



# ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

## Burwood

### Welcome to worship

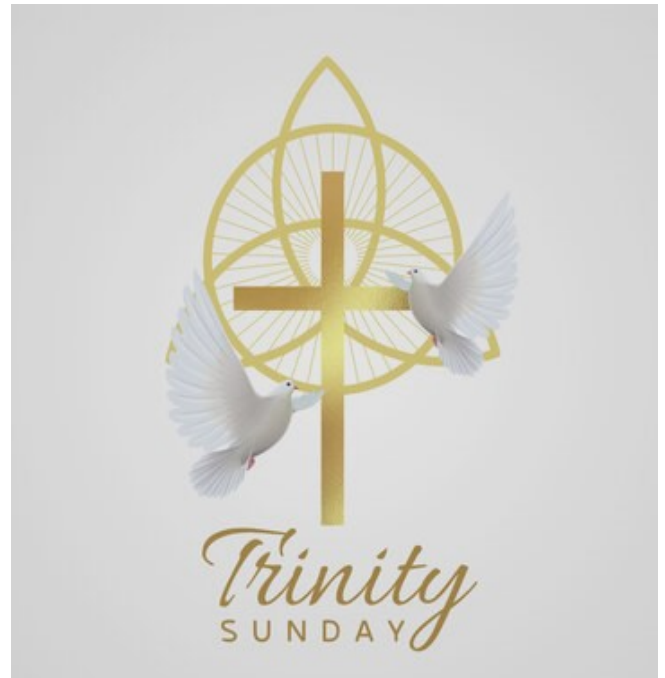
**Sunday 26th May**  
**Trinity Sunday**

- 8.00am Said Eucharist
- 10.00am Choral Eucharist with St Paul's Choir
- 10.30am Midweek Communion in the Chapel of Christ's Passion on Wednesdays
- 5.30pm The Office of Evening Prayer every Friday
- 6.00pm Holy Communion every Friday

**W**ELCOME 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 our parish priest, Fr James Collins, or to anyone wearing a name badge.

### IMPORTANT DATES

- **Thursday 30th May at 6.00pm -**  
Choral Eucharist for Corpus Christi
- **Tuesday 18th June at 1.15pm -**  
Lunchtime Recital



### Bible Readings at today's Eucharist

### Year B

### Bible Readings for next Sunday

Isaiah 6.1-8  
Ps 29  
Romans 8.12-17  
John 3.1-17

**The First Reading**  
**The Psalm**  
**The Epistle**  
**The Gospel**

1 Samuel 3.1-10 (11-20)  
Ps 139.1-6, 13-18  
2 Corinthians 4.5-12  
Mark 2.23-3.6

## **Acknowledgement of the Wangal people of the Eora Nation**

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land upon which we meet, the Wangal People of the Eora Nation, and pay our respects to their elders, past, present, and emerging; and we pray that God will unite us all in the knowledge of his Son, in whom all things were created, in heaven and on earth.

## **We are glad that you have found us!**

We affirm that through God's redeeming love for all, we are one in Christ. We respect the inherent and valuable contributions each member makes to the Body of Christ. We celebrate our diversity and recognize the sacred worth and dignity of all persons of any age, gender, gender identity, gender expression, race, ethnic origin, economic reality, family status, sexual orientation, diverse ability, or social status. We believe that through Christ we are being included and welcomed by God and one another. As we journey towards inclusion, we proclaim this welcome to all God's people, especially to those who have known the pain of exclusion and discrimination within the church, affirming that no one is excluded or condemned. We invite all persons to journey with us as we discover the call of God on our lives through the ministries of St. Paul's Anglican Church, Burwood. To that end, St. Paul's Anglican Church commits to the welcome and inclusion of all persons as children of God and declares itself to be a welcoming community of faith.

<b>ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH BURWOOD TUESDAY LUNCHTIME RECITALS 2024 Commencing 1.15pm in the Church Admission by Donation</b>		
<b>DATE</b>	<b>ARTIST/S</b>	<b>INSTRUMENT/S</b>
18 June	Students from MLC School, Burwood	TBC
16th July	Lin Xu-Zhang	Piano
20th August	Sirius Chamber Ensemble	Flute, Clarinet, Piano
17th September	Michal Roh	Piano
15th October	Students from the Conservatorium of Music	Strings and piano
19th November	The Mirabelle Trio	Violin, Viola, Piano

# News from St Paul's ...

## Welcome to the Right Reverend Dr Michael Stead and his wife Felicity

We welcome our Regional Bishop, The Right Reverend Dr Michael Stead, his wife Felicity and all the families and friends of the candidates for Confirmation and Admission to Communion.

Congratulations to the Confirmed and those admitted to Communion.

At the 10.00am Service today, 4 people will be Confirmed, and 2 will also be Admitted to Communion.

