

**THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ALL SAINTS, ROSEBUD
with ST. KATHERINE'S McCRAE**

**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
5th September 2021**



Sentence

“A Syrophenian woman begged Jesus to cast the demon out of her daughter” (Mark 7:26)

COLLECT FOR TODAY

Almighty and everlasting God, increase our faith, hope and love, and, that we may receive your promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and forever. Amen.

FIRST READING

A reading from Proverbs

A good name is to be chosen rather than great riches,
and favour is better than silver or gold.

The rich and the poor have this in common:
the LORD is the maker of them all.

Whoever sows injustice will reap calamity,
and the rod of anger will fail.

Those who are generous are blessed,
for they share their bread with the poor.

Do not rob the poor because they are poor,
or crush the afflicted at the gate;

for the LORD pleads their cause
and despoils of life those who despoil them.

For the Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Psalm 125

R Show your goodness, O Lord, to those who are good.

1 Those who trust in the Lord are like Mount Zion,
which cannot be moved, but stands fast for ever.

2 The hills stand about Jerusalem;
so does the Lord stand round about his people,
from this time forth for evermore. **R**

3 The sceptre of the wicked shall not hold sway
over the land allotted to the just,
so that the just shall not put their hands to evil.

4 Show your goodness, O Lord, to those who are good
and to those who are true of heart. **R**

5 As for those who turn aside to crooked ways,
the Lord will lead them away with the evildoers,
but peace be upon Israel **R**

SECOND READING

A reading from the letter of James.

My brothers and sisters, do you with your acts of favouritism really believe in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ? For if a person with gold rings and in fine clothes comes into your assembly, and if a poor person in dirty clothes also comes in, and if you take notice of the one wearing the fine clothes and say, 'Have a seat here, please,' while to the one who is poor you say, 'Stand there,' or, 'Sit at my feet,' have you not made distinctions among yourselves, and become judges with evil thoughts? Listen, my beloved brothers and sisters. Has not God chosen the poor in the world to be rich in faith and to be heirs of the kingdom that he has promised to those who love him? But you have dishonoured the poor. Is it not the rich who oppress you? Is it not they who drag you into court? Is it not they who blaspheme the excellent name that was invoked over you? You do well if you really fulfil the royal law according to the scripture, 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' But if you show partiality, you commit sin and are convicted by the law as transgressors. For whoever keeps the whole law but fails in

one point has become accountable for all of it. So speak and so act as those who are to be judged by the law of liberty. For judgement will be without mercy to anyone who has shown no mercy; mercy triumphs over judgement. What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works? Can faith save you? If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, and one of you says to them, 'Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill,' and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.

James 2: 1-10, 14-17

For the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

THE GOSPEL

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Jesus set out and went away to the region of Tyre. He entered a house and did not want anyone to know he was there. Yet he could not escape notice, but a woman whose little daughter had an unclean spirit immediately heard about him, and she came and bowed down at his feet. Now the woman was a Gentile, of Syrophenician origin. She begged him to cast the demon out of her daughter. He said to her, 'Let the children be fed first, for it is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs.' But she answered him, 'Sir, even the dogs under the table eat the children's crumbs.' Then he said to her, 'For saying that, you may go – the demon has left your daughter.' So she went home, found the child lying on the bed, and the demon gone. Then he returned from the region of Tyre, and went by way of Sidon towards the Sea of Galilee, in the region of the Decapolis. They brought to him a deaf man who had an impediment in his speech; and they begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him aside in private, away from the crowd, and put his fingers into his ears, and he spat and touched his

tongue. Then looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him, 'Ephphatha,' that is, 'Be opened.' And immediately his ears were opened. Then Jesus ordered them to tell no one; but the more he ordered them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. They were astounded beyond measure, saying, 'He has done everything well; he even makes the deaf to hear and the mute to speak.'"

