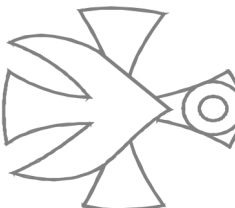



Date	15-3-20 Third Sunday in Lent		22-3-20 Fourth Sunday in Lent	
Colour	Purple		Purple	
Theme	Water & God provides		Who healed you?/Mothering Sunday	
Readings	Exodus 17.1-7 - - John 4.5-42		1 Samuel 16.1-13 Ps 23 Ephesians 5.8-14 John 9.1-41	
Roster	7.00am	9.00am	700am	9.00am
Worship	Rev'd Morris Rangiwai	Rev'd Morris Rangiwai	Rev'd Morris Rangiwai	Rev'd Morris Rangiwai
Preacher	Rev'd Morris Rangiwai	Rev'd Morris Rangiwai	Rev'd Morris Rangiwai	Rev'd Morris Rangiwai
LA Leader	Rosemary Kake	Ian Nelson	Nia Viviani	Dianne Bocquee
LA Server	-	Kathy Carter	-	Lorraine Jones
Greeter	-	Russ Daly	Kay Morris	Rhonda/Daphne
Sidesperson	James Sloan	Allan Berry	Robyn Brodie	Sandra Pearn
Reader 1	Julie Elliker	Rhonda Nelson	Michael Po Saw	Audrey Allsop
Reader 2	-	-	Rosemary Kake	Rhonda Nelson
Offertory	James Sloan Sharon Everton	Allan Berry Rhonda Nelson	Robyn Brodie Sharon Everton	Ruth Barton Lesley Proellocks
Chapel	-	Dianne Bocquee	-	Pat Thorne
Morning Tea	Kay Morris	Nia Viviani	Sharon Everton	MU members
Music Leader	Ruth Barton	Ruth Barton	Michael Po Saw	Glenn Rehbein
AV Operator	Kay O'Brien	Chris Thillainathan	Adrian Scott	Ian Nelson
Prayers of the people for the day	Margurita Smethurst		Jenny Bullock [MU]	
Counting	Russ Daly		Ian Nelson	
S.School Yahweh Youth		Children's Sermon		Kerry/Jenny Rhonda
Retirement Village Ministry Team				
Baptism		-		

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 362 Algester Road, Algester Q. 4115  
 Our Parish's Mission  
*We share meaning, purpose and direction for today and hope for tomorrow through Jesus Christ.*



# Sunday, March 15, 2020 Third Sunday in Lent

**LENT**  
 is a call  
 to renew  
 a commitment  
 grown dull,  
 perhaps,  
 by a life  
 more marked  
 by routine than  
 by reflection.  
 -Joan Chittister

*Special Communion Bread is available for people who have gluten intolerance - see Rev'd Morris.*

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## Service Times

### CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

362 Algester Road, Algester

#### HOLY COMMUNION

Sundays 7.00am & 9.00am

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL & YAHWEH YOUTH

Sundays during 9.00am worship

#### Cazna Gardens Retirement Village

465 Hellowell Road, Sunnybank Hills  
1st Sunday each month 10.30am

#### Carrington Retirement Village

16 Blairmount Street, Parkinson  
2nd Sunday each month 10.30am

**Baptisms, Weddings and Pastoral Services  
by arrangement**

#### Pastoral Care & Home Communion

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**Mainly Music** Jenny Bullock 3800 4651

**Men's Group** Hugh Everton 0412 091 479

**MU Australia** Jenny Bullock 0439 847 979

**Prayer Ministry** Parish Office 3273 7169

**Sunday School** Parish Office 3273 7169

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

Lord our Maker, we thank You for each person here today. You have known each one of us from the beginning and that in You is our true identity to be found. May Your Holy Spirit inspire and guide us. Take away any hardness of heart, may our lives reflect Your goodness and our conversations Your grace and truth.

**O Lord hear my pray'r, O Lord hear my pray'r, when I call answer me  
O Lord hear my pray'r, O Lord hear my pray'r, Come and listen to me**

We give You thanks for this land of beauty and bounty in which we live. We pray for the peoples of the world, for leaders of nations and all who govern; for people who thirst for justice, freedom and peace.

#### Come and listen to me

Thank You that You come to us offering forgiveness and reconciliation. We pray for Your church, for its people and clergy and for all who tell Your good news. For Reverend Morris we ask strength and wisdom as he leads us in our time of change.

