

NOTICES

Morning Tea

Please join us for Morning Tea in the hall following the 8.30am service .



GFS Youth Group

GFS meets every 2nd, 4th & 5th Friday night of each month in the hall.

This group is for girls in high school and older. If you would like to know more, please visit their website: gfsbrisbane.org.au



Kids Plus+

KidsPlus+ is held on the fourth Sunday of the month, during the **8.30am service**. All children are welcome to be involved in the service and after communion join in with games and craft .

WEEKLY OFFERING

DIRECT DEBIT DETAILS

Bank: NAB

Account Name: St Mark's

Clayfield

BSB 084-004

A/c 50-838-9619

Budgeted Weekly Collection \$2,038

Collections last week \$1085



Follow **St. Mark's Clayfield** on Facebook, and watch the Sunday services on Youtube, at your leisure!



PRAYER

FOCUS

for this week

For St Mark's
Outreach and
Mission:

The Holy Trinity Pantry
at the Valley — for
those in need in the
inner city.

The Sick: Please use
the Intercessions Book
for those who you
know would like to be
named in our Prayers
of Intercession.

Anniversaries of the Faithful Departed:

Ann Loel
Doreen Powell
Margaret Rice
Sheila Howard

Wider Mission Focus for this Month:

The Leprosy Mission.
For dignity restored.
www.leprosymission.org



THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF CLAYFIELD

~ Celebrating 100 years in 2025 ~



Welcome to St Mark's!

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PTO: The Rev
Gary Blundell

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Easter 7
1 June 2025

Liturgical Colour:
White

We celebrate the
resurrection

Today:

8:30am Holy Communion

Celebrant and Preacher: The Rev'd Gary Blundell



We have a
hearing loop
available. Please
turn hearing aids
on to "T" switch.

National Reconciliation Week 27 May—3 June

Sentence of the Day

God has raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named.
Ephesians 1.20–21

Collect

God of majesty,
you led the Messiah through suffering into risen life, and took him up into the glory of heaven: clothe us with the power promised from on high, and send us forth to the ends of the earth as heralds of repentance and witnesses of Jesus Christ, the firstborn from the dead, who lives with you now and always in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Acknowledgement of country

As we gather in this Church, we acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land, the Turrbal and Jagera people, and pay our respects to their elders past, present and emerging.

ROSTERS

Roster for Today 8.30am One Service

Readers: Rosemary S & Heather M
Prayers: Brenda H
LA: Petrea M
Welcomer: Anne A & Elizabeth G
Off / Count: Heather & Peter M
Sound Rm: Kym A
Morning Tea: Dianne K, Sue R & Marina A

Roster for Next Week Sunday 8 June 8.30am One Service

Readers: Brad G & Elizabeth G
Prayers: Jan Frew
LA: Diana O
Deacon: David A
Welcomer: Joan S & Ashley & Robyn O
Off / Count: Joan S & Ashley & Robyn O
Sound Rm: Di G
Morning Tea: Elizabeth B & Angus G

DIARY DATES

Monday 9 June: 10.00am St Mark's Sewing Group
Tuesday 10 June: 7.00pm Parish Council
Saturday 14 June: 3.00-4.30pm Saturday Social—Chill Café
 Bier Garten
Wednesday 25 June - Friday 27 June: Liturgy Winter School
 2025
Saturday 26 July: 8am-12pm St. Mark's Fete and Garage

St Mark's Craft Group



St Mark's craft group meet in the church hall every 2nd & 4th Monday of each month at 10.00am.
 Bring along your own work or learn something new.
 Phone the church office 3862 2221 for details.
 All welcome!

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SATURDAY SOCIAL GATHERING

**Saturday
14 June 3pm—5pm**

**The Chill Café BierGarten
7 Dickson St, Woolloowin 4030**

(Parking is possible on the left of the café, next to the dry cleaners. Or street parks)

Come along for fun, conversation, and a relaxed afternoon!

Apparently it is "Happy Hour" before 5!
 You might like to stay on for an early dinner?

**** **All welcome** ****

Containers For Change!

In 2024 our parish gained over \$2577 simply through keeping cans and bottles and taking them to the Albion collection centre. Remember to recycle your wine & spirit bottles as well!



