

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

NOTICES: All notices are subject to approval and must be received by 12 noon Wed for publication Sun.

Sunday Services:

7.30am: Eucharist
9.30am: 1st and 5th Sun: Communion, 2nd Sun: Morning Prayer, band, 3rd, 4th Sun: Morning Prayer.

7.30am

TiS 108 You Holy Angels Bright
TiS 204 Come Let us Join our Cheerful Songs
TiS 96 Sing Praise to the lord
TiS 161 Tell out, my soul

9.30am

Holy, Holy, Holy
I stand amazed
Behold the Lamb of God
Thine be the Glory

Readings for 3rd October 2021:

Job 1.1; 2.1-10
Psalm 26
Hebrews 1.1-4; 2.5-12
Gospel – Mark 10.2-16

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Office hours – the office is currently open on Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9am to 12noon.

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BSB: 014-690
Account: Cathedral Parish General
Account Number: 2987-20958

Anglicare Fashion Parade 9th Oct: now half booked – book NOW so you don't miss out. See notice in Narthex for contacts.

New Parish Safe Ministry Officer: 'I am very pleased to announce the appointment of Mrs Penny Fletcher as the new Parish Safe Ministry Officer. Please pray for Penny and everyone who is involved in this important ministry in the life of our parish.' (Dean Melusi).

Synod - Please note change of service time: Synod will be in Oct from Fri 22/10 to Sun 24/10. **There will be only one service (Communion) on Sun 24/10 at 8.30am.**

St Luke's Wandal is celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the current church building on Sunday 17th Oct. There will be a service at 8.30am followed by brunch. RSVP by 10th Oct to Kay, 0407 124 063 or wandalparish@gmail.com

Pew Reflection:

The Feast of St. Michael and All Angels reminds us of how the Lord delivered us from the accusations of Satan. It shows us that the battle against Satan and his evil angels is not won by power, might, strength or numbers but, as Martin Luther's great Reformation hymn "A Mighty Fortress" confesses, "One little word can fell him." That one little Word is **Jesus**.

☺ Sunday Smile:



A Salt and Battery

Welcome to St Paul's Cathedral

26th September – Michael and All Angels.



It is lovely to share in worship this morning. A very warm welcome to any newcomers or visitors and a special welcome to the family and friends of Joey, Nyla and (covid rules permitting) Emily, who are being baptised at the 9.30 service today. Please join us for morning tea fellowship in the hall after the service.

Sentence

Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can it be seasoned? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another. *Mark 9.50*

Collect

Everlasting God, you have ordained and constituted in a wonderful order the ministries of angels and mortals: grant that, as your holy angels stand before you in heaven, so at your command they may help and defend us here on earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

IN OUR PRAYERS TODAY:

The Church In Australia: The Diocese of Wangaratta

CQ Diocese: Special Ministry District of Winton
St Paul's Winton

People In The Parish And Beyond: The Independent Churches of Africa
The newly confirmed and those preparing for confirmation or reception into the Anglican Church
The Church's ministry to people in isolated places
Refugees, Asylum seekers and those who seek to assist them

Partner Diocese-Popondota (PNG): Youths Ministry, Children's Ministry, Clergy wives

Those known to us:

In Need: Brian and Jacqueline, Ray, Amy and family, Margaret.

In Memoriam: Michael Jones, Marjorie Hooper, Greta Boyle

We care about you, so please let Dean Melusi or the Wardens know if you, a family member or someone you know, needs pastoral care or wants to be included in our prayers for healing.

In today's Gospel....Jesus is telling his followers to stand up for what is right and to exercise discernment in their dealings with others as they work for peace within the community of faith. He draws attention to the fact that some people can be a stumbling block to spiritual growth and discipleship. Being followers of Christ gives us confidence to be advocates for justice and peace. (Dean Melusi).