#### Lord hear my Prayer

For the love that surrounds and sustains us in our daily lives we say thank you. We pray for our community, our families, our friends and for all with whom we work; for all who thirst to be accepted, valued and understood.

#### Lord hear my Prayer

We pray for all in need, for the grief-stricken, the destitute and all who are in pain; for all who yearn to be needed and loved. We bring those on our prayer list to You.....

#### Lord Hear my prayer

As You once gave living water to a Samaritan woman at a well, pour into our hearts Your life-giving spirit that we may find in Your presence, fullness of joy. We pray as Jesus taught us:

#### Our Father in heaven....[pg.124]

*Prayers adapted from Lament and Hope and Let us Pray  
and compiled by Margarita Smethurst*

#### As we pray for those in need ...

**Les [Mitch]; ; Keitha; Barbara Colvin; Denver Everton; Robyn & family; Brittney & Daniel Whitehead and family; Neil Henzell; Mattias; Nicole; Peter; Susan Hetherington; John McDonald; Tammy; Kevin; Mary Loweke; Alice Hudson; Christina Jacob**

**GUIDELINES FOR WHEN WE GATHER AT WORSHIP**

- ✚ The worship team to wash hands prior to the beginning/end of worship and use hand sanitises immediately before the Preparation of the Gifts.
- ✚ Parishioners should be encouraged to use hand sanitisers before attending worship or other activities on church property [i.e. Sunday School/Yahweh Youth].
- ✚ Please encourage and remind parishioners that if they are feeling ill, even mildly so, NOT to attend worship or church events.

**Communion:**

- ✚ The inside and outside of the chalice is to be wiped;
- ✚ Purificators may need to be changed more frequently depending on the size of the congregation;
- ✚ The purificator should be re-positioned so that a fresh spot is used each time.
- ✚ **The practice of intinction is a higher risk activity. The choice for a communicant, then is:**  
to share the common cup;  
or  
to receive in only one kind i.e. receive host only.

**The Peace and greetings:**

- ✚ Personal touching will always be a matter of individual choice in The Peace and greetings. As a precaution it is probably wise to refrain from shaking hands during the Passing of the Peace.

**Blessings:**

- ✚ It is also a precaution in the current circumstances to refrain from touching the hair or forehead of a person when blessing them with the sign of the cross.

**AMUA Overseas Project  
Retiring Collection**

**on Mothering Sunday,  
22 March**

The current Overseas Project is  
the Parenting Program  
In Papua New Guinea.

**MEN'S BREAKFAST**

Saturday 21 March  
7.30am for 8am  
\$5  
**At the church**

*Please add names to the clipboard*  
*Contact: Hugh Everton 0412 091 479*

**WORKING BEE**

**SATURDAY  
28th MARCH  
7.00AM**

**LADIES BREAKFAST**

Saturday 21 March  
8am  
Degani, Calamvale Central

*Please add names to the clipboard*

**W.I.S.H - WHAT'S STORE HERE**

**Sunday, March 15, 2020**

Today ...	7.00am	Holy Communion
	9.00am	Holy Communion Children's Sermon

**Forthcoming Events**

Tuesday, 17 March	7.00pm	Parish Council
Saturday, 21 March	7.30am for 8am	Men's Group Breakfast: see pg.6
	8.00am	Ladies Breakfast: Degani
	1.00pm	Men's Shed Social Meeting
Saturday, 28 March	7.00am	Working Bee
Wednesday, 1 April	6.30pm-7.30pm	SU Karawatha Combined Church Prayer Night to be held at St George Bank, Calamvale Branch: see pg.5
Saturday, 4 April	8.30am	Café & Car Wash
Tuesday, 7 April	7.00pm	Blessing of the Oils Service at St John's Cathedral
Wednesday, 8 April	9.30am	Mothers' Union Easter Devotions
Thursday, 9 April	7.00pm	Maundy Thursday Service
Friday, 10 April	8.00am	Good Friday Service
Sunday, 12 April	7.00am & 9.00am	Easter Day

**MISSION - MARCH**

**- BUSH CHURCH AID [BCA] -**

**THEME: WATER & GOD PROVIDES**

**SENTENCE:**

'The water that I will give,' says the Lord, 'will become in you a spring of water welling up to eternal life.'