So easy - drive into 22 Collingwood St Albion, a nice person will meet you, provide the code below and \$\$ comes to the parish!

The 2025 **St. Mark's Fete & Garage Sale** is scheduled for **Saturday 26 July**.

We are now seeking chocolate bar donations for the **LOB-A-CHOC** stall. Single serve, standard sized wrapped chocolates such as Mars Bar, Cherry Ripe, Twix etc. are appreciated, with thanks. Please leave donations in the assigned box at the front of the church or at the office.



GOSPEL READING - John 17:20-26

²⁰ 'I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, ²¹ that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. ²² The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, ²³ I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. ²⁴ Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. ²⁵ 'Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. ²⁶ I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.'

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ



27th May—3rd June is National Reconciliation Action Week

Australia is celebrating Reconciliation Week as a United country.

This is a week for us all to share our histories, culture and achievements, and to explore how we can contribute to further reconciliation in Australia.

A prayer for at the time of choosing an incumbent

Bountiful God,
give to this parish of St. Mark's a faithful pastor
who will faithfully speak your word
and minister your sacraments;
an encourager who will equip your people for ministry
and enable us to fulfil our calling.
Give to those who will choose, wisdom,
discernment and patience,
and to us give warm and generous hearts,
for Jesus Christ's sake. **Amen.**

FIRST READING Acts 16:16-34

¹⁶ One day, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. ¹⁷ While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, 'These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation.' ¹⁸ She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, 'I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her.' And it came out that very hour. ¹⁹ But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the market-place before the authorities.

²⁰ When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, 'These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews ²¹ and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe.' ²² The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. ²³ After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. ²⁴ Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks.

²⁵ About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. ²⁶ Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. ²⁷ When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. ²⁸ But Paul shouted in a loud voice, 'Do not harm yourself, for we are all here.' ²⁹ The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. ³⁰ Then he brought them outside and said, 'Sirs, what must I do to be saved?' ³¹ They answered, 'Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.' ³² They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house.

³³ At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. ³⁴ He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

Hear the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalm 97

¹ The Lord is king; let the earth rejoice:

let the multitude of islands be glad.

² **Clouds and darkness are round about him:**

righteousness and justice

are the foundation of his throne.

³ Fire goes before him:

and burns up his enemies on every side.

⁴ **His lightnings light the world:**

the earth sees it and quakes.

⁵ The mountains melt like wax before his face:

from before the face of the Lord of all the earth.

⁶ **The heavens have proclaimed his righteousness:**

and all peoples have seen his glory.

⁷ They are ashamed, all those who serve idols

and glory in mere nothings:

all gods bow down before him.

⁸ **Zion heard and was glad,**

and the daughters of Judah rejoiced:

because of your judgements, O God.

⁹ For you, Lord, are most high over all the earth:

you are exalted far above all gods.

¹⁰ **The Lord loves those that hate evil:**

the Lord guards the life of the faithful,

and delivers them from the hand of the ungodly.

¹¹ Light dawns for the righteous:

and joy for the true of heart.

¹² **Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous:**

and give thanks to his holy name.

SECOND READING Revelation 22:12-22

¹² 'See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone's work.

¹³ I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.'

¹⁴ Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates.

¹⁵ Outside are the dogs and sorcerers and fornicators and murderers and idolaters, and everyone who loves and practises falsehood.

¹⁶ 'It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star.'

¹⁷ The Spirit and the bride say, 'Come.'

And let everyone who hears say, 'Come.'

And let everyone who is thirsty come.

Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift.

¹⁸ I warn everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to that person the plagues described in this book;

¹⁹ if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away that person's share in the tree of life and in the holy city, which are described in this book.

²⁰ The one who testifies to these things says, 'Surely I am coming soon.' Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

²¹ The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. Amen.

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Holy Trinity Community Food Pantry

This week's special requests are:

Dried goods: Milk (UHT carton), Tea, Coffee –granulated not powder, sugar, pasta, pasta sauce, two minute noodles, spaghetti, rice, Crackers /biscuits: sweet & savoury & Gluten free.

Toiletries: Body soap, toothbrush & toothpaste (small).

The Holy Trinity food pantry are so very grateful for the food that is donated from St Mark's.



Many thanks.