Good News

Sunday 26th August 2018 **Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost**

The Anglican Church of St Andrew

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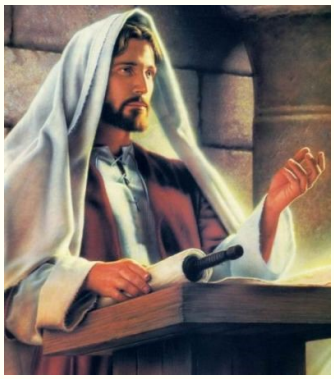
John 6. 56-69

Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me.

This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever.'

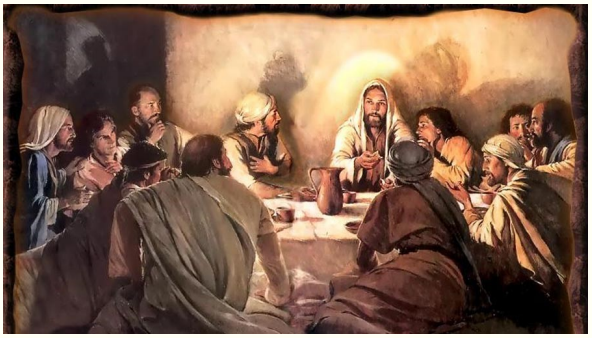


He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum. When many of his disciples heard it, they said, 'This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?'

But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, 'Does this offend you? Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. But among you there are some who do not believe.'

For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. And he said, 'For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father.'

Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. So Jesus asked the twelve, 'Do you also wish to go away?' Simon Peter answered him, 'Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.'



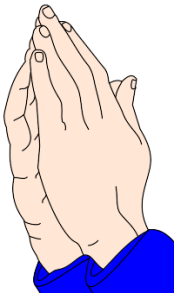
Welcome to St Andrews

Psalm 84
How lovely is your dwelling-place:
O Lord God of hosts! My soul has a desire and longing to enter the courts of the Lord: my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

To know Christ and to make Him known

Rest in Peace John Horne. Sadly John passed away at home last weekend. John was a long time member of this congregation and organiser of the Food Share program. His contribution to this community will be sadly missed. Our deepest sympathy to his extended family . Funeral details to follow.

For Your Prayers



John Abrahams, John Dillon; Val; Jenny; Peter; Amber and Ruby; Beverley Blick; Mary Smith; For the life of Ron Baddeley (Freda's brother) Gwen Pitfield, Brylie, Joy W. Jordan, Brittany, Samrah (an operation at the Women's Hospital) Husband Samir has been here just a few months from Iraq and Samrah may need 2 more operations.

Doug passed peacefully (Anglican Priest in WA) and Ruth who is organising the funeral. David and Katie Martz and new-born Daisy-Lorraine. John Grainger (radiation) and wife Elaine (parishioners of St Paul's) Pray for the family of John Horne who passed away last weekend.

There is a book for your prayer requests at the church office. If you would like to add your name or to add the name of another, please inform Val Gibbons by phoning **5278 1874** or **0474751645**

Please note that the prayer list is cleared *every month* so names may be removed from the list if the current situation is not known. If you find that your name has been removed as a result but you would like prayers to continue, please speak to Val to reinstate your name. If anyone would like special prayer, there will be supporters in the chapel after communion to pray with you.

Church Roof: You may have noticed that there are still some leaks in our roof, but the Church Council is working on getting quotes to mend it. Builders seem to be very busy at the moment and reluctant to take on a repair job like this.

The grey cement areas at the entrances to the church seem to get very slippery when wet. Please take especial care and ask for help if needed.

TITHES: Direct deposits are the preferred method of tithing but envelopes and money are also welcomed in the collection plate

Bank account name: Anglican Parish of Corio — Norlane, St Andrews Church Corio. BSB 633000 Account number: 155739212

Bible Study with the Vicar

Bible Study will recommence on Monday 27th August at 7.00pm at the church.

The Readings for 2nd September 2018

Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Song of Songs 2.8-13 James 1.17-27

Psalm 45. 1-2, 6-9 Mark 7. 1-8,14-23

Message from the Archbishop of Melbourne

On Tuesday 16th October, Bishop Phillip Huggins will celebrate his 70th Birthday and retire. To commemorate his service, the Diocese of Melbourne decided to make a donation in his name to a cause close to his heart, the abolition of Modern Slavery. If you would like to donate, you can do so through an account held at the Anglican Development Fund, BSB 703122, Account number 05009591, Account name MATC-NCCA Anti—Slavery Fund.

Wednesday 12th September. Ecumenical Service 2.00pm at St Thomas, Plume Street, Norlane

On Saturday 15th September at St Thomas' Werribee, there will be a half day course on Church law, good governance and management. If you are interested, please speak to Revd David.

Thursday 27th September 11.00am to 3.00pm The Jewish Christian Muslim Association of Australia Women's Committee invite you to a tour of the Jewish Women's Mikvah, Succah in St Kilda Synagogue and Jewish Museum. $25 entry includes lunch and museum entry. RSVP by 21st September Bookings through mikvah-succah-museum.eventbrite.com.au (See notice on board)

TIME FOR A CUPPA AND A CHAT

We have changed the format for this games morning and now play board games instead of cards.

Ask your friends to come with you! Join us every Monday morning at 10.00 a.m. at St Andrews Church Hall.

Meet new people and make new friends. Share some laughs and stories. Fellowship means having fun and that is what we have when we get together every Monday morning **ALL WELCOME**

Roster for Sunday September 2nd 2018

MUSIC:	Dean
WELCOME:	Ser Tay, Dianne
OFFERING:	Eh Sho, Ser Tay, Dianne
A/V:	Pot Pot, KDS
READINGS:	Nan, Nora, Freda
INTERCESSIONS:	Annie
SERVER:	Hsar Naw, Thaw Eh
CHALICE:	Sandra, Peter H
MORNING TEA:	Team A Paw Moo, Mu Lu Ku, Mu Tu
COUNTING:	Neil, Sith Doh
CLEANING:	Neil & Team
SUNDAY SCHOOL:	Paw Tu Char
PRAYER:	Neil, Ma La Win

Rosters: Thank you to everyone who has volunteered to help. I hope that no one has to do anything too often . Please arrange with someone else to cover for you if you are unable to be there on one of your rostered days

What's happening this week

Sunday 26th Social Committee and Fire Drill Committee after church at 11.30am.

Tuesday 28th Parish Council 7.00pm at the church.

Thursday 30th; Friday 31st and Saturday 1st GRAP set-up, sorting and distribution

Sunday 2nd September Fathers' Day

Wednesday 12th September 2.00pm Ecumenical Service at St Thomas Catholic Church 51 Plume Street, Norlane.

Are you new to St Andrews?

Please leave your contact details if you would like to be contacted by our pastoral care team:

Name: .....

Address: .....

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Phone: .....

Please complete and return to office now or on your next visit