### The Candidates for Confirmation are:

Mila Ljubica Patricia Brown, Hamish Hilton Meyers, Holly Licciardello and Kaleem Ullah

The candidates for Admission to Communion are:

Zoe Licciardello and Hugo William Laurence

We pray for all the candidates, their Sponsors, their Godparents and their families that they may know God's presence in their lives and be enfolded with God's love.

Please also pray that God will ...

... increase in them all the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of discernment and inner strength, the spirit of knowledge

and true godliness, and fill them with wonder and awe at God's presence, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



## Trading Table



The total for last Sunday was \$411.50 (including sale of the Epistle). We look forward to serving you with our butters, chutneys/pickles and marmalades.

Books \$2 each, near new \$3

DVD's \$1 & CD's available at \$1 each

Thank you for your support.

Pam Brock

## Street Stall is postponed

The cancelled street Stall last week will be postponed to a date to be determined

## Mother's Day Raffle

Tickets are still available for the Mother's Day Raffle. They are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. The Raffle is now \$282.85.

We need more sales before it will be drawn.

## The Epistle

There are some back copies of the Epistle available at the Trading Table for \$10 each. If you have missed out on an edition please see if we have a spare.

## Bookshelf/Shelves needed

Does anyone have a bookshelf/shelves they no longer need? We would like to reduce the space in the hall for the display of the books for the Trading Table. Please speak to Pam if you think you can help.



## Flowers as a Memorial

Decorating our church with flowers is one way to remember a loved one or in thanksgiving for a special event. If you would like to give flowers in memory of a loved one, or as an offering of thanksgiving please contact Judith Laurence the week prior to the date at: [judealaurence@gmail.com](mailto:judealaurence@gmail.com) or on 0438041726 and contact Caroline in the parish office at: [office@stpaulsbuwood.org.au](mailto:office@stpaulsbuwood.org.au) to arrange the wording of the memorial notice in the pew bulletin.

## Name Badges

Don't forget to wear your name badge so that new comers can get to know you.

If you are a new parishioner and need a name badge, please fill out the form at the back of the church. Thank you.

## Parish Prayer List

At St Paul's, we pray by name for people who have either asked for our prayers or for whom someone else has made a request. This list is updated every 3 months or when we receive a new request. Some names are on our list on a long-term basis while others reflect a more immediate need and are short term.

We will only be reading the names on the short-term list in the services but the whole list will still be included in the printed prayers for parishioners to use throughout the week. The full list of names will be read in our midweek service.

Names can be added to or removed from the lists at any time.

Pew  
Reflections  
REFLECTIONS  
BGM

### Trinity Sunday – Sunday 26 May 2024

Isaiah 6.1-8; Psalm 29; Romans 8.12-17; John 3.1-17

St Paul tells us that 'all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God'. That means that those who follow God's Spirit are not just creations of the Creator but rather related to him in a profound and intimate way. Like Jesus, may we be able to discern the Spirit and follow so that we too may be numbered among God's children today and all days.

~ To thee our morning song of praise, To thee our evening prayer we raise; Thee may our souls for evermore In lowly reverence adore.

~ Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Melanesia.

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## LUNCHTIME RECITAL TUESDAY 21ST MAY 2024



### PROGRAM

Connie Yang , violinist

P. I. Tchaikovsky Allegro Moderato from Concerto in D major op 35

Sierra Sharman, violinist

E. W. Korngold Moderato Nobile from Concerto D major op 35

Jessica Ma, violin

H. Vieuxtemps Concerto a minor op 37\

Yue Zheng, violin

N. Paganini Allegro maestoso Maestro from Allegro Concerto in D major op 6

Dono Ng - accompanist

Today's recital was filled with extraordinary playing from each of the four violinists. The music was technically demanding and virtuosic. The movement from the Korngold was perhaps the least known. In this movement, the accompaniment does not always underlay the solo part. The soloist must rely on superb intonation, which we enjoyed today.

Dono Ng is a wonderful accompanist. He is truly a collaborative artist.

The length of these concerto movements requires physical and mental stamina. Each performance appeared effortless, giving truly masterly interpretations. Beautiful tone emanating from beautiful instruments made this another outstanding recital.

Sheryl Southwood OAM

Recital Convenor



## \*For General & Offertory Donations

Please use the following account details:

**Account Name: St Pauls Anglican Church**

**BSB: 032 062**

**Account #: 250028**

## \*For Parish Pantry & For Community Choir Donations

Please use this account details:

**Account Name: Parish Pantry**

**BSB: 032 062**

**Account #: 812238**

Please clearly mark whether it is for the Parish Pantry or the Community Choir.

## Donations and Bequests

"I bequeath the sum of \$ to the Rector and Wardens of the Anglican parish of St Paul's Burwood, to be used at their absolute discretion for the charitable or other beneficial purposes of the parish."

