



22 May 2022

**Our mission is to:**

*Shine with the love of Jesus, grow mature disciples and declare the Good News.*

### **Thomas Cranmer**

Thomas Cranmer (1489-1556) was the most significant figure in the Protestant Reformation in England. Born in Nottinghamshire in 1489, Cranmer became Archbishop of Canterbury in 1533 under Henry VIII and was in this role when the Church broke away from Rome.

In 1548, with the support of Henry's son Edward VI, Cranmer replaced parts of the Latin Mass with English (prayer and confession). He put an English Bible in every church and started reworking the Mass itself.

The following year Cranmer published a new English prayer book (which he improved in 1552), rejecting the central Catholic teaching of transubstantiation (i.e. that the bread and wine actually became the body and blood of Christ). Cranmer taught that Jesus Christ alone is the perfect sacrifice for our sins and therefore there is no need for a continued priestly sacrifice. Under Cranmer, Holy Communion stopped being a sacrifice and became a remembrance meal. When Edward died and Catholic 'Bloody' Queen Mary took the throne, she executed almost 290 protestant dissenters, including Archbishop Cranmer. In jail awaiting execution, Cranmer cracked and recanted of his Protestantism. However, in the moments before his execution in Oxford, he switched again, recanting his previous recantation and reaffirming his rejection of Catholicism. As he was being burnt Cranmer forced his right arm—the arm that had scribed the original recantation—into the flames in a visual display of allegiance to the Bible's teaching of Christ's sacrifice once for all.

<b>Sunday</b>	29 May	10am service at St Chad's
<b>Services:</b>	5 June	8am & 10am services at St Chad's

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## **Special Mission Service with training afterward**

On Sunday 29 May, we are having a special missions service where we will be hearing from some of our missionaries on what God is doing in and through them. Afterwards, we will hold a training event with a few workshops. These will be:

### **Small Group Leader Training (Sue Bluett)**

This workshop is for those who lead small groups or are thinking about leading a group.

### **Enhancing Your Prayer Life (Ron Peterson)**

This workshop is for those who lead intercessions in church and those who want to grow in their prayer life.

### **Holiday Program Leader Training (Bec Featonby)**

This is an opportunity for those involved in the Holiday Program to get creative in the planning of this exciting event for primary aged children.

## **National Church Life Survey**

We have received the results from the National Church Life Survey and over the next few weeks we will be giving you some of this information. The average age of those attending is 70 and 34% have joined us in the last 5 years. The things that people value in this church are:

- Sharing in Communion
- Wider community care/justice emphasis
- Small groups where there is prayer for one another and discussion around the Bible
- Sermons, preaching and teaching
- Traditional and contemporary style of worship or music
- Practical care in times of need
- Reaching those who do not attend church

## **Winter Warmers Hamper Packing**

The Winter Warmers Group will be very busy over the next 2 weekends packing hampers to be delivered to schools at the beginning of winter.

Please keep this vital outreach ministry in your prayers.

## **Mother's Day Raffle—drawn 22 May**

Fabulous hampers of Mother's Day goodies to be won. Tickets on sale after each Sunday service, \$2 each or 3 for \$5.

## Next Church Market – 21 May & 18 June

9.00 am – 12.30 pm

Thanks to everyone who helped with the last market, donated goods and bought items.

- Home made cooking is always a great seller, and it would be appreciated if you could plan ahead and made some items for our table. Shortbread, cakes, slices, jams and relishes (labelled with the ingredients) are very popular and can be dropped into the church.
- We still need plastic containers with lids to store items.

### Inter-Church Council Pentecost Service...

...will be at 3pm on Sunday 5 June  
at St Chad's

**Come and celebrate** the Gift of the Holy Spirit and  
Birth of the Church

Fellowship and afternoon refreshments follow the service, please bring a plate to share.

If you could help with any of the usual rostered positions in the service or if you could help in the kitchen afterwards with afternoon tea please let Sue, Jaqueline or Bec know.



### Southern Area Concert Band—50th Anniversary Concert

2:00pm May 22 at the Kingston City Hall.



### Playgroup Program

26 May—Noah's Ark—wear Red!

2 June—Outside is coming inside

9 June—What in the world is yellow?

**Please invite families with preschoolers**



### Updated Covid information

If you have any symptoms of Covid or have recently tested positive to Covid, PLEASE do not enter any of our buildings.

**Happy Birthday...** Kathleen Konstantinov, Lyn Field,  
Colin Fowler, Nicholas Hendrey

## Services in the church

10am at St Chad's every Sunday  
8am at St Chad's 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month  
11am at St Aidan's 2nd Sunday of the month

## This week in the church

Mon	9:30am	Pastoral Care Meeting
Tues	11:15am	Matt's Place at St Chad's
Tues	11:15am	Lunch Church & Bible Study
Wed	9:30am—1:30pm	Pantry 5000 at St Aidan's
Wed	1:00pm	Church Prayer Meeting
Thurs	10:00am	Playgroup at St Chad's
Fri	10:00am	Patchwork & Craft Group at St Chad's (27 May & 10 June)

## Soon in the church

22 May	Newcomers Lunch
29 May	10:00am Mission Sunday with training afterwards
5 June	3:00pm Pentecost Inter-Church Council Service
6-8 July	School Holiday Program for primary school children
13 August	Prayer Retreat
6 Nov	Confirmation service with Bishop Paul

**Pantry 5000 Food of the Week...** 500g Breakfast Cereal or Cans of Fruit

### 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:** Andrew, Bradley & Sharon, Bree, Briony & Phoebe, Cathy, Doug, Evie, Gabriel & Liz, Helen, Kayden & Elisabeth, Michael, Nigel & Chris, Rachel, Rachel, Robert, Robyn, Sandra, Stephen T, Wade, Will, Winnie

**Thanksgiving prayer:** For the life of Joyce Muston

### 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**

Please label with "tithe" or "offering" and your name. Thank you!

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