

Regular Services & Activities in our Parish

- Wellington** Sunday's @ 9am —followed by Morning Tea
Sunday's @ 5pm—"The Gathering" large hall with pies and sausage rolls.
- Stuart Town** 1st Saturday in the month @ 5:30pm
- Maranatha** 2nd & 4th Fridays @ 11am
- Parish Prayer Meeting:** Thursday's large hall @ 10am
"Pray for Wello" Wednesday's large hall @ 5pm
NOTE: New "winter time" of 5pm
- Parish Council Meetings:** 3rd Monday each month at 6pm
- Friendship Dinner:** 3rd Friday each month 6 for 6:30pm

Daily Readings for the Week

Readings of the day

- Monday** 2 Corinthians 1: 1-7, Ps 34: 1-10, Matthew 5: 1-12
- Tuesday** 2 Corinthians 1: 18-22, Ps 119: 129-136, Matthew 5: 13-16
- Wednesday** 2 Corinthians 3: 4-11, Ps 99: 6-9, Matthew 5: 17-19
- Thursday** 2 Corinthians 3: 15- 4: 6, Ps 85: 8-13, Matthew 5: 20-26
- Friday** 2 Corinthians 4: 7-15, Ps 116: 11-18, Matthew 5: 27 -32
- Saturday** 2 Corinthians 5: 14-21, Ps 103: 6-14, Matthew 5: 33-37
- Sunday** 1 Samuel 15: 34—16: 13, Ps 20, 2 Corinthians 5: 6-10, 14-17, Mark 4: 26-34
Next Week's Reader is **Leon**



The Journal



Weekly Newsletter of the Anglican Parish of Wellington

(including the surrounding areas of Curra Creek, Geurie, Mumbil,
Spicer's Creek, Stuart Town & Wellington)

Sunday, 6th June, 2021

2nd Sunday After Pentecost



Sentence

[Here are my mother and my brothers!] Whoever does the will of God is my brother and my sister and my mother. Mark 3: 34-35

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God,
give us such a vision of your purpose,
and such an assurance of your love and power,
that we may ever hold fast the hope which is in Jesus Christ our Lord;
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**



Reader this week is **Ray**

1 Samuel 8: 4-11, 16-20

⁴ Then all the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah, ⁵ and said to him, 'You are old and your sons do not follow in your ways; appoint for us, then, a king to govern us, like other nations.' ⁶ But the thing displeased Samuel when they said, 'Give us a king to govern us.' Samuel prayed to the Lord, ⁷ and the Lord said to Samuel, 'Listen to the voice of the people in all that they say to you; for they have not rejected you, but they have rejected me from being king over them.' ⁸ Just as they have done to me, from the day I brought them up out of Egypt to this day, forsaking me and serving other gods, so also they are doing to you. ⁹ Now then, listen to their voice; only—you shall solemnly warn them, and show them the ways of the king who shall reign over them.' ¹⁰ So Samuel reported all the words of the Lord to the people who were asking him for a king. ¹¹ He said, 'These will be the ways of the king who will reign over you: he will take your sons and appoint them to his chariots and to be his horsemen, and to run before his chariots; ¹⁶ He will take your male and female slaves, and the best of your cattle and donkeys, and put them to his work. ¹⁷ He will take one-tenth of your flocks, and you shall be his slaves. ¹⁸ And in that day you will cry out because of your king, whom you have chosen for yourselves; but the Lord will not answer you in that day.' ¹⁹ But the people refused to listen to the voice of Samuel; they said, 'No! but we are determined to have a king over us, ²⁰ so that we also may be like other nations, and that our king may govern us and go out before us and fight our battles.'

Hear the word of the Lord,

Thanks be to God.

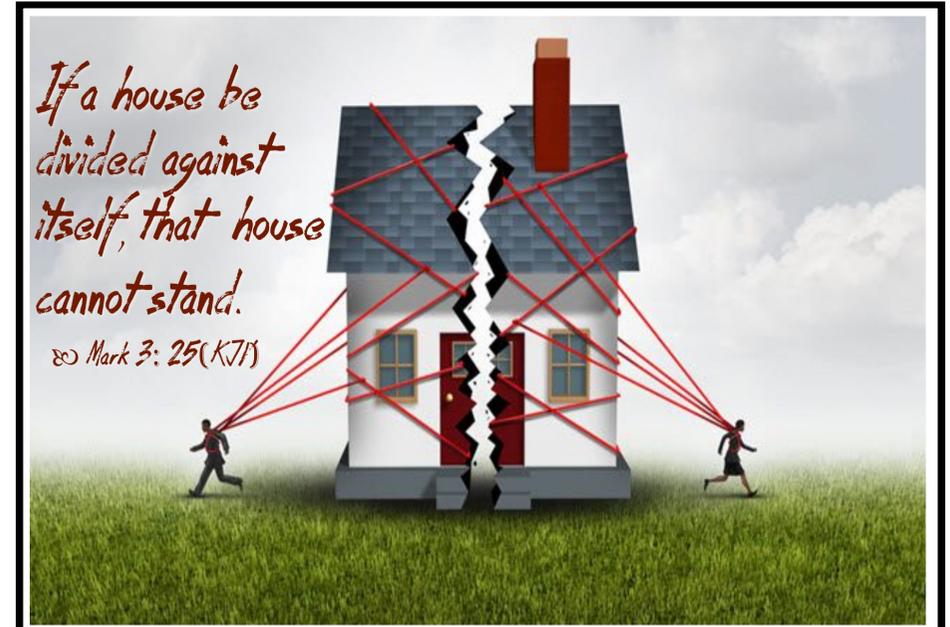
Psalm 138

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:



WHO'S WHO IN THE PARISH

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The Revd Carl Palmer

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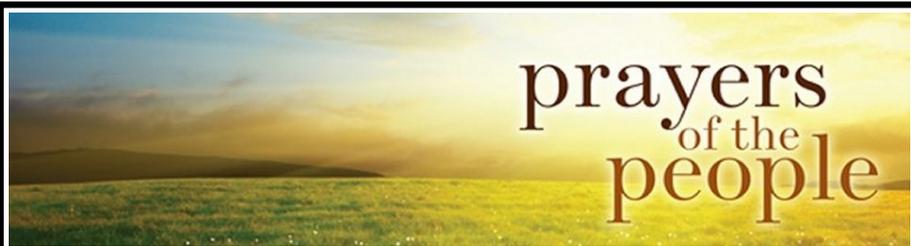
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In the Australian Church: Diocese of Adelaide

In our own Diocese: Parish of Cudal—Molong

Within our Community: Baptist Church and their new Pastor and family arriving from South Africa soon.

Pray for:

Those who have asked for prayer: Dorothy Smith, Neveah Roberts, Gavin & Lola Dickson, Di Thatcher, Daniel Palmer, Ingrid Jeffery, Ned Giddings, Anne Hyde, Patrick Norris, Danny Keogh, Audrey Keogh, Meredith, Stuart J, Malcolm C, Phil G, Ron S and John W.

Please uphold **Joy and Malcolm Gough** and their daughter Catherine on the loss of Catherine's husband, Ken.

Those **suffering from Leprosy** and all the people involved in their care.

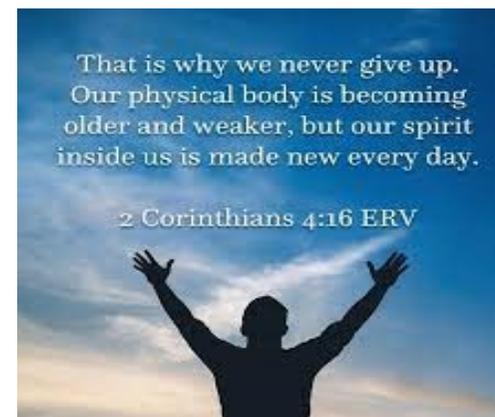
A Prayer of Thanksgiving

Accept, O Lord, our thanks and praise for all that you have done for us. We thank you for the splendor of the whole creation, for the beauty of this world, for the wonder of life, and for the mystery of love. We thank you for the blessing of family and friends, and for the loving care which surrounds us on every side. We thank you for setting us at tasks that demand our best efforts, and for leading us to accomplishments that satisfy and delight us. We thank you also for those disappointments and failures that lead us to acknowledge our dependence on you alone. Above all, we thank you for your Son Jesus Christ; for the truth of his Word and the example of his life; for his steadfast obedience, by which he overcame temptation; for his dying, through which he conquered death; and for his rising to life again, in which we are raised to the life of your kingdom. Grant us the gift of your Spirit, that we may know Christ and make him known; and through him, at all times and in all places, may give thanks to you in all things. **Amen.**

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.**

2 Corinthians 4: 13-5: 1

⁴ ¹³ But just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—'I believed, and so I spoke'—we also believe, and so we speak, ¹⁴ because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. ¹⁵ Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God. ¹⁶ So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. ¹⁷ For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, ¹⁸ because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal. ⁵ ¹ For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.



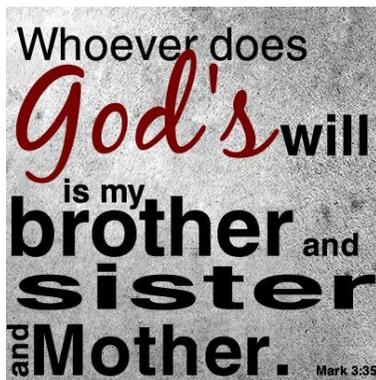
That is why we never give up.
Our physical body is becoming
older and weaker, but our spirit
inside us is made new every day.

2 Corinthians 4:16 ERV

Mark 3: 20-35

²⁰ and the crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. ²¹ When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, 'He has gone out of his mind.' ²² And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, 'He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.' ²³ And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? ²⁴ If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. ²⁵ And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. ²⁶ And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. ²⁷ But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered. ²⁸ Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; ²⁹ but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin'— ³⁰ for they had said, 'He has an unclean spirit.' ³¹ Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. ³² A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, 'Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.' ³³ And he replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' ³⁴ And looking at those who sat around him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! ³⁵ Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord,
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



- And news from our very own **Helen Norris**—come along and listen to **Grandmama's Story** on Wednesday **9 June 10am** at the CWA rooms
- If you would **like any help** with clearing up rubbish around your home, or help with heavy things (or anything else!). There will be a group of students here from Penrith Anglican College during the next school holidays **ready and willing to help you!!** Please talk to Carl or Jennie if you would like to go on the list.
- Please uphold our **SRE (Scripture in Schools) Teachers**, as they go into the primary school each week, and Kim Day at the High School.
- **Friendship Dinner** Next Friday 18 June, please come along for an evening of catching up with new and old friends and great food!
- **Contracts have been exchanged** on the purchase of the new **Rectory!** There will be more information soon. Watch this Space!!
- Would you **prayerfully consider** helping with: Morning Tea set up and clean up, set up the church before services, clearing up after services, Covid clean after services, cleaning of the Church/big hall/small hall, gardening, maintenance, Bible reading roster, prayers in church, counting the offering etc, etc....**We'd love to hear from you .**
- **Advance notice** of two exciting events. In the October school holidays, a team of students from Trinity Christian School in Canberra will be running a week long **Holiday Club at St John's** followed a few weeks later by another team from Trinity coming to run another **Family Fun Day!**

