

Sunday, October 25, 2020
Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

Date	25-10-20 Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost		1-11-20 All Saints Day	
Colour	Green		White	
Theme	Most Important Commandment		All Saints Day	
Readings	Deuteronomy 34.1-12 Ps 90.1-6, 13-17 1 Thessalonians 2.1-13 Matthew 22.34-46		Revelation 7.9-17 Ps 34.1-10, 22 1 John 3.1-3 Matthew 5.1-12	
Roster	7.00am	9.00am	7.00am	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	Robert Kake	Allan Berry	Nia Viviani	Ian Nelson
Greeter	Kay Morris	Julie Elliker	-	Kerry Tovey
Sidesperson/COVID	James Sloan	Varrie Berry	Robyn Brodie	Joan Harvey
Reader 1	Rosemary Kake	Dianne Bocquee	Ross Dinnar	Sandra Pearn
Reader 2	Norm Booth	Pat Thorne	Kay O'Brien	Dianne Bocquee
Offertory	James Sloan	Varrie Berry	Robyn Brodie	Joan Harvey
Chapel Prayers	Margurita Smethurst	Dianne Bocquee	-	Sandra Pearn
Morning Tea	-	-	Kay O'Brien	Kerry/Joan
Music Leader	Michael Po Saw	Glenn Rehbein	Ross Dinnar	Glenn Rehbein
AV Operator	Adrian Scott	Ian Nelson	Adrian Scott	Chris Thillainathan
Prayers of the people for the day	Robert & Karen Gilland		Sandra Pearn	
Counting	Rhonda Nelson		Dianne Bocquee	
S.School Yahweh Youth		Kerry/Jenny Rhonda	Kerry/Jenny Rhonda	
Retirement Village Ministry Team				
Baptism				

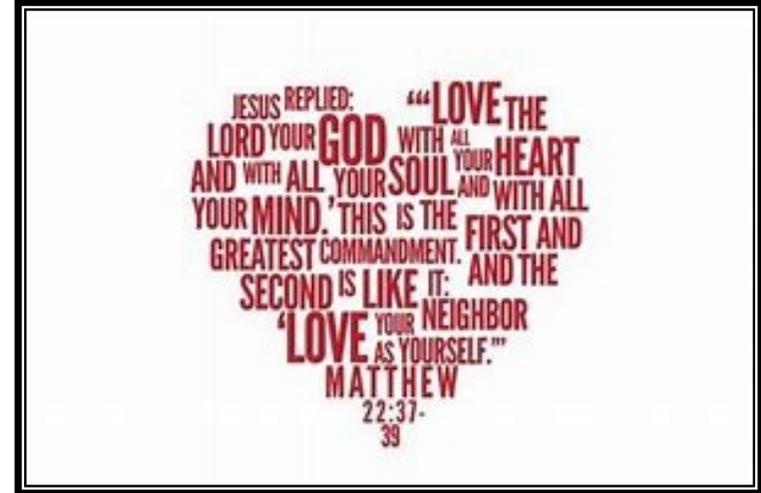
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**CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT - ANGLICAN PARISH OF
ALGESTER**

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.*



*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 Hellawell 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**

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

Creator God, we praise You. Eternal God, who has always been God and always will be God, we praise You. Father God, thank You for Your great love for us. Thank You for picking us to be in Your own family.

God of love. **Hear our prayer.**

Help us to love You, God, properly, not just a little bit. Help us to love You, God, from right inside ourselves. Help us to love You, God, in the way we feel, and in the way we think. And help us to love You, God, in the way we do things. And help us to love the people around us just as much as we love ourselves. Help us to love the people around us so much that we tell them the good news about Jesus. And more than that, are ready to do anything to help people.

God of love. **Hear our prayer.**

Father God, teach us to live wisely and well. Fill us with Your love every morning. Then we will sing and rejoice all our lives. Lord our God, treat us, Your servants, well. Give us success in what we do.

