

St George's Magill

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

8 September 2019

Welcome to church this morning! If you are a visitor, please fill in a Communication Card (found at the end of the pew) and place it in the offering plate, or hand it to the minister as you leave.



**Fix Your Eyes
on Jesus**

Bible Readings

Hebrews 12: 1-3

p 975

Isaiah 50: 4-9

p 598

Luke 4: 14-30

p 834

The Sentence | Whoever does not carry the cross and follow Jesus cannot be his disciple.
Luke 14: 27

The Collect | God of the ages, you call the Church to keep watch in the world and to discern the signs of the times: grant us the wisdom that your Spirit bestows, so that with courage we may proclaim your prophetic word, and complete the work you have set before us; through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Large print pew sheets and Bible readings are available for this service.
Please ask an usher for a copy.

A hearing loop is installed in the Church. Switch hearing aid to T-coil.



Fix Your Eyes on Jesus

Next week's reading: Hebrews 12: 4-17



Those who are in need of prayer: Val White, Christine Jamieson, Don Handley, Dorota Arkun, Peter Harvy and N&R (and their children L, studying in Adelaide, & S) in their health-equipping roles overseas.

Those at home: Milton Haseloff and Tekla Lee.

Those in aged care: Frank Bowley, Maureen Huggard, Ron Curtis, Rosemary Wilson, Maurice Holley and John Flett.

Mission Partners: Please pray for our friends David & Tamra Purton (FOCUS International Student Ministry - AFES) and Mike & Karen Roe (George Whitefield College, South Africa – CMS).

Aged Care service team: Pray for those who will take the Milpara service this week: Ruth Horsnell, Val White, Pauline Rule, Libby Clegg, Phyllis & Rob McEwin. Service 2nd Thursday, 11.00 am.

Please pray for Christians in Coober Pedy to be lights for Jesus in this needy town. Pray that a replacement BCA Minister can be found to fill the vacant position at the Catacomb Church.



Notices

Games Night: Saturday 14 September

Please join us in the hall for some games (board games, badminton, etc) on Saturday 14th September, 7-10pm.

Bring some snacks to share if you wish, and your favourite game.

If games aren't your thing, please come anyway! No forced game-playing!

See Kate or Ally for more information.

Operation Christmas Child

Kids Club are now accepting your generous donations for our annual shoe-box packing.

New, unused gifts of stationery, clothing, toys, soap and little bags, combs and toothbrushes are all very welcome. The age range of children receiving the gifts is 2 years old up to 14 years old.

If you would prefer to give a gift of money, that would be very welcome. We need \$10 per shoebox for shipping costs, and we also go and buy a lot of things we don't have during the week of the packing, so extra money for that is always helpful.

Please drop off your gifts to the office before our packing date: **Friday 20th September**.

Thank you!

St George's Internationals: Community Nights

Saturday 21 September, 5.30-8pm, then fortnightly.

To register (no charge) or for more information go to upcoming events on the church website.

Bush Church Aid Society - Reaching Australia for Christ - 1919-2019

BOX OPENING TIME

A reminder to all BCA Box holders that September is now box opening time. Please leave your box with Richard in the office, or on a Sunday on the Office ledge or in the offering plate at the 8.30 am service. Can I ask you to consider this worthy cause by donating your loose change into a BCA Box? I have boxes available for anyone who would like to contact me on history4u@adam.com.au or 0434891325. Thank You. Ann Tilsley.

Associate Minister update

I am very pleased to announce that we have news regarding our search for our Associate Minister. Daniel Clark and I have exchanged letters of firm intent for him to commence as our Associate Minister in December 2020. Daniel is 35, married to Katrina, and they have two young children. He turned to Christ as a result of University ministry in Armidale, NSW. He has roughly 6 years paid ministry experience in various roles and capacities spanning all ages. He has 10 years experience directing and speaking at high school youth outreach camps. He has tertiary education in economics, marketing, Japanese Studies and Film studies. He worked for four years in advertising for the firm 303Lowe. He speaks some Mandarin. We have agreed to wait until Dan finishes his 4th year at Moore Theological College in 2020, before he joins us at the end of next year. Please pray for Daniel, Katrina, and their family in their studies, as they prepare to join us.

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Our Mission: To present everyone mature in Christ and to present Christ to everyone (Colossians 1:28)

Missed a week or want to hear the sermon again?

All sermons are recorded and available for download from www.stgeorgesmagill.org.

The weekly Notice Sheet is also available on the website.

Gluten Free Option

Gluten free wafers are available for communion. Please indicate this option to those serving.

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The week ahead in the Parish

9-15 September

Mon

Tue 10:00 am BUZZ Music and Playtime

10:30 am Prayer Meeting

12:30 pm Bible Study

Wed

Thu 9:00 am Prayer Meeting

11:00 am Milpara Service

12:30 pm Bible Study

7:30 pm Table Tennis

Fri 3:30 pm Kids' Club

6:00 pm Youth Group

Sat 7:00 pm Parish Games Night

Sun 8:30 am Traditional Service with Holy Communion

10:30 am Prayer & Praise Service

Service Times

Sunday 8:30 am - Traditional Service with Holy Communion

Sunday 10:30 am - Contemporary Service with Holy Communion fortnightly (includes Children's and Youth Programs)