the memorial chapel at the back of the church.

Prayers of Anointing & Healing are available at this time, when all have received communion. Please wait in the front pew near the candle stand to indicate this wish.

Communion is distributed with these or similar words

The body of Christ the bread of heaven keep you in eternal life.

Amen.

The blood of Christ the cup of salvation keep you in eternal life.

Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

The priest leads the prayer, ending with

Loving God, take us and use us to love and serve you and all people, in the power of your Spirit and in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Notices may be given

(please stand)

*At 10am **Final Hymn:** TIS 545 Shout for joy!*

THE BLESSING

The peace of God which passed all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of God's Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, Holy Eternal Majesty, Holy Incarnate Word, Holy Abiding Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

All are welcome to join us for refreshments conversation after our worship, Cocoa Latte café in Ferguson Street after 8am, in the Parish Centre after 10am.

HTW GROUPS

A great way to connect with people who share your interests.

ARTS AND FAITH DISCUSSION GROUP

Hayden Jones and Odelia Matthews invite you to join them to discuss the creative arts and how they interact with matters of faith. Artists and admirers of art from any medium (be it visual art, performance art, music, film, or the written word) are welcome to join us for an open discussion in the Parish Centre. The next meeting is **TODAY 3-4:30pm**. As a prompt for conversation, think about a work of art (like a painting, a sculpture, or a poem) that you have found to be spiritually moving. Parishioners with a creative practice are encouraged to present their own work for show and tell.

ADA CAMBRIDGE BOOK GROUP

The book groups' next gathering is on **Wednesday 2ND August** 12 noon in the Parish Centre and our book is yet to be decided.

MEN'S CHURCH GROUP (MCG)

MCG has started back. For more information and to join the WhatsApp group, contact Scott Phillips, Authorised Lay Minister, sphillips@kpcl.com.au 0411 751 755. The next gathering is **Friday 4th August** 7.30pm at 'Stag's Head Hotel', Corner Cecil and Ann Streets.

WOMEN OF HOLY TRINITY (WOHT)

WOHT meets on the second Thursday of the month 7.30-9.30pm. Please contact Barb Hingston (0424 466 405 - text if you can't get through on the phone), or Delia Paul (0432 562 454), for more info. Much of our communication is through a WhatsApp group, so ask Barb or Delia about joining. The next gathering will be **Thursday 10th August** either in the Parish Centre or as advised in WhatsApp.

GARDENING GROUP

The next gathering will be **Saturday 12th August** but you are welcome to potter in the gardens between meetings. A reminder that the herb garden has produce you might like to pick. Please use scissors (available in the kitchen).

WANTED! NEW OR USED COMPOST BIN! WILL BE GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED BY THE GARDENING GROUP, OH... AND THE GARDEN! OR, you may like to offer cash towards the purchase of same. Do let us know if you can help with this.

TEXTILE & DESIGN GROUP

This group of keen and creative makers usually meets on the 4th Saturday of the month, 2pm in the Parish Centre. Anyone interested in all things design and textile that add to our worship space is welcome to come along. The next gathering will be **Saturday 26th August.**

PARISH NEWS

SUNDAY LUNCH IN WILLY AND SURROUNDS FUNDRAISER

Parish Lunch – Sunday August 20th.

Thanks to those who have offered to host lunch and those who've offered to provide sweets.

BOOKINGS: - \$35.00 per person

- On line – <https://www.trybooking.com/CJPGS>
- List at the back of the church.
- Email – robartswilma@gmail.com
- Phone – 0409 862 292 (Wilma)
- IF YOU HAVE ANY DIETARY REQUIREMENTS PLEASE ADVISE.

CONVERSATIONS AT THE CENTRE

We like to have discussions on all sort of matters here at Holy Trinity. Do join us on the first Wednesday of each month, 7.30-9pm in the Parish Centre for conversations about matters that matter.



Everyone is welcome to any of these conversations. Please bring any friends along who may be interested in the following topics. The Conversation schedule will resume on **6th September**. Our speaker will be Dr Sandy Webb: 'Jawbone - the History and importance of Melbourne's smallest marine sanctuary'

UPCOMING TOPICS

4th October – Arts and Faith: Mystical Discovery Through Art Making with Odelia Matthews

1st November – Arts and Faith: Explorations of Grief and the Mystical and the Imagination with Hayden Jones.

AUGUST STUDY SERIES

Where we've come from – A History of Christianity
Wednesdays 2nd, 9th, 16th & 23rd 7.30-9pm in the Parish Centre

“A History of Christianity” follows Diarmaid MacCulloch, a professor of history at Oxford University, as he travels to some of the most historically rich places on the planet and studies their impact on the growth, identity, and culture of early Christianity. From Rome to Russia, from Israel to Istanbul, Professor MacCulloch looks at the rapid growth of Christianity in the late Roman era onward. He follows its path throughout history from the might of the Holy Roman Empire to the rise of the Reformers and the growth of Protestantism.