### Wills

Mark Squire (an 8:00am service parishioner) is a solicitor experienced in drafting Wills. While he does not wish to have any commercial association with the church and/or its members, he has made an offer to assist, at no cost, senior parishioners and community members who wish to make donations to the parish in their Wills.

Mark can be contacted on [msquire@vindenlawyers.com.au](mailto:msquire@vindenlawyers.com.au) or 0416022150 by anyone in this category who wishes to pursue the matter. Mark is concerned to ensure that any senior who wants to help our wonderful parish this way is not deterred by the potential cost of so doing.

## Offertory -

Collection given at St Paul's and other donations:

16th May 2024 – 22nd May 2024

≈ Offertory: \$3,045.64

≈ Parish Pantry: \$305.00

**TOTAL OF GIVING: \$3,350.64**

Thank you for responding to God's generous love.



## Donations with Tax Deductibility - National Trust Account

If you would like to make a donation to the Parish for the upkeep and maintenance of the Heritage building it can be done through the National Trust.

**Cheques can be made out to:**

National Trust of Australia (NSW) St Paul's Anglican Church Burwood

**Or**

Direct Credit to the above name with bank account details: Westpac

**BSB: 032-044**

**Account number: 742 926**

**Branch: 275 George Street Sydney NSW**

Please contact Pam for more details or place a donation in an envelope and label with National Trust donation and include your name for your receipt and an address to post it to. Thank you.

# HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE / LIVING STONES

## NOVEMBER 2024



Fr Mark

### **PILGRIMAGE**

Fr Mark is the Chair of Friends of Sabeel Australia - a Christian charity established to support the work of the Sabeel Liberation Theology organisation based in Jerusalem.

Fr Mark has led over 12 Pilgrimages / Living Stones tours to the land that Jesus walked that have included both visits to the Holy sites, but also, an opportunity to meet and share the lives and stories of Palestinians and Jews living in this holy place.

We are planning a Pilgrimage to Jerusalem, Bethlehem and other parts of Palestine / Israel from **11<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> November 2024**.

### **CONFERENCE**

In addition Fr Mark is leading a Conference on the subject of Religious Extremism in Bethlehem from **17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> November**.

This conference will include expert speakers from around the world from Christian, Muslim and Jewish heritage as well as local Palestinians.

We will attempt to grow a greater understanding of the history of the current crisis in Israel / Palestine and see how the international situation has driven and continued the current war in Gaza and the West Bank.

Sabeel is a Christian based charity and is well respected within the Israeli and Palestinian societies as it seeks to find ways to work for a just and fair peace for all in this special place.

### **SAFETY**

Because of the media coverage and the reality on the ground there is always concern about whether these trips will be safe.

Since October last year Sabeel has hosted over 30 trips from churches and interested parties from across the world and we would **never** allow ourselves to put anybody in danger. We will not travel to areas that are potentially dangerous and we will ensure that everybody is protected from danger at all times.

## ITINERARY

The outline for the Pilgrimage / Living Stones itinerary will include:

<p><b>Day 1 (Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November)</b> <b>Jerusalem</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mount of Olives: Chapel of the Ascension</li> <li>• Dominus Flevit and Palm Sunday walk</li> <li>• Garden and Church of Gethsemane</li> <li>• Church of St Peter in Gallicantu</li> <li>• Lunch in the Old City</li> <li>• Church of St Ann and Pool of Bethesda</li> <li>• Sisters of Zion and the Lithostrotos</li> <li>• Church of the Holy Sepulchre</li> </ul>	<p><b>Day 2 (Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November)</b> <b>Bethlehem</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Church of the Nativity</li> <li>• The Shepherd's Fields</li> <li>• Tent of Nations &amp; Nasser family</li> <li>• Hebron to meet the CPT Team</li> </ul>
<p><b>Day 3 (Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> November)</b> <b>Galilee</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ancient Jericho</li> <li>• Capernaum</li> <li>• Mount of Beatitudes</li> <li>• Walk down to Tabgha Church through the fields</li> <li>• Mensa Christi and Church of the Primacy</li> <li>• Boat ride across the Sea of Galilee</li> <li>• Jordon Baptismal site</li> </ul>	<p><b>Day 4 (Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November)</b> <b>Three Faiths</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Western Wall via Damascus Gate and Cardo</li> <li>• The Al Aqsa Mosque</li> <li>• The Dome of the Rock</li> <li>• The Jewish &amp; Armenian Quarters &amp; Jaffa Gate</li> <li>• View a recent house demolition (with ICAHD representative)</li> <li>• Bethany and view the Separation Barrier</li> </ul>
<p><b>Day 5 (Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November)</b> <b>Nazareth</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drive to Nazareth via Nablus</li> <li>• Nazareth Village</li> <li>• Church of the Annunciation</li> <li>• Nazareth excavations below Church</li> <li>• Afternoon meeting with Archbishop Elias</li> </ul>	



## COST

### Pilgrimage

This will be \$1000 USD (1500 Australian Dollars) which will include all travel whilst in Palestine / Israel, all hotels, all meals and any entry fees to specific events.

