

23rd September
7.00 pm House Group
Teesdale

24th September
4.00 pm Bannockburn Food Relief
Working Group
Cultural Centre

7.00 pm Parish Council
Parish Ministry Centre

30th September
7.00 pm House Group
Teesdale

1st October
11.00 am Communion
Estia Health Bannockburn

2nd October
6.00 pm Community Cinema Grand
Opening
Epiphany Meredith

7th October
7.00 pm House Group
Teesdale

8th October
9.30 am Mothers' Union Service
St John's Bannockburn

11th October
9.00 am Devonshire Tea

Parish Roster for September 28

Church Cleaning:

Inverleigh: Carol Wilson
Bannockburn: Wendy Wood
Ivan Marsetti

Reading:

Bannockburn: Lynette Oates

Communion Assistant:

Inverleigh: Geoff Morgan
Bannockburn: Freda Duke

Morning Tea:

Bannockburn: Freda Duke
Lynette Oates

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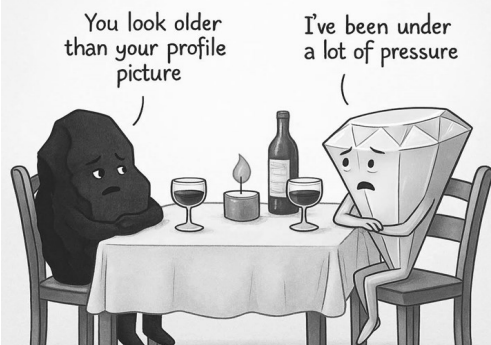
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Carbon dating

MOTHERS' UNION SERVICE and MEETING

(Never sure where to put the apostrophe.)

Holy Communion 9.30 am

8th October

St Johns Bannockburn

Meeting to follow

Golden Plains Anglican News

Living the Gospel in Our Community

Inverleigh†Bannockburn†Meredith
21st September 2025—ST MATTHEW, Evangelist and Martyr

BANNOCKBURN FOOD RELIEF WORKING GROUP

Interested in being a part of designing a suitable, community-led model of food relief for Bannockburn.

What are we aiming to achieve?

- Bring together a group of invested local community members.
- Share local knowledge and insights about community needs.
- Work collaboratively to determine the type of food relief model that would work best for Bannockburn.

Where: Barwon room, Bannockburn Cultural Centre - 27
High St, Bannockburn

When: Wednesday September 24th at 4-5:30pm

If you are interested in being part of the Working Group, please register via

healthpromotion@hesse.vic.gov.au; 0417 848 292

or use the QR code for the first meeting.



MEREDITH COMMUNITY CINEMA GRAND OPENING

has been postponed to

Thursday 2nd October, 6.00 pm, Church of the Epiphany, Meredith
Come dressed in formal red carpet attire and invite your friends.
Cock and Mocktails with theatre food available on the night.

ANNUAL MEETING OF PARISHIONERS

Sunday 30th November
11.30 am

Following Combined Parish

Eucharist

10.00 am

St Paul's Inverleigh

INSTALLATION OF ARCHBISHOP RIC THORPE

Sunday 30th November
4.00 pm

St Paul's Cathedral
Melbourne

Invitation to Synod Representatives
or substitutes if not available.

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Worship Today: ST MATTHEW, Evangelist and Martyr

Sentence: Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. I have come not to call the righteous, but sinners.

Matthew 9:13

Collect: Almighty God, who through your Son Jesus Christ called Matthew from the selfish pursuit of gain to become an apostle and evangelist: free us from all greed and love of riches so that we may follow the steps of our Lord Jesus Christ in the way of self-giving love; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Readings: Proverbs 3:1-6; Psalm 19:1-6; Ephesians 4:1-14;
Matthew 9:9-13

Hymns: 477 – Jesus calls us here to meet him
272 – Come, thou long-expected Jesus
188 – Where wide sky rolls down and touches red sand
455 – For all the saints who from their labours rest

Intercessions: In your mercy, hear our prayer.

World: Sudan, Ukraine & Russia, Israel & Palestine, India & Pakistan, Thailand & Cambodia; all where there is conflict, war, or threat of war; South Sudan, Kenya and all developing nations; Afghanistan, Bali, and all suffering from natural disaster; wherever there is poverty, insecurity, hunger, wherever there is lack of education, employment, medical intervention, freedom, clean water; all who are displaced, refugees, asylum seekers, orphans, widows, and the oppressed; for all national leaders and authorities to lead their nations with righteousness, justice, and grace.

Church: in the good news of God's kingdom we have to share within a broken world; all church leaders; nomination and election of an Archbishop of Canterbury, Bp Mark Short incoming National Primate, preparations of Archbishop elect Ric Thorpe and Louie to come among us; that all our activities will provide an opportunity to share our faith stories; to be a parish building ministering communities and continue unifying organisationally.

Community: the Wadawarrung and all our first nations peoples, their elders; the Yoorook Justice Commission; all who come into our communities of any race, creed, colour, faith, or no faith, will experience belonging; South Sudanese youth and all struggling with living in different cultures.

Those in need: Matt Bellchambers, Shirley Musgrove, Melinda Gregory, Karen Schulze, Jenny Bannister, Margaret McLaren, Sarah Rees, Jayden Rees, Fay McFarlane, Jesse Osborne, Phil Dickson, Paul Duke, Josie Andrews, Makat Majok, Aluong Lieny, Mawut Gotbaili, Timothy Deng and Wek.

Bible Readings

Prayer for the week:

Loving Father, whose Son Jesus Christ has taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for him: give us the will to be the servant of others as he was the servant of all, who gave up his life and died for us, and yet lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Monday

Morning: Ps 51
1 Kings 13:1-19
Matthew 6:16-24
Evening: Ps 52 & 53
Job 21:1-16
Ephesians 4:17-28

Tuesday

Morning: Ps 54 & 55:1-12
1 Kings 13:20-34
Matthew 6:25-7:5
Evening: Ps 55:13-15(16-17)18-28
Job 21:17-34
Ephesians 4:29-5:5

Wednesday

Morning: Ps 56 & 57
1 Kings 14:1-18
Matthew 7:6-23
Evening: Ps 60 & 61
Job 22:1-22
Ephesians 5:21-33

Thursday

Sergius of Moscow (d.1392) *Monastic*
Abbot and teacher

Morning: Ps 62 & 63
1 Kings 14:19-15:8
Matthew 7:24-8:4
Evening: Ps 64 & 67
Job 22:23-23:17
Ephesians 5:21-33

Friday

Lancelot Andrews (d.1626) *Bishop*
Bishop of Winchester

Morning: Ps 65 & 70
1 Kings 15:9-24
Matthew 8:5-22

Evening: Ps 66
Job 24:1-17
Ephesians 6:1-9

Saturday

Vincent de Paul (d.1660) *Pastor*
Priest and worker with the poor

Morning: Ps 68:1-20
1 Kings 15:25-16:7
Matthew 8:23-34
Evening: Ps 68:(21-23)24-35
Job 24:18-25:6
Ephesians 6:10-24



Next Sunday 28th September
PENTECOST 16 [26]

8.00 am Holy Communion

Inverleigh

10.00 am All-Age Communion

Bannockburn

5.00 pm Holy Communion

Meredith

Readings

Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15

Psalm 79:1-9

1 Timothy 6:6-19 or 4:12-5:8

Luke 16:19-31