

Anglican Parish of Queenscliff- Point Lonsdale
Sunday 10.00am Holy Communion at
St George's Queenscliff
Morning Prayer Wednesday 10.30am St George's Queenscliff
The Sixth Sunday After Epiphany 16th February 2025



Sharing in ministry together

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THIS WEEK IN A NUTSHELL

MONDAY 17th February	Mthr Jo on leave
TUESDAY 18th	Mthr Jo returns
WEDNESDAY 19th	10.30am Morning Prayer St George's
THURSDAY 20th	11.00am Holy Communion Arcare Point Lonsdale
FRIDAY 21st	
SATURDAY 22nd	Working Bee at St James: 9.30-11.00am
SUNDAY 23rd	10.00am Holy Communion St George's Queenscliff Seventh Sunday After Epiphany

Prayer of the week: Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

This week's readings Jeremiah 17:5-10; Psalm 1 (page 224 of the Prayer Book);

1 Corinthians 15:12-20; Luke 6:17-26

(All readings are taken from The New Revised Standard Version of the Bible)

Next week's readings: Genesis 45:3-11, 15; Psalm 37:1-11, 40-41; 1 Corinthians 15:35-50;

Luke 6:27-38

Hymns

Introit – When we Walk with the Lord AHB 531, tune TRUST AND OBEY

Offertory – Blest are the Pure in Heart AHB 376, TIS 448, tune FRANCONIA

Post Communion – God is Love, Let Heaven Adore Him AHB 93, TIS 153, tune ABBOT'S LEIGH

Readings for this week:

Jeremiah 17:5-10

Thus says the Lord:

Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals

and make mere flesh their strength,
whose hearts turn away from the Lord.

⁶They shall be like a shrub in the desert,
and shall not see when relief comes.

They shall live in the parched places of the wilderness,
in an uninhabited salt land.

⁷Blessed are those who trust in the Lord,
whose trust is the Lord.

⁸They shall be like a tree planted by water,
sending out its roots by the stream.

It shall not fear when heat comes,
and its leaves shall stay green;
in the year of drought it is not anxious,
and it does not cease to bear fruit.

⁹The heart is devious above all else;
it is perverse—
who can understand it?

¹⁰I the Lord test the mind
and search the heart,
to give to all according to their ways,
according to the fruit of their doings.

Psalm 1 (page 224 of the Prayer Book)

Blessed are they who have not walked in the counsel of the ungodly:

Nor followed the ways of sinners, nor taken their seat amongst the scornful.

But their delight is in the law of the Lord:

And on that law will they ponder day and night.

They are like trees planted beside streams of water:

That yield their fruit in due season.

Their leaves also shall not wither:

And look, whatever they do, it shall prosper.

As for the ungodly, it is not so with them:

They are like the chaff which the wind scatters.

Therefore, the ungodly shall not stand up at the judgement:

Nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.

For the Lord cares for the way of the righteous:

But the way of the ungodly shall perish.

1 Corinthians 15:12-20

Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say there is no resurrection of the dead? ¹³ If there is no resurrection of the dead, then Christ has not been raised; ¹⁴ and if Christ has not been raised, then our proclamation has been in vain and your faith has been in vain. ¹⁵ We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified of God that he raised Christ—whom he did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. ¹⁶ For if the dead are not raised, then Christ has not been raised. ¹⁷ If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins. ¹⁸ Then those also who have died in Christ have perished. ¹⁹ If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

²⁰ But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died.

Luke 6:17-26

He came down with them and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. ¹⁸ They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. ¹⁹ And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them.

²⁰ Then he looked up at his disciples and said:

‘Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.

²¹ ‘Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.

‘Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.

²² ‘Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³ Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

²⁴ ‘But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.

²⁵ ‘Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.

‘Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.

²⁶ ‘Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

WHAT'S ON



Mthr Jo on leave 3rd – 17th February. For assistance, please call Fiona (Vicar's Warden) 0428 322 208

Thank you to those who support our ministry through the IGA Rewards Card program. Recently we have raised \$681.00 to assist us to do God's work in this place. You may like to join the program at either IGA Pt Lonsdale or Queenscliff, if you haven't already done so.

- Saturday, 22 February: **Working Bee** at St James, 9.30-11.00am. Includes morning tea! Andrew (Behan) would like a hand with some pruning outside and washing the windows in Gill Hall. De-cobwebbing never goes astray, either!

- SHROVE TUESDAY 4th March 6.00pm Pancake Dinner at The Old School Hall, Queenscliff

- ASH WEDNESDAY 5th March 10.30m service of Holy Communion and imposition of ashes.

- LENTEN STUDIES commencing on Ash Wednesday 5th March. Booklets are available from Val Lawrence (\$10.00) Weekly discussion sessions will begin Tuesday 11th March 4.00pm at the vicarage.



Do you need a lift to church? Each week there are parishioners who would like to attend church but need a lift to join us on Sunday mornings. There are also many other parishioners who are happy to pick up a fellow parishioner on their way to church each Sunday. If you fall into either of these camps, please contact Sally [0427651038] so we can help you join us for worship.

Parish Prayer List – If you would like prayer for yourself or another who have given their permission and would appreciate prayer as part of our time of worship, please direct your prayer request to Mthr Jo 0458 523 754 or vicar@queenscliffonsdaleanglican.org



GROWTH PRAYER – God of mission, who alone brings growth to your Church, send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, joy to our worship, 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.

PARISH BANK DETAILS: BSB 633 000 [Bendigo Bank] Acc #157 443 508

Account name: Anglican Parish of St George's

MORNING PRAYER on Zoom

Monday – Saturday 9.15am www.us02web.zoom.us/j/83936429814?pwd=SIJCRE5WNXRZUxRa0dHVk1vL2w3dz09

EVENING PRAYER Zoom

Monday – Saturday 5.00pm www.us02web.zoom.us/j/87628164461?pwd=cEF6K1E1Yjh6TEFKa25laG4vUDdMQT09

MEDITATION on Zoom

Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8.30am – 9.00am [www.us02web.zoom.us/j/81733909876?](http://www.us02web.zoom.us/j/81733909876?pwd=WHI4QVVENHRJVFZyWXNLSFJ5cjdrdz09)

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