Sunday 26 September – Michael and All Angels

1st Reading – Ezekiel 1.4-12

⁴ As I looked, a stormy wind came out of the north: a great cloud with brightness around it and fire flashing forth continually, and in the middle of the fire, something like gleaming amber. ⁵ In the middle of it was something like four living creatures. This was their appearance: they were of human form. ⁶ Each had four faces, and each of them had four wings. ⁷ Their legs were straight, and the soles of their feet were like the sole of a calf's foot; and they sparkled like burnished bronze. ⁸ Under their wings on their four sides they had human hands. And the four had their faces and their wings thus: ⁹ their wings touched one another; each of them moved straight ahead, without turning as they moved. ¹⁰ As for the appearance of their faces: the four had the face of a human being, the face of a lion on the right side, the face of an ox on the left side, and the face of an eagle; ¹¹ such were their faces. Their wings were spread out above; each creature had two wings, each of which touched the wing of another, while two covered their bodies. ¹² Each moved straight ahead; wherever the spirit would go, they went, without turning as they went.

Hear the word of the Lord, ***Thanks be to God.***

Psalm 138

¹ I will give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart:

even before the gods will I sing your praises.

² I will bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name:

because of your faithfulness and your loving-kindness, for you have made your name and your word supreme over all things.

³ At a time when I called to you, you gave me answer:

and put new strength within my soul.

⁴ All the kings of the earth shall praise you, O Lord:

for they have heard the words of your mouth;

⁵ And they shall sing of the ways of the Lord:

that the glory of the Lord is great.

⁶ For though the Lord is exalted, he looks upon the lowly:

and he comprehends the proud from afar.

⁷ Though I walk in the midst of danger, yet will you preserve my life:

you will stretch out your hand against the fury of my enemies, and your right hand shall save me.

⁸ The Lord will complete his purpose for me:

your loving-kindness, O Lord, endures for ever; do not forsake the work of your own hands.

2nd Reading – Revelation 12.7-12a

⁷ And war broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels fought against the dragon. The dragon and his angels fought back, ⁸ but they were defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. ⁹ The great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world - he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. ¹⁰ Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming, 'Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Messiah, for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. ¹¹ But they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they did not cling to life even in the face of death. ¹² Rejoice then, you heavens and those who dwell in them! But woe to the earth and the sea, for the devil has come down to you with great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!'

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Gospel – John 1.45-51

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John, chapter 1, verses 45-51.

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

⁴⁵ Philip found Nathanael and said to him, 'We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth.' ⁴⁶ Nathanael said to him, 'Can anything good come out of Nazareth?' Philip said to him, 'Come and see.' ⁴⁷ When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, 'Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!' ⁴⁸ Nathanael asked him, 'Where did you come to know me?' Jesus answered, 'I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.' ⁴⁹ Nathanael replied, 'Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!' ⁵⁰ Jesus answered, 'Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.' ⁵¹ And he said to him, 'Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.'

For the Gospel of the Lord, ***Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ***

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Notices that Don't Fit:

Reminder: Please send your notices to the office before 12 noon on Wednesday for the following Sunday.

Lectionaries for 2022: If you want to buy a lectionary for next year, please put your name on the list in the narthex. The cost is \$17.50, which must be paid when ordering. Orders close on 3/10/21. No spare copies will be ordered.

2022 Australian Anglican Church Calendar: To order calendars please put your name and the number of calendars you want on the order sheet in the Narthex. The cost of the calendars is \$15 each, to be paid when ordering. No extra copies will be ordered.

Meanwhile, back at the ranch

It's time to dust off your cowboy/cowgirl boots and hat, put on your jeans, and come along to our next social night on Friday 1 October. Doors open at 6.30pm for a 7pm kick off, so round up some friends, hitch up your wagon, and boot scoot on down to have a good laugh as we share in some fun western trivia. It might be your bonanza night! \$15 entry covers meal and fun, with drinks on sale. For catering purposes please put your name on the sheet in the narthex **by 26 September** if you will be attending (Dean Melusi).



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Fashion Parade

A fashion parade of extraordinary gowns by textile artist Julie Thornton, spring fashions from the AnglicareCQ Bargain Store and hats by Wendy White.

Plus afternoon tea, a cent sale and even some jazz!

Seats are limited so book early.
Just \$20 per person

Come along and join us!

FASHION parade hats JAZZ AFTERNOON tea & Cent SALE

St Paul's Cathedral
Rockhampton

Sat 9th October
2pm-5pm

Call 0467 887 147 to book tickets