Honest, insightful, and as relevant now as it ever was, *A History of Christianity* provides a reasoned, intellectual approach to one of the largest faith movements that still continues to shape the world today.

We will watch one episode a week and discuss what we've learned, what questions it raises for us and how it might inform our faith today. Join us for snacks and discussion. If you miss a week, that's ok, you're welcome any time.

Week 1: The First Christianity

Week 2: Catholicism: The Unpredictable Rise of Rome

Week 3: Orthodoxy: From Empire to Empire

Week 4: Reformation: The Individual Before God

AN EVENING WITH ...SILVIE PALADINO CONCERT

The Western Region concert Bank (feature of our successful March fundraiser concert in the church) is very excited to present: *An Evening with...Silvie Paladino*, Saturday 19th August 7:30pm at the Clocktower Theatre in Moonee Ponds.

One of Australia's must-see performers, Silvie Paladino, is teaming up with one of Melbourne's very best concert bands, WRCB. For one night only at the Clocktower Centre. Enjoy a night of music from this versatile and talented entertainer and leading lady backed by a 30 piece concert band and guest choir. Silvie Paladino has been credited as being one of the greatest female voices in Australia. Her remarkable vocal range enables her to sing a vast repertoire including jazz, contemporary, musical theatre and light opera.

Western Region Concert Band has had significant success working with international artists including Leo Sayer, James Morrison, Christine Anu, Tripod and many more making for a perfect pairing. Definitely a night not to be missed!

Tickets can be purchased using this [link https://clocktowercentre.com.au/western-region-concert-band-and-silvie-paladino/](https://clocktowercentre.com.au/western-region-concert-band-and-silvie-paladino/)

or contact the box office [03 9243 9191](tel:0392439191)

Prices

Adult	\$48
Child (14 and under)	\$43
Student/Concession	\$43
Group Discount (10 or more tickets)	\$43 each
Family (2 adults, 2 concession/students/children)	\$172

Please note all bookings will incur a \$4 fee per transaction. This transaction fee is payable whether booking tickets online, over the phone or in person.



WILLIAMSTOWN
PRIMARY SCHOOL



WILLIAMSTOWN PRIMARY SCHOOL 1183
ANNIVERSARY GALA

FRIDAY 18TH AUGUST

7:00pm at Williamstown Town Hall, 104 Ferguson Street, Williamstown

Williamstown Primary School are exciting to announce that tickets for the school's 150 celebration gala are now available to purchase via Hobsons Bay Tickets.

This night of nights will give us the opportunity to acknowledge the school's history and its people, while also being a time to celebrate everything Willy.

We hope to see as many current and ex-Willy Kid families attend.

Please note this is an adults only event.

Link to Gala Tickets: [Williamstown Primary 150th Anniversary Gala – Hobsons Bay Tickets](#)

GOOD GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT IN YOUR PARISH

A short course for clergy and parish officers in the Diocese of Melbourne

This half day course will help you ensure your parish is managed well by having a good working knowledge of the legal framework which affects many aspects of the work and ministry of a parish.

Sessions

Church Law regarding the governance of a parish and the conduct of meetings

Church Law regarding the management of a parish

Presenters

Bishop Bradly Billings, Director of Theological Education

Mr Malcolm Tadgell, Registrar of the Diocese

Date: 9.30am – 1pm, Saturday 7 October 2023

Location: St Mark's Spotswood, 616 Melbourne Road

Registration is free.

Morning tea will be provided, but not lunch.

<https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/993464>

Enquiries: Chris Roper | tcts@trinity.edu.au | 0407 419 330



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DATES FOR THE DIARY 2023

*We hope that you can find space in your diaries for these events
at Holy Trinity Williamstown*

Sunday 8th October St. Francis Pet Blessing 2.30-3.30pm

Thursday 2nd November All Souls Reflective worship 7pm

Sunday 12th November Remembrance Sunday Lighting of the
Lamp 7pm

Sunday 26th November Annual Parish Meeting 11.30am

Sunday 24th December Fourth Sunday of Advent AND

*Christmas Eve (Rev. Elizabeth will welcome your views
about morning worship that day, current suggestions:
8am only; no morning services at all and focus on evening;
still have 8am & 10am. Whether you have strong opinions
on the matter or aren't fussed either way, let Rev. Elizabeth
know your thoughts by August)*

Nativity Service 6pm

Midnight Mass 11pm

Monday 25th December Christmas Day 9am

*An aside: as previously announced, our vicar Rev. Elizabeth will
be serving on secondment to St. Paul's Cathedral as Acting
Precentor 28 August – 3 November. All parish events will
continue as normal during that time. Locum arrangements will be
announced in the coming weeks.*