*John 4.14*

**OUR PARISH PRAYER:**

***Heavenly Father,  
help us to grow in love, faith and obedience  
as we discover meaning and direction for  
today  
and hope for tomorrow  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.***

**PRAYER OF THE DAY:**

O God, the fountain of life,  
to a humanity parched with thirst  
you offer the living water that springs from the  
Rock, our Saviour Jesus Christ:  
stir up within your people the gift of your Spirit,  
that we may profess our faith with freshness  
and announce with joy the wonder of your love.  
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the  
Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**A READING FROM EXODUS, CHAPTER 17,  
VERSES 1-7:**

From the wilderness of Sin the whole congregation of the Israelites journeyed by stages, as the Lord commanded. They camped

at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. The people quarrelled with Moses, and said, 'Give us water to drink.' Moses said to them, 'Why do you quarrel with me? Why do you test the Lord?' But the people thirsted there for water; and the people complained against Moses and said, 'Why did you bring us out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and livestock with thirst?' So Moses cried out to the Lord, 'What shall I do with this people? They are almost ready to stone me.' The Lord said to Moses, 'Go on ahead of the people, and take some of the elders of Israel with you; take in your hand the staff with which you struck the Nile, and go. I will be standing there in front of you on the rock at Horeb. Strike the rock, and water will come out of it, so that the people may drink.' Moses did so, in the sight of the elders of Israel. He called the place Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites quarrelled and tested the Lord, saying, 'Is the Lord among us or not?'

Hear the word of the Lord  
**Thanks be to God**

**THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST  
ACCORDING TO JOHN, CHAPTER 4, VERSES 5-42:**

**Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

'So he came to a Samaritan city called Sychar, near the plot of ground that Jacob had given to his son Joseph. Jacob's well was there, and Jesus, tired out by his journey, was sitting by the well. It was about noon.

A Samaritan woman came to draw water, and Jesus said to her, 'Give me a drink'. (His disciples had gone to the city to buy food.) The Samaritan woman said to him, 'How is it that you, a Jew, ask a drink of me, a woman of Samaria?' (Jews do not share things in common with Samaritans.) Jesus answered her, 'If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, "Give me a

drink", you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water.' The woman said to him, 'Sir, you have no bucket, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water? Are you greater than our ancestor Jacob, who gave us the well, and with his sons and his flocks drank from it?' Jesus said to her, 'Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty. The water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life.' The woman said to him, 'Sir, give me this water, so that I may never be thirsty or have to keep coming here to draw water.'

Jesus said to her, 'Go, call your husband, and come back.' The woman answered him, 'I have no husband.' Jesus said to her, 'You are right in saying, "I have no husband"; for you have had five husbands, and the one you have now is not your husband. What you have said is true!' The woman said to him, 'Sir, I see that you are a prophet. Our ancestors worshipped on this mountain, but you say that the place where people must worship is in Jerusalem.' Jesus said to her, 'Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews. But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshippers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father seeks such as these to worship him. God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth.' The woman said to him, 'I know that Messiah is coming' (who is called Christ). 'When he comes, he will proclaim all things to us.' Jesus said to her, 'I am he, the one who is speaking to you.'

Just then his disciples came. They were astonished that he was speaking with a woman, but no one said, 'What do you want?' or, 'Why are you speaking with her?' Then the woman left her water-jar and went back to the city. She said to the people, 'Come and see a man who told me everything I have ever done! He cannot be the Messiah, can he?' They left the city and were on their way to him.

Meanwhile the disciples were urging him, 'Rabbi, eat something.' But he said to them, 'I have food to eat that you do not know about.' So the disciples said to one another, 'Surely no one has brought him something to eat?' Jesus said to them, 'My food is to do the will of him who sent me and to complete his work. Do you not say, "Four months more, then comes the harvest"? But I tell you, look around you, and see how the fields are ripe for harvesting. The reaper is already receiving wages and is gathering fruit for eternal life, so that sower and reaper may rejoice together. For here the saying holds true, "One sows and another reaps." I sent you to reap that for which you did not labour. Others have laboured, and you have entered into their labour.'

Many Samaritans from that city believed in him because of the woman's testimony, 'He told me everything I have ever done.' So when the Samaritans came to him, they asked him to stay with them; and he stayed there for two days. And many more believed because of his word. They said to the woman, 'It is no longer because of what you said that we believe, for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is truly the Saviour of the world.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord  
**Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**

**SU OLD KARAWATHA COMBINED  
CHURCH PRAYER NIGHT**

**WEDNESDAY APRIL 1st  
6.30pm to 7.30pm**

**St George Bank,  
Calamvale Branch, 662 Compton Rd,  
Calamvale**

**Praying for Religious Instruction -  
School Chaplaincy - Local Churches/  
Community**