

Sunday, 21 November, 2021
Twenty-Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

CHRIST THE KING



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.*



Date	21-11-21 Christ the King/The Reign of Christ		28-11-21 [Election of Office Bearers 8.15] First Sunday of Advent	
Colour	White		Violet	
Theme	Christ the King		There will be signs in the sky	
Readings	2 Samuel 23.1-7 Ps 132.1-12 Revelation 1.4b-8 John 18.33-37		Jeremiah 33.14-16 Ps 25.1-10 1 Thessalonians 3.9-13 Luke 21.25-38	
Roster	7.00am	9.00am	7.00am	9.00am
Worship	Rev Denis Galloway	Rev Denis Galloway	Rev Denis Galloway	Rev Denis Galloway
Preacher	Rev Denis Galloway	Rev Denis Galloway	Rev Denis Galloway	Rev Denis Galloway
LA Leader	Rosemary Kake	Kathy Carter	Robert Kake	Lorraine Jones
Greeter	-	Kerry Tovey	-	Julie Elliker
Sidesperson	Kay Morris	Sandra Pearn	James Sloan	Russ Daly
Reader 1	Michael Po Saw	Jenny Bullock	Margurita Smethurst	Dianne Bocquee
Reader 2	Robert Kake	Sandra Pearn	Norm Booth	Julie Elliker
Offertory	Kay Morris	Sandra Pearn	James Sloan	Russ Daly
Chapel		Dianne Bocquee		Sandra Pearn
Morning Tea	School Chaplains	School Chaplains	Sharon/Hugh	Malini/Cecilia
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		Pat Thorne	
Counting	Kerry Tovey		Rhonda Nelson	
S.School Yahweh Youth		In Church		Kerry/Jenny Rhonda
Retirement Village Ministry Team				
Baptism				[changes to Year C]

Readings from NRSV Used with Permission

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Service Times
CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
 362 Algester Road, Algester

HOLY COMMUNION
Sundays 7.00am & 9.00am

Baptisms, Weddings and Pastoral Services
 by arrangement

SUNDAY SCHOOL & YAHWEH YOUTH
Sundays during 9.00am worship

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

Lord, we come to you today because there is no other in Heaven or on earth to whom we can go to bring our prayers. You are the Ruler and Possessor of all and You are indeed the King of all creation.

For Your Labourers we ask that You will meet their needs and strengthen them as they work for You. Be their comfort in times of discouragement and their joy in times of success.

Jesus, come into Your kingdom

We ask that You will give the chaplains in our schools wisdom, understanding and inspiration as they minister. Help them as they show Your love and kindness to the young people so that Jesus will become a reality to them. By Your Spirit show each chaplain how special they are and that You have placed them where You want them.

Jesus, come into Your kingdom

Thank You that through Jesus we are rescued from the power of sin. Rule our hearts until we are wholly Yours. Thank You for those who guide us along the way. We think of Reverend Denis and the other priests and bishops of our diocese and all who work faithfully because they love You.

Jesus, come into Your kingdom

We pray for all who are in need – the sick, lonely, homeless, despairing, grief-stricken and those without work. May they know Your comfort and the balm of Your Spirit. We name those on our prayer list.....

Jesus, come into Your kingdom

Jesus Christ, Alpha and Omega, Who is and was and is to come, thank You for teaching us to pray:

Our Father in heaven....

Prayers compiled by Margurita Smethurst

As we pray for those in need ...

Keitha; Denver Everton; Alice Hudson; Allan; Carol; Dianne; Blake Howe; Katherine; Susan; Tammy, John; Kim; Ray; Annette; Karen; Jack; Jeanette Stevenson; Tony Johnson; Christine; Sally; Murray; Richard Yule; Mary Loweke; Susan & Andrew; Bill; Sandra S; Michael Selby

CHRISTMAS HAMPERS



We have several families at this point in time that we would like to provide Christmas Hampers for this year. In addition to the everyday grocery items that are always needed, ideas for food might include: shortbread, mince pies, fruit juice, crackers, tinned fruit, Christmas puddings, chocolate, lollies etc.

The supermarkets usually have an area allocated primarily for food for the festive season so that should help with ideas.

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

Christmas in the Park

This year Algester Anglican Parish is partnering with Brisbane City Council to hold Christmas in the Park at

Calamvale District Park
Saturday 4 December
4.00pm till 7.00pm



Please come along to support this event – there will be craft stalls, food stalls, children's activities, entertainment (the church choir and others), Santa and much more.

OCEAN CRUSADERS

This organisation in SE Qld is working on a programme to ensure plastic caps don't end up in the environment. Instead they are recycled to create new products.

We can all help by collecting our own plastic caps [e.g. milk, cream, juice], give them a quick rinse, save them up, and bring them into church. Rev Denis will then ensure these get to the collection centre.