Travel to Palestine / Israel, as well as travel insurance is extra, but we will guide everybody through this.

### Conference

This will be \$1250 USD (1900 Australian Dollars) which will include all travel whilst in Palestine / Israel, all hotels, all meals and any entry fees to specific events.

Travel to Palestine / , as well as travel insurance is extra, but we will guide everybody through this.

## INVITATION

Fr Mark would like anybody who would like to share in either the Pilgrimage or the Conference, or both, to contact him to express an interest.

Please speak to him personally or email him at [mark@invella.co.uk](mailto:mark@invella.co.uk) or telephone him at 0481 893 609.

[www.sabeel.org](http://www.sabeel.org)

[www.australia.sabeel.org](http://www.australia.sabeel.org)

## Quote for the week...

When we ultimately go home to God, we are going to be judged on what we were to each other, what we did for each other, and, especially, how much love we put in that. It's not how much we give, but how much love we put in the doing - that's compassion in action.

- Mother Teresa Of Calcutta (1910-1997)

An Albanian-Indian Catholic nun and the founder of the Missionaries of Charity

## INTERCESSIONS

Sunday 26th May 2024 - Trinity Sunday

[CELEBRANT] Three person God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, living and reigning in perfect unity, hear the prayers we offer for the world, the church and the kingdom which is to come.

We praise you Father God for your church throughout the world. May it be guided by your Spirit, that it may not grow weary but serve as a beacon of hope in the world. Give your wisdom to those who proclaim the gospel in word, deed and sacrament, especially Archbishops Justin, Geoffrey and Kanishka, Bishop Michael and all on our parish ministry team. In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we ask your blessing on the Church of the Province of Central Africa, its clergy and people. Pour your blessings on Holly, Mila, Hamish, Kaleem, Zoe and Hugo as they take their next step on their journey of faith. May the word of Christ dwell richly in them and in all our hearts, and knit us together in the bond of your love.

Lord, in your mercy: **Hear our Prayer.**

Creator God, give wisdom to the leaders of the nations, and those in authority under them. Give them a desire to work for that international unity that seeks to banish the threats of war, terrorism, oppression and famine.

Lord, in your mercy: **Hear our Prayer.**

Redeemer God, pour your blessings on our parish and its role in the community of Burwood. We thank you for the volunteers in our parish who share their time and gifts to fulfil the many needs of those who come to us.

Lord, in your mercy: **Hear our Prayer.**

Sanctifying Spirit, who never leaves us, we pray for those who are weighed down by grief, fear or sickness. May they know the assurance of your love and peace supporting and sustaining them. We bring before you those who have asked for our prayers: Barry Bevis, Belinda, James Budin, Dorothy De George, Kerryanne Graham, Graham Griffiths, Greg, Barbara Hawkins, Karen, Clyde Livingstone, Terry and Betsy McKay, Helen Nguyen, Anthony Noack, Michelle Parker, Yolande Phillips, others known to us and those who have no one to pray for them. Bring them comfort and healing.

Lord, in your mercy: **Hear our Prayer.**

Loving God, we give thanks for all who have died in the faith of Christ, and we rejoice with them and all your saints, trusting in the promise of eternal life, fulfilled through your son Jesus Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit. We remember before you our loved ones and others who have their year's mind at this time: Ronald Lane, John Sutton, Mary McPherson, Patricia Rainbow-Noack, Edith Grummitt, Harris Greenberg, Beatrice Howie and Paul Philips. May they rest in peace and rise with Christ in glory.

### PAUSE FOR SILENT REFLECTION

[PRESIDER] **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.

#### **Our Next Parish Lunch**

Join us at the next Parish Lunch which will be held at **Club Burwood RSL, Shaftesbury Rd, Burwood at 12.30pm on Sunday 9th of June.**

Please Contact Phillip Seale on 0405 198420 or at [phillip@pscontracting.com.au](mailto:phillip@pscontracting.com.au) to confirm you will be attending or need a lift.

Please wear your name tag so we can get to know each other better.

You will need a driver's licence or other ID to enter the club. If you wish to join the club it is a \$2 membership fee per year.

Please note that the Parish Lunch, will be held on the second Sunday of the month.

## The Week Ahead...

**The midweek communion** is held at the Chapel of Our Lord Passion every Wednesday at 10.30am.

**Commemorations** noted in the Lectionary this week

≈ Thursday 30th May - Thanksgiving for the Holy Communion

≈ Friday 31st May - The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary to Elizabeth

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