Mark 7: 24-37

Hear the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

PRAYER OF THIS WEEK

O God, you know us to be set in the midst so many and so great dangers that by reason of the frailty of our nature we cannot always stand upright: grant to us such strength and protection as may support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

In our prayers this week we pray especially for:

Chris McGregor, Diane Ward, Jim Bennington, Rachel Hopkins, Kay Calrow, Micky Ashton, Cody Steele, Pat & Alan Cope, Sue Hayes, Ros Reece, Vera Healy, Helen Francis, Jean, Carolyn, Susan, Mary, Christine, Isaac, Joan, Judy, Kellie, Brendon, Marissa, Jono and Diane.

SAINTS' DAYS THIS WEEK

Wednesday 8th September - **Birth of Mary, Mother of the Lord**
Saturday 11th September - **Mother Esther CHN founder of the
Community of the Holy Name (d. 1931)**

MID WEEK SERVICE

**This week's service will be a Zoom meeting for the Eucharist.
See below for all Zoom or YouTube details.**

HOW TO GET INTO ZOOM

If you are reading this online then please click on the zoom meeting number in [blue](#) and you will be directed to the session. The second way to get in is to copy out the Meeting ID and paste this directly into your Zoom app. when asked. Then you will be asked to put in the password, which is always ASK2021. Wait to be invited into the zoom room by the vicar, who is the host.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SEPTEMBER 12TH

Proverbs 1:20-33

Psalm 19

James 2: 18-26

Mark 8: 27-38

LINKS FOR SERVICES THIS WEEK September 5th - 11th.

1. THE **YOUTUBE LINK FOR TODAY'S SERVICE IS**

2. MORNING TEA AFTER OUR SERVICE TODAY

This Sunday we will meet online for a chat at **11.30** to give everyone time to collect their tea or coffee and maybe a biscuit, get comfortable and have a chat with each other and with our vicar.

The details are:

Sunday Morning Tea

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84757000906?
pwd=WUNzdUVOR1VRc0hvTHd6Q3R4NUNhdz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84757000906?pwd=WUNzdUVOR1VRc0hvTHd6Q3R4NUNhdz09)

Meeting ID: 847 5700 0906

Passcode: ASK2021

3. MORNING PRAYER - TUESDAY, THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY

If you are interested in joining the vicar in Morning Prayer on these days at 8.30 am, you are most welcome. In the Prayer book from page 383, you will find morning prayer. Or you can download **ePray** as an application onto your phone or iPad. The details for these morning prayer sessions are below and it is the same code for each day.

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83421491010?
pwd=NkpkTnR3MIRJUDJZelp4T1RsOEZZQT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83421491010?pwd=NkpkTnR3MIRJUDJZelp4T1RsOEZZQT09)

Meeting ID: 834 2149 1010

Passcode: ASK2021

4. MID WEEK WEDNESDAY SERVICE VIA ZOOM

Wednesday 8th September Morning eucharist

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82637945539?
pwd=cDRyUHI1bFp0dlZqRkVUUUnEzWXcxQT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82637945539?pwd=cDRyUHI1bFp0dlZqRkVUUUnEzWXcxQT09)

Meeting ID: 826 3794 5539

Passcode: ASK2021

OUR WEBSITE WITH ALL THE DETAILS IS:

<http://www.rosebudmccrae.melbourneanglican.org.au>

NOTICES

Anglican Church Calendars for 2022

The Australian Anglican Church Calendar will be published again in 2022. (Hopefully it will be a much happier year!)

Orders for this calendar are now being taken. The price for one is \$14; but if we can order in bulk as a parish, the cost could be as low as \$9 each (plus postage). Please let Mike (0407 833 073) know if you would like to order a calendar (or calendars) for next year. Once we know how many we are ordering, you will be informed of the price per calendar, and the cost of postage. They also make excellent Christmas presents.

Samaritans' Purse Boxes.

We only have this month to fill boxes for underprivileged children in over 100 different countries, and they are due to be collected in October. You can find loads of suitable gifts for boys or girls of ages 2-14 in the Reject Shop or the supermarkets, or in Aldi in the centre aisles. Boxes are being delivered now and if you have any questions please ring Julie Barnes (0407 800 852).