

Parish Press

Sunday September 29th, 2024

Sentence

Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can it be seasoned? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another. Mark 9.50

Prayer of the Day

O God,
your Son has taught us that those who give a cup of water in his name
will not lose their reward:
open our eyes to see those who are in need,
and teach us to set no store by riches and earthly rewards,
so that, in surrendering ourselves to serve you in your children,
we may labour for the treasure that endures;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Readings

Esther 7.1-6, 9-10; 9.20-22	Page (OT) 350
Psalms 124	Page (OT) 444
James 5.12-20	Page 181
Mark 9.38-50	Page 34

Today's services are

8am Holy Communion

9.30am Sung Holy Communion Service followed by morning tea

This week we pray for all who live in Lorne Parade, Surrey Hills

***And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts
and your minds in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4.7)***

- A Christian Presence in Our Community -

Mark's Ponderings

Over the last few weeks we have seen what it means to serve. It is through our service that we are playing our part in the growing of the Kingdom of God. Our service is our faith in action.

I recently came across the following poem that sums our service and volunteering

THE VOLUNTEERS

This poem is dedicated to all faithful volunteers. We could not make it without your willingness to serve.

There are some special people that we know
Found in needy places across this land,
They're people that selflessly serve others
Always ready to lend a helping hand.

We may know them by their many titles
Chief bottle washer to soup kitchen cook;
They may be young or old, male or female,
In serving others each has found a nook.

Kind-hearted helpers, tireless volunteers
Who lend a hand in every capacity;
They seek no earthly reward, no fanfare,
Give help, no matter the adversity.

Here's to all of the wonderful people
Who unselfishly have chosen to serve,
May these words offer some recognition
And give the praise, which they rightly deserve.

Jesus said; "For whosoever shall give you a cup of water to drink in my name... he shall not lose his reward." Mark 9:41

Written by Lloyd Taylor

God bless

Mark

Pet Service

Our Blessing of the Pets Service is **NEXT SUNDAY** at 11am. Please join us as we acknowledge the blessing and joy that our pets bring to our lives.

If you are able to help with the BBQ please let Mark know.

Choral Evensong

Next Sunday at 5pm is our monthly Choral Evensong. Don't forget to stay for wine and cheese after the Service.

Floor Replacement

Reminder: the flooring in the Trinity Hall kitchen and male and female toilets is continuing to be replaced. The disabled toilet is available. Morning Tea is in Carter Hall

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY

There will be NO Service on Wednesday October 2nd at 10am. Instead we will hold the Thanksgiving and Healing Service at 10am on Thursday October 3rd.

Church Calender Notice

Orders are being taken for the 2025 Anglican Church Calender. For more information please see Selwyn.

Save the Date

Save the date for our Women's High Tea Event for Saturday 30th November. More information to come.

Parish Prayer List

Helen Burston, Stephen Binns, William Stewart (Stu) Parry, Robyn Foskett, Thelma Fiddymont, Rachel Hayman, Bruce Knox, Helen Morris, John and Sally James, Pam Dewar, Edith Jenkins, Sue Hand, Ann Constable, Gwen Jackson, Verna Hubert.

We remember

We give you thanks for your servants in every age. Grant that we, with all your saints, may be brought to a joyful resurrection and the fulfilment of your kingdom. Arthur Callaghan, Mabel Perrin, Marjorie Gawler, William Hodges.

Praise

For the witness of all who have gone before us at Holy Trinity
For those who nurtured us in our journey of faith

Prayer

That we might respond to the call and commissions that we have received
Our Parish Council as we seek to reach out to the community

This Week at Holy Trinity

Tuesday

9.30am-12.30pm Office Open

Wednesday

No Service today

Thursday

10am Thanksgiving and Healing Service

9.30am-12.30pm Office Open

7.30pm Choir Practice

Friday

Mark's Day Off

Sunday

8am Holy Communion

9.30am Holy Communion Service followed by morning tea

11am Blessing of the Pets Service

5pm Choral Evensong

Readings this week

Monday	Luke 9.46-50
Tuesday	Luke 9.51-56
Wednesday	Luke 9.57-62
Thursday	Luke 10.1-12
Friday	Luke 10.13-16
Saturday	Luke 10.17-24
Sunday	Job 1.1; 2.1-10, Psalm 26, Hebrews 1.1-4; 2.5-12, Mark 10.2-16

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