

WELCOME TO **St PAUL'S** **ANGLICAN CHURCH**



BURWOOD

PEW SHEET - HOLIDAY EDITION **SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**

SUNDAY 14 JANUARY 2018

Our parish's patron is St Paul the Apostle who was one of the early Church's missionary leaders.

A dynamic preacher, he visited communities located around the Mediterranean Sea and in Asia Minor proclaiming the good news of the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

In his first letter to the Church at Corinth, Paul tells how he handed on the tradition of the Last Supper to them and it is this sacred meal that we share which makes us one with Jesus and with the Church, both living and departed, today.



WELCOME TO ST PAUL'S. We are glad that you have come to worship God with us today. If you are a visitor from another parish, or worshipping with us for the first time, please introduce yourself to the priest, or to anyone wearing a name badge, over a cup of tea or coffee in the parish hall after the service. You'll find it behind the church.

Things you may need to know

In case we need to evacuate



As you take your place in your pew, please make yourself aware of the route to the nearest emergency exit. Should there be a fire, leave quickly, turn right, and assemble by the roundabout on Burwood Road.



First Aid

A first aid kit is located on the wall of the kitchen in the Large Hall behind the church.



Switch it to silent!

Please turn your mobile phone off or on to silent before the service starts. It'll save you much embarrassment later on.



Name badges

Name badges help make St Paul's an inclusive community. If you need a new name badge send your name to the parish office and one will be made and left in church for you.



Toilets

Toilets are available at the entrance to the Parish Hall, located behind the church.



Still got questions?

Ask a member of the clergy or anyone who's wearing a name badge. We're here to help.

Getting Inside



People with wheelchairs can enter St Paul's most conveniently by the door at the base of the belltower.

Read it all



Large print copies of the weekly pew bulletin are available on request.

Kids are welcome at St Paul's



Kids are welcome in church at any service. There is a selection of children's books and toys at the back of the church near the font and there are also kid's activity sheets and pencils available at the back of the church on the pew where the pew sheets and prayer books are. Please feel free to bring your children to receive Communion if they have been Admitted to Communion, or for a blessing if you prefer.

Pray throughout the week

Pray for the Anglican Church –

for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Phillip, Primate of Australia; Glenn, Archbishop of Sydney; Michael Stead, Our Regional Bishop and for all the bishops, priests, deacons and Religious of the Anglican Communion.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we are asked to pray today for The Anglican Church of Australia, for The Most Revd Philip Leslie Freier, Archbishop of Melbourne & Primate of Australia and for all his clergy and people.

Pray for Fr James and for Fr Michael as well as for Helen and Antonia. May God bless them and their ministries and may we support them as they work among us in Christ's name.

Pray for St Paul's: God of mercy, strengthen us to help shape a parish where diversity is a source of enrichment, compassion is common, life's poetry realized, suffering lightened through sharing, justice attended, joy pervasive, hope lived, the hum of the universe heard, and together with you and each other we build what is beautiful, true, worthy of your generosity to us, an echo of your kingdom. Amen.
(Ted Loder)

Pray for the sick and their carers:

Andrew; Joyce Bannister; Margaret Baseley; Barry Brandy; John Burns;

June Cameron; Scott Cameron; (Sir) John Carrick; (Lady) Angela Carrick; Rodney Chesham; Margaret Hayes; Heather; Jan Morgan; Brian Muir; Narelle; Alister & Sally Palmer; Paul Phillips; Nancy Thompson; Margaret Wheatley; Bill Whittle, David Windsor; Bob Woods;

In love and charity remember the recently departed, that God may grant them a place of refreshment, light and peace.

Pray too for, Jack Mannix, Cecil Duncan McKinnon, Ted Gough, Alice Aida Richardson, John Arnold Collins, Colin Duncombe, Gabriel Meyers and for any others whose year's mind falls around this time.

Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them!

Old Cards and unused Christmas Wrap

Each year we make up Advents Pack for our children. When you have finished reading your cards we would love to have them to cut up for next Christmas.

If you have any part rolls of left-over wrapping paper that you don't feel like storing we would love to have this as well.

Please leave them in the box at the back of the church.

Thank you.

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****Please note the Parish Office is closed until Wednesday 3rd January 2018****

Bible Readings at today's Eucharists

Bible Readings for next Sunday

1 Samuel 3.1-10(11-20)

The OT Reading

Jonah 3.1-10

Ps 139.1-5,12-18

The Psalm

Ps 62.5-12

1 Corinthians 6.12-20

The Epistle

1 Corinthians 7.29-31

John 1.43-51

The Gospel

Mark 1.14-20