16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence

Each year members of the worldwide Mothers' Union join this United Nations international campaign. It begins on November 25th and ends on December 10th. Saturday 27th November is MU Global Day which is centred around the disturbing figure that "1 in 3 women worldwide have experienced domestic or sexual abuse" and that MU as a leading women's organisation believes this to be unacceptable.

The Algester Branch of MU will hold a **Prayer Service** at the church at **12.30 pm on Saturday Nov 27th**. Everyone is invited to attend this Service and wear a purple scarf to mark the occasion. At 1.03 pm we will conduct a three-minute silence, linking to the 1 in 3 theme. Further information about the 16 Days is available on the MU worldwide and 16 Days of Activism 2021 Australia websites.

Following this, the church will remain open between 1.30-2.30pm for personal prayer and reflection.

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

Sunday, November 21, 2021

Today

7.00am Holy Communion
9.00am Holy Communion
Sunday School/Yahweh Youth: in church

A warm welcome to our School Chaplains who are visiting with us today. They will be telling us a bit about what they do and also thanking us for our support by way of providing Morning Tea!

Forthcoming Events

Friday, 26 November	10.00am	Mainly Music
Sunday, 28 November	8.15am	Election of Office Bearers: see pg.6
Saturday, 4 December	9.00am	Saturday Cafe
	4pm-7pm	'Christmas in the Park': see pg.6
Sunday, 5 December	9.00am	Sunday School/Yahweh Youth break-up

MISSION - NOVEMBER

ARCHBISHOP'S NOVEMBER
APPEAL

PRAYER AND READINGS

THEME: THERE WILL BE SIGNS IN THE SKY

SENTENCE:

Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honour and glory and blessing.

Revelation 5.12

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:

Everlasting God,
whose will is to restore all things in your well-
beloved Son,
our Lord and King:
grant that the people of earth,
now divided and enslaved by sin,
may be freed and brought together under his
gentle and loving rule;
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy
Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A READING FROM 2 SAMUEL, CHAPTER 23, VERSES 1-7:

Now these are the last words of David: The oracle of David, son of Jesse, the oracle of the man whom God exalted, the anointed of the God of Jacob, the favourite of the Strong One of Israel:

The spirit of the Lord speaks through me, his word is upon my tongue. The God of Israel has spoken, the Rock of Israel has said to me: One who rules over people justly, ruling in the fear of God, is like the light of morning, like the sun rising on a cloudless morning, gleaming from the rain on the grassy land.

Is not my house like this with God? For he has made with me an everlasting covenant, ordered in all things and secure. Will he not cause to prosper all my help and my desire? But the godless are all like thorns that are thrown away; for they cannot be picked up with the hand; to touch them one uses an iron bar or the shaft of a spear. And they are entirely consumed in fire on the spot.

Hear the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF PSALMS:

PSALM 46

- 1 Lord, remember David and all his trouble:
**how he swore an oath to the Lord,
and vowed to the Mighty One of Jacob;**
- 2 'I will not enter the shelter of my house:
nor climb into the comfort of my bed;
- 3 'I will not give sleep to my eyes:
or slumber to my eyelids,
- 4 'Till I find out a place for the ark of the Lord:
a dwelling for the Mighty One of Jacob.'
- 5 Lo, we heard of it at Ephrathah:
we found it in the fields of Ja-ar.

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- 6 Let us go to the place of his dwelling:
**let us fall upon our knees before his
footstool.**
- 7 Arise, O Lord, into your resting-place:
you, and the ark of your might.
- 8 Let your priests be clothed with
righteousness:
and let your faithful ones shout for joy.
- 9 For the sake of David your servant:
**do not turn away the face of your
anointed.**
- 10 The Lord has sworn to David:
an oath which he will not break;
- 11 'One who is the fruit of your body:
I will set upon your throne.
- 12 'If your children will keep my covenant
and the commands which I teach them:
**their children also shall sit upon your
throne for ever.'**

A READING FROM THE REVELATION TO JOHN, CHAPTER 1, VERSES 4B-8:

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen.

'I am the Alpha and the Omega', says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Hear the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST ACCORDING TO JOHN, CHAPTER 18, VERSES 33-37:

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Then Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, 'Are you the King of the Jews?' Jesus answered, 'Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?' Pilate replied, 'I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?' Jesus answered, 'My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.' Pilate asked him, 'So you are a king?' Jesus answered, 'You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.'

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

ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS

On **28 November at 8.15am** we are going to have a Parish Meeting at which time we will elect people for the various positions on Parish Council for 2022.

We need to elect Wardens [preferably 3] and Parish Councillors.

Nomination forms are on the table at the back of the church.