God of love. **Hear our prayer.**

Father God, we pray for those in need. We pray for

God of love. **Hear our prayer.**

Father God, we continue to pray for all those affected by the coronavirus pandemic. We pray for people experiencing fear and anxiety and those quarantined in isolation. We pray for wisdom for government leaders making decisions about lifting restrictions. We pray for those who are suffering far more than us in other countries around the world. Especially, USA and India, which are recording tens of thousands of new cases each day and hundreds of new deaths each day. We pray for wisdom for NGOs in India, not only doing all they can to help people through this coronavirus crisis, but now facing increased difficulty getting funds to projects, because of a new government law. We pray for Solomon Islands and Wallis and Futuna Islands that have only had their first cases of coronavirus this month. May there be no community transmission in these islands. We pray for Your people who are reaching out to those affected by this crisis.

God of love. **Hear our prayer.**

We pray for family unity, in this time of changed lifestyle. Also, those who have lost jobs, that they would be able to financially manage. We thank You for the government support we have in Australia. We pray wisdom for the Australian government in how to support those most affected by coronavirus. We pray for those working on developing vaccines, that they may have success soon.

God of love. **Hear our prayer.**

Accept our prayers through Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to pray:

Our Father in heaven ...

Prayers compiled by Karen & Robert Gilland

As we pray for those in need ...

Les [Mitch]; ; Keitha; Denver Everton; Hannah Whitehead [Infant]; Neil Henzell; Nicole; Ray; Susan Hetherington; Tammy; Mary Loweke; Alice Hudson; Christina Jacob; Benjamin; Richard; Shayne; Karen; Stephen; Jess; Dawn; Barbara Lawrence; Bruce Gillette; David; Robyn; John; Trish; Carol; McKay family

ZOOM and MUSIC

At our last Parish Council meeting it was decided to trial the 9am church service without zoom for the first three Sundays in November.

Therefore, we will be reverting to mostly live music with the option of our own pre-recorded at 7am and 9am on these Sundays.



CHRISTMAS IS COMING!!!

It would be most appreciated if we could start bringing food items to the church from now on so we can make up Christmas hampers in time for delivery to families the week before Christmas.

All food will need to be at the church by Sunday 13 December.

Once again we will be providing Christmas Hampers to families known to us. Many thanks in advance for this special ministry.

MORNING TEA

We are now able to return to having our morning teas after services, standing or sitting, as long as we continue to social distance and be served by a member of the parish who has completed the COVID Safe Work Training for Dining In.

It may take a little time to get back into the swing of things but bear with us.

Security Cameras

Our church has had cameras installed due to recent criminal activity in the area. These security cameras are installed around the outer perimeter of the church building and will assist greatly to deter would-be offenders.

Thank you, thank you, thank you to those who brought in photo-copy paper to the office! The response was overwhelming and we now have stocks to last us for many months to come!

MOTHERS' UNION

It is with regret that the Mothers' Union has decided to cancel our annual Fashion Parade this year. It is too difficult to comply with Covid 19 rules for such an event. **BUT** we are still holding a fundraising **RAFFLE!!**

- 1st prize is a \$100 voucher from W Lane
- 2nd prize, a hand-painted tray
- 3rd prize, a hand-made knee quilt
- 4th prize, a basket of chocolates
- 5th prize, two bottles of wine.

Tickets are available from Mothers' Union members for \$1 each and the raffle will be drawn at the Church on 31st October.

Money raised by the Mothers' Union contributes to baptism gifts, the Archbishop's Emergency Relief Fund, Kids at Risk for disadvantaged high school kids, and a Women's Shelter.

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

Sunday, October 25, 2020

Today
7.00am Holy Communion
9.00am Holy Communion
Sunday School/Yahweh Youth

Forthcoming Events

Friday, 30 October 10.00am Mainly Music
Wednesday, 11 November 9.30am HC Service; MU 35th Birthday Celebrations & Christmas lunch
Tuesday, 17 November 7.00pm Parish Council
Sunday, 22 November 8.15am Election of Office Bearers
Sunday, 29 November 9.00am Family Church
Sunday School/Yahweh Youth break-up
Holy Communion Service
4.00pm Carols on the Corner
Sunday, 13 December

MISSION - OCTOBER

J.D.E. FOUNDATION
[African children's schooling]

PRAYER AND READINGS

THEME: MOST IMPORTANT COMMANDMENT

SENTENCE:

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: you shall love your neighbour as yourself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

Matthew 22.37-40

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 WEEK:

Almighty and everlasting God,
give to us the increase of faith, hope and love;
and, that we may obtain what you promise,
make us to love what you command;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**A READING FROM DEUTERONOMY, CHAPTER 34,
VERSE 1-12:**

