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OF YACKANDANDAH & KIEWA**

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OUR VISION:

We are committed to helping every person believe in Jesus Christ, to become part of God's family, and to build up God's kingdom.

OUR MISSION:

To connect people with God – through authentic relationships, to serve our communities and to share God's love.



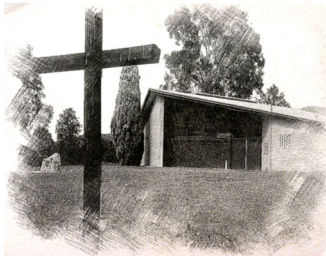
THIS SUNDAY

Sunday, 19 January 2025

EPIPHANY 3

10.30am Parish Eucharist, St Mark's, Tangambalanga

Presider & Preacher: Rev Bob Davidson

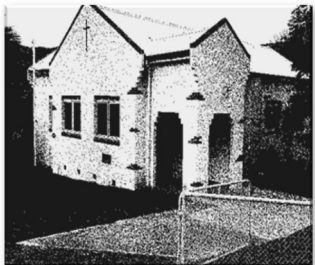


Sunday, 26 January 2025

EPIPHANY 4

11.00am Parish Eucharist, St Aidan's, Tawonga

Presider & Preacher: Rev Bob Davidson



PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Bountiful God, whose Son revealed his glory at Cana of Galilee: help us to believe and obey, so that, as our Saviour promised, we may be filled with the wine of new life and show forth his joy and love; who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.



THE WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 62:1-5

A reading from the Book of the prophet Isaiah

God like the bridegroom and the bride

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn and her salvation like a burning torch. The nations shall see your vindication and all the kings your glory, and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. You shall be a beautiful crown in the hand of the LORD and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate, but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her and your land Married, for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married. For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

Hear the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 36:5-10

Response: **With you, O Lord, is the fountain of life.**

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| 5 | Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens,
your faithfulness to the clouds. | R/. |
| 6 | Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains;
your judgments are like the great deep;
you save humans and animals alike, O LORD. | R/. |
| 7 | How precious is your steadfast love, O God!
All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings. | |
| 8 | They feast on the abundance of your house,
and you give them drink from the river of your delights. | R/. |
| 9 | For with you is the fountain of life;
in your light we see light. | |
| 10 | O continue your steadfast love to those who know you
and your salvation to the upright of heart!
and all nations do him service. | R/. |

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

A reading from the first letter of Paul to the Corinthians

A variety of gifts but one Spirit

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be ignorant. You know that when you were gentiles you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that

no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. Now there are varieties of gifts but the same Spirit, and there are varieties of services but the same Lord, and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of powerful deeds, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

Hear the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel: John 2:1-11

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Wedding at Cana

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to me and to you? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the person in charge of the banquet." So they took it. When the person in charge tasted the water that had become wine and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), that person called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee and revealed his glory, and his disciples believed in him.

Hear the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Fourth Sunday of the Epiphany—Jesus at Nazareth, 26 January 2025

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 ~ Psalm 19

1 Corinthians 12:12-31a ~ Luke 4:14-21

FOR YOUR PRAYER

Those preparing for Holy Matrimony: Lexie & Nathan (April 2025)

For those who are sick, grieving, or living with the frailty of age:

Immediate: Barry Elliot. **Long term:** David, Ken Stephens, Bishop John Parkes, Anne, Lyn, David, Caroline.

The Faithful Departed: JANUARY: (19th), Olive MOYLE (19th), Phyllis May WALKER (19th), Dawn BAYLISS (22nd), Francis Alfred BRITTON (24th)

FOR YOUR DIARY

DIOCESAN EVENSONG

Sunday 2 February @ 5.00pm with Commissioning of Diocesan Leadership Ministries, at Christ Church, 27 Ford Street, Beechworth.

NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, 11 February 2025, 1.30pm at Holy Trinity Hall, Yackandandah

PARISH BANKING DETAILS

Account Name: Anglican Parish of Yackandandah

BSB: 640 000 **Account No:** 111 193 329

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RE-CREATIONS OPPORTUNITY SHOP

A ministry of the Parish of Yackandandah & Kiewa

Located in **Masonic Centre Hall, 17 Wellsford Street, Yackandandah**

USUAL HOURS:

Wednesday to Friday **10am to 3pm** Saturday **10am to 1pm**

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