

# Easter 4 and ANZAC DAY Observance





Sung Eucharist - 25 April 2021 9am

## PLEASE PRAY FOR...

### Our Diocese, Northern Region and our local church community

The Administrator: The Rt Revd Peter Hayward The Regional Bishop: The Rt Revd Chris Edwards

Northern Region: Parishes of Balgowlah and Barrenjoey (Avalon and

Palm Beach)

Local churches: Scots Kirk Mosman; the Revd Brett Graham, clergy

and people

#### Missions 2021

### **Anglicare Sydney:**

Mobile Community Pantry Program;

Bill Farrand, Anglicare Community Services Manager

#### **Bush Church Aid:**

BCA Indigenous Ministry Officer,

The Revd Neville Naden and Mrs Kathryn Naden

### **Anglican Board of Mission:**

Sustainable Livelihoods Program, Kenya;

The Revd John Deane, ABM Executive Director

### Those we are holding in prayer

### **Those Requiring On-Going Prayer:**

Alex Dimitric, John Dimitric, Irina Dimitric, Justin Reid, Heather, Bernie Walsh, Christine Hurford, Shannour, Chloe Turner, Denise Thomas, Eileen Menzies, Mary Douglas, Liam Gorman, Rosemary Walsh, Dallas Ford, Mary Ford, Jackie Lockhart, Angela Armstrong, Robert Rowlands, Tim Bolot, Rob Cartwright

#### **People in Residential and Home Care:**

Dawn Holdaway, Richard Lloyd, Betty Gemmell, Mary Shuttleworth, Elaine Porter, Helen Huby, Dorothy Bashford, Pat Wood, Jean Barton, Robin Wilks, Denis Pearson

#### THURSDAY HOLY EUCHARIST AND LUNCH

Our Thursday Holy Eucharist service is held weekly at 11am followed by lunch at Café Jam at 11.45am. Please book for either (or both) via the Parish Office on Tel: 9969 6910 or e: office@stlukesmosman.org

#### **SAFETY IN MINISTRY**

St Luke's is committed to the principles of Safety in Ministry of the Anglican Diocese of Sydney. Copies of our Child-Safe, Child-Friendly policy are available in the porch and on the parish website. If you have any queries, please contact Dr Jocelyn Chey, tel: 9967 5136 or the Rector, tel: 9969 6910.

### **Gathering of God's People**

Please stand for the Procession

**Entrance Hymn Eternal Father, Strong to Save** (Tune: Melita)

Eternal Father, strong to save, whose arm has bound the restless wave, who bidst the mighty ocean deep its own appointed limits keep:

O hear us when we cry to thee for those in peril on the sea.

O Christ, whose voice the waters heard and hushed their raging at thy word, who walkedst on the foaming deep, and calm amid the storm didst keep: O hear us when we cry to thee for those in peril on the sea.

O Holy Spirit, who didst brood upon the waters dark and rude, and bid their angry tumult cease, and give for wild confusion, peace; O hear us when we cry to thee for those in peril on the sea.

O Trinity of love and power, our people shield in danger's hour from rock and tempest, fire and foe, guard them wherever they may go: thus evermore shall rise to thee glad hymns of praise from land and sea.

### Greeting

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

Christ is risen. Alleluia. **He is risen indeed. Alleluia.** 

#### Sentence

"I am the good Shepherd," says the Lord. "I know my own and they know me." [John 10.14]

#### **Prayer of Preparation**

Let us pray.
Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Please sit to sing

### The Mosman Setting by Samuel Donovan



#### **Invitation to Confession and Absolution**

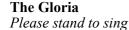
Christ our Passover Lamb has been offered for us, therefore we come to celebrate the festival.

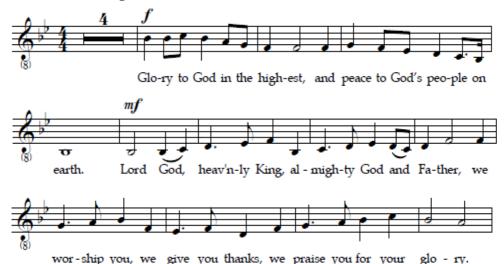
Silence may be kept.

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, with a sincere and true heart.

Merciful God,
our maker and our judge,
we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
and in what we have failed to do:
we have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves;
we repent, and are sorry for all our sins.
Father, forgive us.
Strengthen us to love and obey you
in newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith: pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 







Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.



#### The Collect for Easter 4

Jesus, good shepherd of the sheep, by whom the lost are sought and guided into the fold: feed us and we shall be satisfied, heal us and we shall be whole, and lead us that we may be with you, where you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

#### A Collect for ANZAC Day

O God, our ruler and guide, in whose hands are the destinies of this and every nation, we give you thanks for the freedoms we enjoy in this land and for those who laid down their lives to defend them. We pray that we and all the people of Australia, gratefully remembering their courage and their sacrifice, may have grace to live in a spirit of justice, of generosity, and of peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

### The Ministry of the Word

Please be seated

#### The First Reading A Reading from the Book of Acts

Don Menzies

The next day their rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is 'the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.' There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

[Acts 4.5-12]

For the Word of the Lord Thanks be to God

**Psalm 23** (Tune: Crimond)
Please remain seated to sing the Psalm with the choir

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want. He makes me down to lie in pastures green, he leadeth me the quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again; and me to walk doth make within the paths of righteousness, ev'n for his own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, yet will I fear no ill: for thou art with me; and thy rod and staff me comfort still.

