



Sunday
26 July
2026



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Even in the silence

PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

- The **Funeral Services for Margie Dahl** are as follows:
 - Prayer Vigil** online tomorrow night, Monday 27th July at 7:00pm, using our usual Sunday Zoom link.
 - Funeral Liturgy** (physically gathered) at 10:30am, Friday 31st July at Saint Margaret's Anglican Church (79-81 Pitt Street, Eltham). The service will be followed by lunch in the church hall, and then the committal at 2.15pm at the Arthur's Creek Cemetery.
- Our **preacher** for next Sunday will be our pastor, Nathan Nettleton.
- The **Host Group** is next meeting on Wednesday 12th August. If you'd like to attend or have anything you like them to consider, be in touch.
- Looking ahead, we will celebrate the new **Feast of Creation in Christ** with a worship service at 7:00pm on Tuesday 1st September.
- Our **Church Camp** will be held on the weekend of 9th - 11th October, in Aireys Inlet, on the Great Ocean Road. Information and registrations: <https://openicon.church/members/church-camp/>

Your share of the financial needs of our church can be paid directly into the church bank account:
BSB: 704 922 Ac.no. 100 005 423
For more options and details, see the Money section of the Participants' Guide on the church website.



BIRTHDAYS

Jul 29 James Bennett
Jul 30 Nathan Wong
Aug 4 Audrey Kateena
Aug 5 Shelley Taylor



READING THE BIBLE THROUGH THE WEEK

The readings between Sundays are provided for private reflection and for our daily prayer liturgies. The readings for Monday - Wednesday are chosen to reflect on the themes from the readings in today's worship. The readings for Thursday - Saturday introduce the themes of next Sunday's readings.

This Sunday's Worship	Genesis 29: 15-28 Romans 8: 26-39	Psalm 105: 1-11, 45c Matthew 13: 31-33, 44-52
Monday	Genesis 30: 25-36	James 3: 13-18
Tuesday	Genesis 30: 37-43	Ephesians 6: 10-18
Wednesday	Genesis 46:2 - 47:12	Mark 4: 30-34
Thursday	Isaiah 14: 1-2	Philippians 4:10-15
Friday	Isaiah 41:8-10	Romans 9:6-13
Saturday	Genesis 31:1-21	Matthew 7:7-11
Next Sunday's Worship	Genesis 32:22-31 Romans 9:1-5	Psalm 17:1-7,15 Matthew 14:13-21

WEEKDAY PRAYER

20-30 minute prayer liturgies, held online 3 times a day, Monday to Saturday.

Matins 8:00am
Vespers 5:00pm
Compline 9:30pm

PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

Mon Rita Wang
Tues Craig Bartlett
Wed James Bennett
Thur Nathan Wong
Fri Felicity Jenkins
Sat Jackie Waring

This church acknowledges that we live on unceded Aboriginal lands, many of us on the lands of the Boonwurrung and Wurundjeri peoples. We express our gratitude at the sharing of this land; our sorrow for the personal, spiritual, and cultural cost of that sharing; and the hope that we may walk together in harmony in the spirit of reconciliation.