

SENDING

Hymn 432: *Christ is made the sure foundation*

Word of Mission and Blessing

... and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Organ Postlude: *Cwm Rhondda* (God of Grace) Setting by Paul Manz
(*You are invited to remain seated until the end of the postlude*)

Reader Today: Wendy Chuck	Flowers Today: Heather Suriano
Next Week: Anne Friend	Next week: no flowers during Lent
Readings next Sunday:	
Deuteronomy 26: 1-11	Psalms 91: 1-2; 9-16
Romans 10:8b-13	Luke 4: 1-13

Notices

Welcome to Alan Chaffee, our organist today.

Today - Memorial service at 2pm. Friends of Dr Max Champion and Mrs Ruth Champion are invited to attend a service of Holy Communion at North Essendon Uniting Church, 132 Keilor Rd., to remember their youngest son Marcus (35), who died on February 18 after a long illness. A family funeral was held last Monday.

Thursday 7 March Coffee Morning Meeting: A tour (10am to midday) at the Jewish Holocaust Centre, 13-15 Selwyn St, Elsternwick -cost \$10. Optional lunch afterwards at 'The Goat House'. See Daphne

Saturday 30 March, 9am – 12 noon: working bee in the Church, Hall and grounds to tidy up in advance of the piano recital and tower open day.

Sunday 31 March congregation meeting after morning worship Ruth Crawley and Dr Nancy Cox will attend as presbytery representatives to give a briefing on last year's report from the visitation committee. After this the nominating committee will begin the process of selecting a new minister for Auburn.

Sunday 31 March, 2pm: inaugural piano recital, featuring Lachlan Redd at the Kawai piano. Further details on flyer. Bookings now open at www.trybooking.com/BAVOU.

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The Auburn Newsletter

Hawthorn Uniting Parish

Sunday 3rd March 2019

Service Today

10am Worship Service
Rev Barbara Gayler

Next Sunday

10am Worship Service
Rev Ross Carter

Welcome to all who worship at Auburn today. Please remain for tea or coffee in the church after the service. The order of service proceeds without announcements. Responses by the congregation are in bold type.

Transfiguration of Jesus

Organ Prelude: *Prelude in G major* - JS Bach

Introit: *Adoramus te, Christe
Adoramus te, Christe,
et benedicimus tibi,
quia per sanctam crucem tuam
redemisti mundum.*

We adore You, Christ,
and we bless You,
because by your holy cross
You have redeemed the world.

(Taize)

Call to Worship

Hymn 255: *O Laughing Light*

Greeting (*remain standing*)

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
And also with you.

Sunday Service

10 am weekly

Holy Communion:
monthly:

10 am: 3rd Sunday

Church Lunch:

12 noon in the Hall
monthly 3rd Sunday

Morning Coffee

10.15am monthly
1st Thursday, March
to November, in the
Eileen Pawsey
Room

Church Council:

7.45 pm monthly
2nd Thursday in the
Pawsey Room

*NB: Dates and times
may occasionally
change documented
in the pew sheet
notices*

Opening Prayer

Prayer of Confession

silence

**God of compassion,
in Jesus Christ you reveal the light of your glory,
but we turn away, distracted by our own plans.
We confess that we speak when we should listen,
and act when we should wait.**

**Forgive our aimless enthusiasms.
Grant us wisdom to live in your light
and to follow in the way of your beloved Son,
Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour.**

Declaration of Forgiveness

... 'Your sins are forgiven'.

Thanks be to God!

Doxology: *Glory to God* (Tis:757b All stand to sing the '*Gloria in excelsis*')
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Prayer of the Day

THE WORD

Exodus 34: 29-35

Psalms 99 (Tis 58)

Refrain: *Be exalted, O God above the heavens!
Let your glory over all the earth be found.*

2 Corinthians 3: 12- 4:2

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia. This is my Son, my Chosen, listen to him! Alleluia.

(Luke 9:35)

Luke 9: 28-36

Hymn 212: *Christ, whose glory fills the skies*

Proclamation of the Word

Anthem: *Be still, for the presence of the Lord*

Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here;
Come, bow before him now, with reverence and fear.
In him no sin is found, we stand on holy ground;
Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here;

Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around;
He burns with holy fire, with splendour he is crowned.
How awesome is the sight, our radiant King of light!
Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around;

Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place;
He comes to cleanse and heal, to minister his grace.
No work too hard for him, in faith receive from him.
Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place;

(Words and Music David Evans (b. 1957) arr. Richard Shephard)

Offering

Hymn 193: *God, you are clothed with light*

Prayers of the People

Thanksgiving

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Intercession

Merciful God: **hear our prayer.**

The Lord's Prayer

**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.**