



**14 November 2021**

## Our Mission Statement:

Giving thanks to God, we **SHINE** as a light with the love of Jesus & bring glory to God by declaring it to all the world.

**Matthew 5: 14-16**

### John Calvin

John Calvin was born in 1509 in France. By the time he started university in Paris, the Protestant Reformation was having a significant impact across Europe. He was forced to flee Paris as the Catholic Church believed Nicolas Cop and John Calvin had been instrumental in coercing people into heresy. Calvin stopped over in Geneva on his way to Strasbourg and was encouraged by William Farrell (a reformer) to stay and work towards reforming the church in this region. While there he wrote many articles and books that still influence Christianity to this day. His most famous works were his 'Institutes of Christian Religion'. Calvin believed it is by the grace of God alone that we can approach a holy God, through the redemptive work of Jesus Christ (Ephesians 2:8-10). He explains that it is not through any of our works that we can attain salvation, but that it is a gift from God alone. As Calvin wrote, "Faith, then, brings a man empty to God, that he may be filled with the blessings of Christ." Some have used the acronym tulip to help understand his theology.

- Total Depravity
- Unconditional Election
- Limited Atonement
- Irresistible Grace
- Perseverance of the Saints



People say that Calvin is, after Augustine, the most influential theologian since the writing of the New Testa-

<b>Sunday Services:</b>	14 November 10am service for the vaccinated at St Chad's 11am service for the vaccinated at St Aidan's
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## **Covid 19 Update**

**PLEASE PUT YOUR MASK ON BEFORE YOU COME IN THE DOOR AND MAKE SURE IT IS FULLY COVERING YOUR NOSE AND MOUTH.** The reason for this is that we had a situation last week where a primary contact attended one of our worship services. They did not know at the time that they had spent time with a Covid positive person. This person did the right thing by wearing a properly fitted mask for the entire time they were in the building, they got tested and notified us immediately. They have since tested negative. To enter our buildings you must be fully vaccinated (& have shown us proof of your status) & scan the QR code.

## **Annual Parish Meeting—21 November 2021 at 11:15am**

Join Zoom Meeting for APM <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83479813854?pwd=KzNDQmE3NFJ3SzJWbTdWd1F4ckoQT09>

To link by mobile or landline please phone 7018 2005 and enter these numbers: Meeting ID: 834 7981 3854 Passcode: 921892

## **Church Market**

Next month we will be holding a market at St Chad's on December 4 and 18 and during the following months we will hold one on the third Saturday of every month until we have set up a site for our next Op Shop.

Drop off for donations will be on the Saturday before the market (ie. Saturday 27 November and 11 December) and these can be placed in the smokers shed (the roller door on the right before you enter the circular carpark) any time that day or Sunday as you come to church. This will be unlocked only at these times. We are asking only church members at this stage to donate items to sell. Below is a list of items we will need to set up this market. Could you please either donate or lend to us: large plastic containers to store items, clothing racks and/or coat hangers.

The things that we would like to be donated need to be of a very good quality. Things we would like to have donated are: nick knacks, clothes, trash and treasure, books, pot plants, jams and pickles, craft items, Christmas goodies etc. We would prefer not to have bigger items donated as they will be hard to dispose of if they don't sell. If you could help with setting up tables on the Thursday night, sorting items and packing up at the end of the market, could you please let Trissette Fernando know on 0423 822 406 or fill your name in on the form at Church.

## Christmas Services

**Sunday 12 December**

**Inter-church Council Christmas Carols online**

Sunday 19 December

10am Seven lessons and Carols at St Chad's

**Friday 24 December**

**7pm Family service at St Chad's**

**11pm Holy Communion at St Chad's**

**11pm Holy Communion at St Aidan's**

Saturday 25 December

10am Holy Communion at St Chad's



### Church Market Christmas Hamper Raffle

We plan to raffle a Christmas hamper at the upcoming church markets. We would be very grateful for donations of mince pies, Christmas cakes, gingerbread, crackers, bon bons or any other Christmas fare.

### David Powys is retiring at the end of this year...

St John's Bentleigh will host a 'Celebration of Ministries Service', at 2.30pm on Sunday 28 November. If you would like to attend (double vax reqd), or receive the livestream link, please leave your name, phone no & email at [bentleighanglican@bigpond.com](mailto:bentleighanglican@bigpond.com) or 95572226 by 24/11, indicating 'attend' or 'livestream link'

### Winter Warmers Postie Event 27th November

Please join us for an afternoon of postie fashions, with raffles, door prizes & afternoon tea. Entry is \$5 and all proceeds go towards our church outreach of W.W.H for needy families. To be held at St. Chads Chelsea. Please arrive from 1pm for a 1.30pm Postie start. Fully vaccinated only.

**Pantry 5000 Food of the Week...** Pasta sauce

**Happy Birthday...** Joyce Smith, Wayne McGlone

**Congratulations...** Kate & Colin upon becoming grandparents to Zara Lee

## Services in the church

10am at St Chad's every Sunday (vaccinated people only)

9am at St Chad's 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month (for unvaccinated people)

8am at St Chad's 4th Sunday of the month (vaccinated people only)

11am at St Aidan's 2nd Sunday of the month (vaccinated people only)

## This week in the church

Mon	9:30am	Pastoral Care Meeting at St Chad's
Tues	10:00am	Matt's Place at St Chad's <b>TAKEAWAY MEALS ONLY</b>
Wed	9:30am	Pantry 5000 at St Aidan's
Wed	1:00pm	Church Prayer Meeting
Thurs	10:00am	Playgroup via Zoom see Bec for details

## Soon in the church

Tues 16 Nov	11:00am	Lunch Church Bible Study recommences
Sun 21 Nov	11:15am	Annual Parish Meeting
Sun 21 Nov	5:00pm	Tweens via Zoom see Bec for details (also 5, 12/12)
Sat 27 Nov	1:00pm	Winter Warmer's Hamper Postie Party at St Chad's For doubly vaccinated people only
Sun 12 Dec		Inter-church Council Christmas Carols online

### Prayer Chain requests—Christine Taylor 0407 725 692

**Ongoing prayer**—email requests to Jaqueline or Sue

**Pastoral care**—Sue Bluett 0433 024 626

**Prayer has been requested for:** Bec, Bradley, Briony & Phoebe, Carolyn, Charlie & Deb, Chris, David, Fox family, Gary & Rachel, Heather, Jackie, Karen, Kayden & Elisabeth, Kaye, Ken & Jan, Maree, Mary, Nigel & Chris, Rita, Rosie, Shirley, Stephen T, Tania, Vicki & Jeff, Wendy, Winnie, Yolanta

**Offering Via Direct Debit—Our bank details are:**

**Account Name: Anglican Parish of Longbeach**

**Bendigo Bank BSB No. 6 3 3— 0 0 0 Account No. 1 5 3 7 4 5 2 2 9**

### Longbeach Parish Covid Safe Officers

Jaqueline Hendrey—Parish & Matt's Place

Ken Gooding—Pantry 5000

**Wardens**

**Bernard Hendrey (Treasurer)**

**Maintenance**

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