Then Moses went up from the plains of Moab to Mount Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, which is opposite Jericho, and the Lord showed him the whole land: Gilead as far as Dan, all Naphtali, the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, all the land of Judah as far as the Western Sea, the Negeb, and the Plain—that is, the valley of Jericho, the city of palm trees—as far as Zoar. The Lord said to him, 'This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, saying, "I will give it to your descendants"; I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not

cross over there.' Then Moses, the servant of the Lord, died there in the land of Moab, at the Lord's command. He was buried in a valley in the land of Moab, opposite Beth-peor, but no one knows his burial place to this day. Moses was one hundred and twenty years old when he died; his sight was unimpaired and his vigour had not abated. The Israelites wept for Moses in the plains of Moab for thirty days; then the period of mourning for Moses was ended. Joshua son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, because Moses had laid his hands on him; and the Israelites obeyed him, doing as the Lord had commanded Moses. Never since has there arisen a prophet in Israel like Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face. He was unequalled for all the signs and wonders that the Lord sent him to perform in the land of Egypt, against Pharaoh and all his servants and his entire land, and for all the mighty deeds and all the terrifying displays of power that Moses performed in the sight of all Israel.

Hear the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

READING FROM THE BOOK OF PSALMS:

PSALM 90.1-6,13-17

- 1 Lord, you have been our refuge:
from one generation to another.
- 2 **Before the mountains were born
or the earth and the world were brought
to be:
from eternity to eternity you are God.**
- 3 You turn us back into dust:
saying 'Return to dust, O children of Adam.'
- 4 **For a thousand years in your sight
are like yesterday passing:
or like one watch of the night.**
- 5 You cut them short like a dream:
like the fresh grass of the morning;
- 6 **In the morning it is green and
flourishes:
at evening it is withered and dried up.**

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- 13 Relent, O Lord; how long will you be angry?:
take pity on your servants.
- 14 **O satisfy us early with your mercy:
that all our days we may rejoice and
sing.**
- 15 Give us joy for all the days you have afflicted us:
for the years we have suffered adversity.
- 16 **Show your servants your work:
and let their children see your glory.**
- 17 May the gracious favour of the Lord our God be upon us:
prosper the work of our hands,
O prosper the work of our hands!

**A READING FROM THE FIRST LETTER OF PAUL TO
THE THESSALONIANS, CHAPTER 2, VERSES 1-13:**

You yourselves know, brothers and sisters, that our coming to you was not in vain, but though we had already suffered and been shamefully maltreated at Philippi, as you know, we had courage in our God to declare to you the gospel of God in spite of great opposition. For our appeal does not spring from deceit or impure motives or trickery, but just as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the message of the gospel, even so we speak, not to please mortals, but to please God who tests our hearts. As you know and as God is our witness, we never came with words of flattery or with a pretext for greed; nor did we seek praise from mortals, whether from you or from others, though we might have made demands as apostles of Christ. But we were gentle among you, like a nurse tenderly caring for her own children. So deeply do we care for you that we are determined to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you have become very dear to us. You remember our labour and toil, brothers and sisters; we worked night and day, so that we might not burden any of you while we proclaimed

to you the gospel of God. You are witnesses, and God also, how pure, upright, and blameless our conduct was towards you believers. As you know, we dealt with each one of you like a father with his children, urging and encouraging you and pleading that you should lead a life worthy of God, who calls you into his own kingdom and glory. We also constantly give thanks to God for this, that when you received the word of God that you heard from us, you accepted it not as a human word but as what it really is, God's word, which is also at work in you believers.

Hear the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

**THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST
ACCORDING TO MATTHEW, CHAPTER 22,
VERSES 34-46:**

Glorify to you Lord Jesus Christ

When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. 'Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?' He said to him, ' "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind." This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: "You shall love your neighbour as yourself." On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.' Now while the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them this question: 'What do you think of the Messiah? Whose son is he?' They said to him, 'The son of David.' He said to them, 'How is it then that David by the Spirit calls him Lord, saying, "The Lord said to my Lord, "Sit at my right hand, until I put your enemies under your feet" "? If David thus calls him Lord, how can he be his son?' No one was able to give him an answer, nor from that day did anyone dare to ask him any more questions.

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