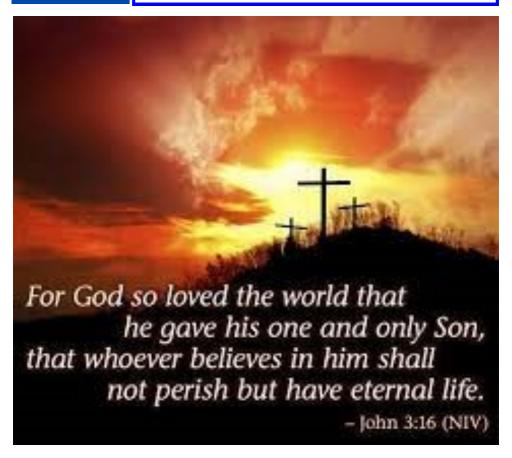


31 March 2024 Our mission is to:

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



Bible Reading Sunday 7 April—Mark 16:9-18

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Stations of the Cross

We warmly invite you to come to an interchurch Stations of the Cross service at Beeson Reserve on Good Friday at 10.30 am. Wayne is providing music and there are a few from our Church who are participating through readings. It is always a really powerful service to be part of.

Easter Services
29 March—Good Friday
9am Services at St Chad's & St Aidan's
10:30am Stations of the Cross at Beeson Reserve
31 March —Easter Sunday
10am Service at St Chad's & 10am at St Aidan's

Note: 8am service on Easter Sunday has been cancelled



Thank you to our Area Dean

James Connor, our Area Dean has taken up a new role as Vicar of St Paul's Boronia and he starts in May. He has done an amazing job and we would like to thank him for the support and wisdom that he has given our Church over the many years that he has fulfilled this role. Our new Area Dean is Rev Claudia Mauracher from St Paul's in Frankston.

Synod Representatives

Thank you to those who have shown interest in being a Synod Representative. There have been three nominations; Anthea Williams, Robyn Wheatley and Peter Gerandt (our reserve Synod Rep). We therefore, do not need to have a vote as we have the exact number needed.

Last Op Shop Market 20 April 9.00 am - 12.30 pm

On Saturday 20 April we will hold our last monthly Op Shop market. We do hope to have a market in November, and we will let you know closer to the time. The last day for dropping off items to the shed is Sunday 14 April. We will be having a thank you lunch for the volunteers who have helped after the market and invite people to make things for that lunch as a thank you to those who have worked in the Op Shop or at the market. If you are able to, could you please let Sue know.

Eternity Newspaper

Over the years, we have enjoyed reading great articles about current and historical Christian events and stories. Sadly, the Bible society has made the difficult decision to end Eternity News in its current form. There will no longer be a paper, website, weekly newsletter or any social media platforms. We are grateful to them for their inspiring paper.



Sheets for Ukraine

The linen that was donated by our Church is on its way to Ukraine. Paul and Uliana are very grateful for the generous donation of sheets and money that members of our Church have given to enable the hospitals in the Ukraine to function better. The items are really good quality and they have asked that we thank you for your kindness.

Pantry 5000 Food of the Week ... Cereal and instant noodles

Day of Encouragement

Bishop Ian Palmer (National Episcopal Advisor, Anglican Cursillo Movement) is holding "A Day of Encouragement on Saturday 6 April from 9.30 am – 4.00 pm at the Community of the Holy Name in Cheltenham (40 Cavanagh Street). If you are interested in attending, please email palm-eris50@icloud.com

Winter Warmer Hampers Packing Dates

All knitted garments for hampers need to be delivered to St Chad's or St Aidan's by May 5

10am March 23—Sorting and matching of knitted goods at St Aidan's 9:30am May 11—Knitting Packing at St Aidan's 25 & 26 May all day—Hamper at St Aidan's hall If you have any questions call Lyn 0419 525 265

Postie Party Fundraiser for Winter Warmer Hampers 1pm on May 4 at St Chad's

Please join us for an afternoon of postie fashions, with raffles, door prizes & afternoon tea. Entry is \$5 and all proceeds go towards WWH.

Doors open 12:30pm and food will be served from 1pm.

Nepean Special School needs clean plastic lids...

...of all sizes, shapes and colours, such as those on milk, juice, bottled water etc please leave in the ice cream container near the entrance at both centres?

Singing Group Cancelled 28/3 but will resume 11 & 25/4

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 & 4th Sunday of the month

This week in the church

Mon 9:30am Pastoral Care Meeting (No meeting Easter Monday)

Tues 11:30am Matt's Place
Tues 11:30am Lunch Church
Wed 9:30am-1:30pm Pantry 5000

Wed 1pm Church Prayer Meeting

Thurs 7pm Singing Group at St Chad's (cancelled 28/3 next will be 11/4)

Fri 10am Quilting & Craft at St Chad's (5/4)

Soon in the church

28 March 6:30pm Passover

29, 31 March Easter Services see page 2

6 April 9:30am Day of Encouragement see page 3

20 April 9am-12:30pm Op Shop Market

4 May Postie Party Winter Warmer Hamper Fundraiser

July Jumbunna Month of Prayer

July 17, 24, 31 Old Testament Series—Book of Daniel Bp Paul preaching

21 July MoJo Fundraising Concert for WWH at St Aidan's

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: Cheryl, Chris, Del, Di, Don, Doug, Geoff, Gisela, Jade, Jasmine, Jess, Julie, Kayden & Elisabeth, Kathryn, Kirsty, Lorraine, Margot, Massy, Mike, Nick, Nigel & Chris, Nola, Pauline, Phoebe, Richard, Richard, Rita, Ruth, Sal, Stephen T, Sylvia, Will, Zach

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