Be sure to check out our website for event details

www.htw.org.au

*Follow and Like us on Facebook [Holy Trinity Anglican Church,
Williamstown], and check out our YouTube channel at any time
[Holy Trinity Anglican Church Williamstown].*

WHAT'S HAPPENING

JULY

30 th	8 & 10am	Holy Communion
	3-4.40pm	Arts and Faith Discussion Group

AUGUST

2 nd	12noon	Ada Cambridge Book Group
	7.30-9pm	Study Series – History of Christianity
3 rd	6.30pm	Parish Council meeting
4 th	10am-1pm	Community Lunch
	7.30pm	MCG @ Stag's Head
5 th	9.30am-2.30pm	Gardening Group
6 th	8am & 10am	Holy Communion
9 th	10am	Holy Communion
10 th	7.30pm	Women of Holy Trinity
11 th	10am -1pm	Community Lunch
13 th	8am & 10am	Holy Communion
16 th	10am	Holy Communion
	7.30-9pm	Study Series – History of Christianity
18 th	10am – 1pm	Community Lunch
	12noon	Holy Communion @ The Village
20 th	8am & 10am	Holy Communion
23 rd	10am	Holy Communion
	7.30-9pm	Study Series – History of Christianity
25 th	10am – 1pm	Community Lunch
26 th	2pm -4pm	Textile & Design Group
27 th	8am & 10am	Holy Communion
	3-4.30pm	Arts & Faith Group
30 th	10am	Holy Communion

SEPTEMBER

1 st	10am-1pm	Community Lunches
3 rd	8am & 10am	Holy Communion

PARISH ROSTER

SUNDAY: 30th July – 9th Sunday after Pentecost

Readers: *Kate Strasser at 8am, Scott Phillips at 10am*

First Reading: *Genesis 29.15-28. 11:1-11.*

Psalm: *105. 1-11*

Second Reading: *Romans 8.26-39.*

Gospel: *Matthew 13. 44-58.*

Intercessor: *Wilma Robarts at 8am, Laurence Gray at 10am.*

Eucharistic Assistant 8am: *Ann Hodges.*

Liturgical Minister 10am: *Ingrid Dodd.*

Welcomers/Sidespersons: *Sue at 8am, Jill Ringrose at 10am.*

Music 10am: *Delia Paul.*

Morning Tea after 10am: *Jill Ringrose.*

NEXT SUNDAY: 6th August The Transfiguration of Our Lord

Readers: *at 8am, Scott Phillips at 10am.*

First Reading: *Genesis 29.15-28.*

Psalm: *105.1-11.*

Second Reading: *Romans 8.26-39.*

Gospel: *Matthew 1.3.44-58.*

Intercessor: *The Vicar at 8am, Laurence Gray at 10am.*

Eucharistic Assistant 8am: *Ann Hodges.*

Liturgical Minister 10am: *Scott Phillips.*

Welcomers/Sidespersons: *Wilma Robarts at 8am, TBA at 10am*

Music 10am

Morning Tea after 10am: *Ingrid & Christa.*

If you need to make a swap to your roster, please do, but please also contact the Parish Office office@htw.org.au 93975330.

Thank you.

Safe Ministry is God-honouring, life-giving, harm free

We strongly condemn any form of abuse and are committed to safeguarding children and vulnerable people, speaking out against violence, and ensuring our spaces are safe for everyone. If you would like to raise any concerns, please contact the independent Professional Standards Body, Kooyoora.

1800 135 246 enquiries@kooyoora.org.au

If anyone is in immediate danger, call 000.

THE PARISH AT A GLANCE

Vicar: Rev Elizabeth Murray

Email: vicar@htw.org.au Phone: 0419 106 457

Day off: Monday

PARISH OFFICE: office@htw.org.au (03) 9397 5330

The Office will be open on Tuesday 10-12pm, Wednesday 1-5pm, Thursday tba. For the time being.

POSTAL: PO Box 515, Williamstown 3016

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WEBSITE: www.htw.org.au

OUR TEAM OF VOLUNTEERS

These people give their time and talents to supporting the life of the parish

Wardens:

Scott Phillips 0411 751 755

Jill Ringrose

Authorised Honorary Lay Minister:

Scott Phillips 0411 751 755

Treasurer:

Laurence Gray 0431 322 490

Bookkeeper:

Ian Stewart 0438 070 439

Pastoral Care:

Janice Schmidt..... 0409 180 144

Parish Office, Baptism Arrangements &

Weddings:

Pamela Mc Fadyen

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The Pilot, Parish Journal:

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Community Lunch Program:

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HOLY TRINITY PASTORAL CARE

The Parish is divided into zones to cover the wide areas of pastoral care.

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If you are in need or know of someone who needs help, please contact either the above person in your area or call the vicar.