My table thou has furnished in presence of my foes; my head thou dost with oil anoint, and my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me: and in God's house for evermore my dwelling-place shall be.

### The Second Reading A reading from the First Letter of John

John wrote: "We know love by this, that Jesus laid down his life for us - and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us."

[1 John 3.16-24]

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

Gradual Hymn
Please stand
Holy Spirit, Go Before Us (Tune: Maria's Tune)

Holy Spirit, go before us, every mind and heart prepare for good news of life in Jesus, for the joyful hope we share. Gently lead the lost to safety, gently teach them Wisdom's way, till they come to seek you gladly, till we find the words to say.

Holy Spirit, come and help us, give us words to speak of Christ teach us how to tell all people: deepest darkness can be light! Help us tell how faithful God is, and how Jesus sets us free; take our words, and make them gospel, so that many may believe.

Holy Spirit, stay to show us how to serve as Christ served us may our words of love be grounded in love's actions first and last. Your good news is news of justice and the strong befriend the weak in your service, till compassion builds the peace the nations seek.

#### The Gospel Reading

#### Alleluia! Alleliua! Alleluia!

I lay down my life for the sheep: so there will be one flock, one shepherd. Alleluia!

Alleluia! Alleliua! Alleluia!

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St John, Chapter 10, beginning at the 11<sup>th</sup> verse.

### Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Jesus said: "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away — and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father."

[John 10. 11-18]

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**№Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.** 

#### The Sermon - The Rector

#### The ANZAC Observance

Please stand

Their bodies are buried in peace and their names liveth for evermore.

O valiant hearts, who to your glory came through dust of conflict and through battle flame; tranquil you lie, your knightly virtue proved, your memory hallowed in the land you loved.

The hour has come for rest.

This rosemary is an emblem of sacrifice, the symbol of life offered in the service of one's country - is a link between our comrades and us who remain.

Let us observe a few moments silence in memory of those who gave their lives.

#### Silence

They went with songs to the battle, they were young. Straight of limb, true of eyes, steady and aglow. They were staunch to the end against odds uncounted, They fell with their faces to the foe. They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old: Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning, We will remember them.

We will remember them.

Silence

Lest we forget. Lest we forget.

The Last Post and Reveille

### The Prayers of the Community

Helen Bell

Please be seated

Let us pray.

Response after each segment of prayers May God give peace: God give peace.

After the last petition
O God of truth and justice,
we hold before you those whose memory we cherish,
and those whose names we will never know.
Help us to lift our eyes above the torment of this broken world,
and grant us the grace to pray for those who wish us harm.
As we honour the past,
may we put our faith in your future;
for you are the source of life and hope,
now and for eyer. Amen.

#### The Greeting of Peace

Please stand

The Risen Christ came and stood among his disciples and said, 'Peace be with you'.

Then were they glad when they say the Lord.

Then were they glad when they saw the Lord.

The peace of the Risen Christ be always with you. Alleluia! And also with you. Alleluia!

Please do not physically exchange the Peace.

#### The Offertory

#### **Offertory Hymn**

I Heard The Voice Of Jesus Say (Tune: Kingsfold)

I heard the voice of Jesus say, 'Come unto me and rest; lay down, O weary one, lay down your head upon my breast.' I came to Jesus as I was, weary and worn and sad; I found in him a resting-place, and he has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, 'Behold, I freely give the living water; thirsty one, stoop down and drink and live.' I came to Jesus, and I drank of that life-giving stream; my thirst was quenched, my soul revived, and now I live in him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, 'I am this dark world's light; look unto me, your morn shall rise, and all your day be bright.' I looked to Jesus, and I found in him my star, my sun; and in that light of life I'll walk till travelling days are done.

#### The Presider continues

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation. Through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom.

Blessed be God for ever.

#### The Great Thanksgiving

Please remain standing

**The Sursum Corda**We sing together

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Presider continues

All glory and honour be yours always and everywhere, mighty Creator, everliving God.

We give you thanks and praise for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, who by the power of your Spirit was born of Mary and lived as one of us. By his death on the cross, he offered the one true sacrifice for sin, and obtained an eternal deliverance for his people.

And now we give you thanks that you raised him to life triumphant, and exalted him in glory. By his victory over death, the reign of sin is ended, a new day has dawned, a broken world is restored and we are made whole once more.

Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and singing:



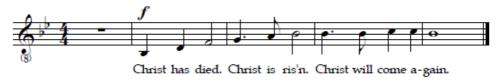
Merciful God, we thank you for these gifts of your creation, this bread and wine, and we pray that by your Word and Holy Spirit, we who eat and drink them may be partakers of Christ's body and blood.

On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread; and when he had given you thanks he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper he took the cup, and again giving you thanks he gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Drink from this, all of you. This is my blood of the new covenant shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.

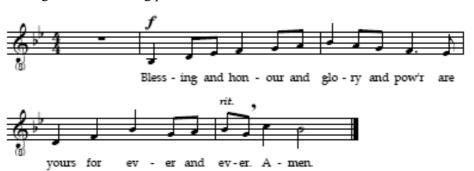
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Deacon: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:



Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded: proclaiming his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again, we celebrate, with this bread and this cup, his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world.

Renew us by your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of your Son, and bring us with all your people into the joy of your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father, in songs of never-ending praise:



As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray:

Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come,

your will be done on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial

and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power,

and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

### The Breaking of the Bread and the Communion

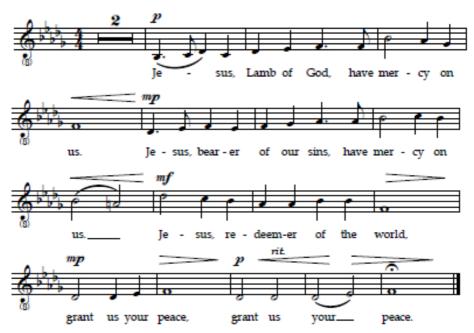
The Presider breaks the bread and says

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

We who are many are one body

For we all share in the one bread.

Please sit to sing the Agnus Dei



#### The Presider continues

The Gifts of God for the people of God. Come, let us take this holy sacrament of the Body and Blood of Christ, in remembrance that he died for us, and feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving. **Amen.** 

Communion will now be administered to the congregation at the chancel steps.

<u>Please wait to be invited</u> to move forward along the centre aisle and then return to your seat by the side aisle.

#### **Communion Anthem**

Please remain seated while the St Luke's Scholars sing

I'll Always Remember (Ian Jefferson)

I'll always remember the lights on the liner, they signalled the start of a thousand goodbyes, and I'll not forget the cheers from the crowd or the tears in my grandmother's eyes.

> There was Charley and George, Thomas and Joseph, Patrick McGee and James, and many more as we marched into the flames.

I'll always remember the thrill and excitement, adventures galore from the very first day, and I'll not forget defending the line or the friendships we made on the way.

There was Charley and George, Thomas and Joseph, Patrick McGee and James, and many more as we marched into the flames.

We shared jokes and tobacco, we gambled and swore, we sang. The sun rises each day but for some it has already set, we'll never forget.

I'll always remember the roar of the trenches, we fought to survive and we'd never say, "die", and I'll not forget the roll-call at dawn, when a soldiers name brought no reply.

There was Charley and George, Thomas and Joseph, Patrick McGee and James, and many more whose names I never learned, our comrades forever, the fallen who never returned.

### The Sending Out of God's People

Eternal God, giver of life, in the breaking of the bread we know the risen Lord. May we who celebrate this holy feast walk in his risen light and bring new life to all creation.

#### Father.

we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.

#### **Notices**

Hymn
Dear Father, Lord Of Humankind (Tune: Repton)

Dear Father, Lord of humankind, forgive our foolish ways; reclothe us in our rightful mind: in purer love thy service find, in deeper reverence, praise, in deeper reverence, praise.

In simple trust like theirs who heard, beside the Syrian sea, the gracious calling of the Lord, let us, like them, without a word rise up and follow thee, rise up and follw thee.

O sabbath rest by Galilee! O calm of hills above, where Jesus knelt to share with thee the silence of eternity, interpreted by love, interpreted by love! Drop thy still dews of quietness, till all our strivings cease; take from our souls the strain and stress, and let our ordered lives confess the beauty of thy peace, the beauty of thy peace.

Breathe through the heats of our desire thy coolness and thy balm; let sense be dumb, let flesh retire; speak though the earthquake, wind and fire, O still small voice of calm, O still small voice of calm.

#### The Blessing and Dismissal

The blessing of the Living God, who brings light out of darkness, be upon you now and forever.

The blessing of the Risen Christ, who sends you as apostles into all the world be upon you now and for ever.

The blessing of the Holy Spirit, who fills the church with joy and praise, be upon you now and for ever.

And the \*Blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, Alleluia.

**▼In the name of Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia.** 

Postlude: Nun danket alle Gott (Siegfried Karg-Elert)

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### What's On This Week 25/04/21

Today 9am Easter 4 and

**ANZAC Observance** 

Sung Eucharist

Church

Thurs 11am Holy Eucharist

Lower Hall

11.45 Lunch

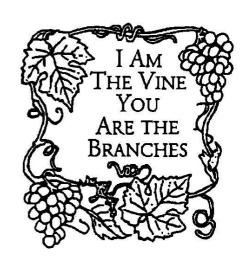
Café Jam

**Next Sunday 02/05/21** 

9am Easter 5

Sung Eucharist

Church



St Luke's is a place of rich and diverse liturgy, where life and faith connect. We are a progressive community that welcomes all people regardless of gender, age, race, sexual orientation or religion.